

Minutes-Board of Trustees

Norwood Park Township

7833 W. Lawrence Ave., Norridge, IL

County of Cook, State of Illinois

Friday, September 26, 2025

Supervisor Nasca called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Roll Call

Present: Supervisor Anthony Nasca

Clerk Eve Pokorny

Trustee Frank Di Piero

Trustee Steve Wyda

Trustee Andrew Cichon

Also in attendance were Assessor Dennis Karns, Highway Commissioner Paul Alongi, and Township Attorney John Spina. Trustee Stefanowicz was absent.

Approval of Minutes from August 22, 2025, Town Board Meeting

As the first order of business Supervisor Nasca entertained a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the August 22, 2025, Town Board Meeting and accept them as presented. Trustee Wyda moved. Trustee Cichon seconded the motion. Supervisor Nasca called for a voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Approval of Expenditures for Town Fund, Road & Bridge and General Assistance

Trustee Cichon moved, seconded by Trustee Di Piero, to authorize the expenditures for the Town Fund, Road & Bridge and General Assistance. Supervisor Nasca called for a voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Public Comment:

none

Supervisor's Report:

Supervisor Nasca stated the following:

There is one ongoing GA case and none pending.

The condition of the previously reported house on Linden remains unchanged.

The barricades are still up around the water main break on Bryn Mawr. There has not been an updated status on the repair.

The Township has continued with complaints to Cook County on the deterioration of the property on Bryn Mawr and Fairview.

The Township is currently looking into clearing large fallen branches and possible tree removal in the unincorporated area.

Michelle held her Card Class on September 18th. She is scheduled to return on October 10th.

Lydia from "Fuel Up Performance" will be returning this fall to hold a nutrition workshop with a date to be determined.

There is a plan to contact the Cook County Sheriff's Office to schedule a safety program before the holidays.

The Township will be contacting "Toys for Tots" to register for this year's toy drive.

Norwood Park Fire –EMS will be holding their open house on October 4th from 12-3 p.m. They will also have a drive-through event for flu shots on October 7th from 2-6 p.m.

Highway Commissioner Alongi will be organizing any Township officials interested in attending this year's Columbus Day Parade on October 13th

Committee Reports:

Trustee Di Piero (Building Maintenance & Veterans Committee) stated there was nothing to report at this time.

Trustee Wyda (Senior Citizens & Disability Committee) reported 0 cab books were sold in the month of August.

Trustee Cichon (Youth Committee, Law and Ordinance) stated there was nothing to report at this time.

New Business:

Trustee Cichon moved, seconded by Trustee Wyda, to approve an amount not to exceed \$10,000 for the Norwood Park Fire Department's grant request for funding of this year's flu shot distribution. Supervisor Nasca called for a voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Trustee Cichon moved, seconded by Trustee Di Piero to approve the Township's Annual Financial Report. Supervisor Nasca called for a voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Trustee Wyda moved, seconded by Trustee Cichon to pass Resolution 20250926 supporting the Illinois America250 Commemoration. Supervisor Nasca called for a voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Assessor's Report:

Assessor Karns relayed the following:

There are no updates on when the property tax bills will be sent.

The Cook County Bureau of Economic Development is launching a Homeowner Relief Fund which will provide one-time payments to eligible households for tax years 2021, 2022, 2023. The application process begins in late September, but funds are very limited.

Highway Commissioner's Report:

Highway Commissioner Alongi reported the following:

The cement work addressing the serious area of sidewalk damage in the unincorporated area has been completed. There might be a few people looking for additional sidewalk repair which because of limited funding is unlikely to happen at the present time.

The Department is now gearing up to prepare for snow and salt removal season.

Cook County Sheriff Busching joined the meeting to discuss the department's current engagement in elevated safety monitoring and enforcement in the area. Included in the enforcement have been expanded traffic safety stops along with diligent monitoring by use of increased patrols and camera placements.

Scheduled Meetings:

October 24, 2025, Norwood Park Township Board Meeting

Trustee Round Table Discussions:

Trustee Cichon suggested that there is a need for an alternate solution to protect the outside electronic sign from damage.

Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn by Trustee Cichon which was seconded by Trustee Wyda. Supervisor Nasca called for a voice vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "E M Pokorny". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed title "Clerk".

Clerk