



Agenda
Village of Arlington Heights
Special Events Commission
Commissions Room
33 S. Arlington Heights Road, 60005
June 8, 2022
7:00 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. Special Events Commission Minutes May 11, 2022

IV. REPORTS

V. OLD BUSINESS

- A. Harmony Fest 2022
- B. New Event in 2023

VI. NEW BUSINESS

VII. OTHER BUSINESS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

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**Special Events Commission
6/8/2022**

Item: Special Events Commission Minutes May 11, 2022

Department: Village Manager's Office

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Description	Type
Special Events Commission Minutes May 11, 2022	Agreement

Minutes for Special Events Commission Meeting: May 11, 2022

Meeting called to order by Laurie Mitchell at 7:03 p.m.

- Present: Chair Laurie Mitchell, Kelly Barash, Jennifer Eichorn, Steve Fromm, Colleen Gaughan, Michelle Harris, David Jaffe, Diane Jamieson, Kevin Seifert
- Absent: Karen DeZellar, Steve Neill
- Also Present: Arlington Heights Mayor Thomas W. Hayes, Village Manager Randall Recklaus, and Staff Liaison Avis Meade

Motion to approve minutes from April 13th made by Kevin Seifert and with a second by Steve Fromm.

OLD BUSINESS

- Harmony Fest 2022
Mayor Thomas W. Hayes provided an update regarding ongoing agreement conversations between the Village and the Arlington Heights Chamber of Commerce, pertaining to Harmony Fest. Mayor Hayes discussed the potential reallocation of responsibilities between the Village and the Chamber, across two days, instead of each organization being responsible for an individual day. Village Manager Randall Recklaus answered questions and provided additional feedback. The Commission asked questions about their roles in 2022 and beyond and reiterated their support of their mission to assist and promote community through Village events. Mayor Hayes and Manager Recklaus answered questions and will provide input regarding updates as the details are agreed upon by the Village and the Chamber moving forward.
- Hearts of Gold 2022
The commission discussed the Hearts of Gold 2022 event. The Sunday brunch was well received and well attended. Due to pricing and service concerns, the commission would like to explore alternate locations for the event moving forward. The Commission also discussed they would like to reconsider the language for 2023 nomination categories at a future date.
- New 2023 Event Discussion
The Commission discussed their interest in pursuing a earth month or sustainability related community event in Spring 2023 at the Public Works garage. Staff has confirmed that Public Works is open to the event idea and the Commission will work to develop a formal event proposal.

NEW BUSINESS

OTHER BUSINESS

- Chris Fahnoe has resigned the Special Events Commission after more than ten years of service. Commissioners thank him for his volunteerism and wish him the best on his future endeavors.

ADJOURNMENT

- A motion was made by Kevin Seifert and seconded by Colleen Gaughan to adjourn the meeting at 8:55 p.m.



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