

**Park Committee Meeting  
Of the Village of Southern View**

**Agenda for the Committee Meeting**

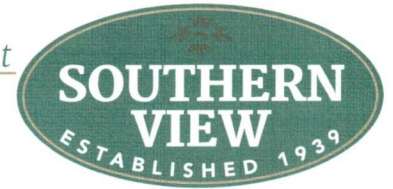
**Wednesday / June 19, 2024 / 6:00 p.m.**

- 1) CALL TO ORDER: Mike Patsche, Village President
- 2) ROLL CALL: Greg Bourland, Trustee  
Nate Briggs, Trustee  
Robert Eskew, Trustee  
Rebecca LaRussa, Trustee  
Betsy Richbark, Trustee  
Mike Tavernor, Trustee
- 3) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mike Patsche, Village President
- 4) CITIZEN REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD:
- 5) NEW BUSINESS DISCUSSION:
  - a) Discussion of Plans Regarding the IDOT Expansion on the East Side of the Village Park, Trees, Berms, Sidewalk, and Drainage etc

President's Comments-

- 6) ADJOURNMENT:

Posted: June 16, 2024 8:30 p.m.



Minutes of the Committee Meeting of the  
Village of Southern View Board

**CALL TO ORDER:** The Board of Trustees held A Committee Meeting on Wednesday, June 19, 2024, at the Southern View Municipal Building, 3410 South Fifth Street, Southern View, Illinois. The meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

**ROLL CALL:** The following were present:

Greg Bourland, Trustee  
Nate Briggs, Trustee  
Robert Eskew, Trustee/President Pro-tem  
Rebecca LaRussa, Trustee  
Mike Tavernor, Trustee  
Betsy Richbark, Trustee

Also Present:

Lisa Cave, Village Treasurer & Clerk  
Tyler Lufkin, Lufkin Logistics

Absent:

Mike Patsche, President

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**DISCUSSION:** President Pro-tem Robert Eskew stated that this is a Committee Meeting to discuss the Plan for trees in the Village Park, on the East Side. Tyler Lufkin shared with the Board the various trees he recommends planting along the East Side of the Village Park. Tyler shared what each tree looks like in the summer and winter and gave the Board color pictures of each tree. Discussion regarding the area behind the Municipal Building and the Public Works Lot to ensure trees are planted along the edge of 6<sup>th</sup> Street. Trustee Briggs has concerns about the tree on the berm on the east side of the park and that it seemed like a healthy tree and Trustee Eskew asked can we move it to another area of the park. Tyler stated that it depended on the root ball.

Following discussion, Trustee Richbark made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel. Trustee Eskew seconded the motion. The Board went into Executive Session at 6:40 pm. The Board returned from Executive Session at 7:40 pm.

**ADJOURNMENT:** With no further business, President Pro-tem Eskew asked for a motion to close the meeting at 7:40 pm. Motion was made by Trustee Ritchbark and 2nd by Trustee Eskew.

**PREPARED BY:** Lisa Cave, Clerk

**DATE APPROVED:** June 25, 2024