

SPENCER PARK BOARD MEETING
May 12, 2026
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The Park Board of the City of Spencer, Iowa, met on the 12th day of May, 2026 at 5:00 o'clock P.M., regular session in the Main Conference Room, pursuant to law, to adjournment and to the rules of said board. The meeting was called to order by Chair Lawson.

Those present and absent were:

Present: Greer (arrived at 5:05 pm), Lawson, Soucek (arrived at 5:08 pm), Yarkosky, Grange
Absent: None

It was moved by Board Member Grange, seconded by Board Member Yarkosky to approve the board minutes of March 10, 2026. The motion was declared carried when all Board Members present voted aye on voice call vote.

The Board discussed the following items:

Pickleball Tournament & Kayak Races:

- **Pickleball Tournament**
The Westside Racquet Club will host a Pickleball Tournament at the Spencer YMCA on the Sunday prior to Flagfest. The registration cost is \$40 for one game or \$60 for two games.
- **Kayak Races**
The Kayak Races will take place during Flagfest weekend. Participants are required to bring their own lifejackets. For safety, a volunteer will be stationed in a boat to assist in case of an emergency.

Park Director Bob Fullhart provided an update regarding West View Memorial & Sunset Park. Leadership Spencer recently completed a planting project at West View, and both West View and Sunset Park have been sprayed for weeds. Sunset Park is seeing some wear and tear on the equipment. Additionally, the Park Department is exploring possible activities for West View, including a theater production.

The Park Director gave an update on the following:

- Mowing and weed control have continue
- Aquatic Center coming along for opening day, June 1, 2026

Items for Future Agendas:

- Earl Page Park

It was moved by Board Member Grange, seconded by Board Member Yarkosky to adjourn the meeting of the Park Board of the City of Spencer at 5:20 o'clock P.M. The motion was declared carried when all Board Members present voted aye on voice call vote.

Mark Lawson, Chair

ATTEST:

Mary Beth Breidinger, Recording Secretary