

Westchester Park District

Cook County, Illinois

General Information

The Westchester Park District, organized in 1956, is governed by a five-member Board of Park Commissioners, elected on an at-large, non-partisan basis to serve a four-year term without compensation. The Commissioners elect officers, set policy, and appoint an Executive Director responsible for the daily administration of the Park District. The District employs 13 full-time staff and more than 100 part-time and seasonal staff. The Board also appoints the Park District Attorney, Secretary, Treasurer, and Independent Auditors.

Park District Annual Budget: \$3.6M, Fiscal 2018 Operating Budget: \$3.0M
Capital Improvements: \$0.6M, Assets: \$9.9M Total acreage owned: 56

Purpose

The Mission of the Westchester Park District is to provide quality parks, facilities, and fun activities to enrich the leisure time of our community

Facilities

The Westchester Park District manages more than 50 acres of parks and three facilities, listed below. The District offers eight parks, seven playgrounds, an outdoor swimming pool, an outdoor ice rink, and a dog park. The District also provides outdoor tennis and volleyball courts, ball diamonds, soccer fields, football fields, walking trails and pathways. Indoor programs include preschool and daycare, general recreation classes, an indoor playground, and a fitness center. The District also provides banquet facilities. A detailed description of the parks and facilities are listed in the Westchester Park District Recreation brochure, published two times each year, and on the website, wpdparks.org.

Community Center

10201 Bond Street

Mayfair Recreation & Banquet Center

10835 Wakefield Street

Maintenance Garage

9800 Drury Lane

Illinois Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)

Requests for public records or inspection and reproduction of public records should be submitted via a FOIA Request Form to David Brink, Freedom of Information Officer, Westchester Park District, 10201 Bond Street, Westchester, Illinois, 60154. Office hours are 9am-4:30pm weekdays. The form is available at all facilities and online at wpdparks.org. Examples of information available include: Minutes of Board Meetings, Minutes of Committee Meetings, Ordinances, Resolutions, Board Policy and Procedures, Land Records, Agreements, Contracts, Master Plan, Fiscal Budget and Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

For additional Park District information, visit wpdparks.org or call 708-865-8200.

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