FOREST PRESERVE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AGENDA -- 8/12/2025 at 3:30 PM 19406 Loud Thunder Road, Illinois City, IL 61259 – Forest Preserve Office



I. Roll Call:

II. Old Business: Executive Committee minutes from July 8, 2025*

III. Claims for Fiscal Year 2025 & 2026:*

Forest Preserve General Fund claims @ \$101,899.03 Forest Preserve Liability Fund claims @ \$55.50 Treasurer's Disbursements @ \$204,794.09 Niabi Zoo Fund claims @ \$284,125.63 DF&CI Fund @ \$4,243.14

Claims and Treasurer's Disbursements totaling \$595,117.39

IV. Transfers:

Consider Transfers of Appropriations Fiscal Years 2025 & 2026*

V. Resolutions:

Consider a resolution for FY 25 Development of Forests & Construction of Improvements Fund – Bike Path Grant Project*

Consider a resolution for FY 26 Niabi Zoo Fund additional appropriations – Niabi Zoo cathouse & eagle project* Consider a resolution for FY 26 DFCI Fund appropriations*

VI. Ordinances:

VII. Public comment:

VIII Other Business:

Consider the purchase of a Ventrac KN 4520N & accessories in the amount of \$54,399.60*

Consider dedication agreement between the Illinois Nature Preserve Commission and District for the Indian Bluff Hill Prairie & Buffer Area*

Other business as needed

IX. Reports: Approval of all routine reports:

District Budget Performance Report FY 25/FY 26*

April Palmer – Auditor's Reports*

Mike Petersen - Illiniwek report*

Lee Jackson – Niabi Zoo report*

Nick Camlin – Treasurer's Report*

Todd Collins & Jay Verstraete – Indian Bluff Reports*

Ben Mills – Loud Thunder report*

Jeff Craver – Director's report*

The Forest Preserve Executive Committee may enter a Closed Session for the following:

5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (1) – The appointment employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity.

5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (2) — Collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees.

5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (5)-Discussion of the purchase or lease of real property for the use of the public body, including meetings held for the purpose of discussing whether a particular parcel should be acquired.

The next meeting of the Forest Preserve Executive Committee will be held at Illiniwek Forest Preserve Picnic Shelter, 836 State Ave, Hampton, IL 61256 Tuesday, September 9th, 2025 at 3:30 PM.

^{*} items are in members' packets