

Minutes of the April 8, 2026 Regular Meeting of the Board of Parks and Recreation
Commissioners

Location: Morgantown City Hall-Council Chambers

Call to Order: Chair Trumble called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m.

Establish Quorum: Four of six members of the Board were present. Members present in person were Danielle Trumble, Susan Klingensmith, Jenny Thoma, and Jenny Selin. Members absent: Amel Morris and Meridith Balas.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the March 2026 regular meeting were approved by consensus, 4-0.

Correspondence: None.

Public Comment: None.

Presentations: Damien Davis, Director of Engineering and Public Works for the City of Morgantown, presented before the Board on the Lower Greenmont greenspace/park concepts.

Rachel Spirnak, Water Research Project Manager, WVU, presented before the Board on the Deckers Creek Dog Park Fecal Coliform Abatement Project.

Financial Report: Director Travinski reviewed the contents of the Financial Report. Jenny Selin moved to approve the financial reports; Susan Klingensmith seconded. Approved 4-0.

Executive Director's Report: Director Travinski reviewed the contents of the Executive Director's report.

Old Business: None.

New Business: 2026-2027 budget approval. Director Travinski reviewed the revised budget and answered board questions. Jenny Selin moved to approve the budget; Susan Klingensmith seconded. Approved 4-0.

General Board Comments: Jenny Selin appreciates the BOPARC administration's resilience and creativity re: their ability to handle so many construction projects, plus all of the ad hoc tasks that come up. Jenny Thoma attended the Egg Hunt and it was such a great event for little kids and well-executed. She inquired if the entry and exit to the White Park bridge would be eventually graded to improve accessibility. Susan Klingensmith has visited the bridge and it is wonderful, but was wondering if it was complete; and if cut trees were planned to be removed. She thanked the BOPARC administration and staff for everything they are handling. Danielle Trumble thanked staff as well for their thoughtfulness.

Adjournment: Susan Klingensmith moved to adjourn at 4:47 p.m.; Jenny Selin seconded.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jenny Thoma

April 8, 2026

Entered Into Record



Greg Travinski, Executive Director

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