CITY OF LA PORTE
PARK AND RECREATION BOARD MEETING

OCTOBER 21, 2026 | 4 p.m.

Park Administrative Office
250 Pine Lake Avenue

CITY OF LA PORTE

801 Michigan Ave.
La Porte, IN 46350
219-362-0151

Mayoral Appointments:

Sam Carmel
Feb. 2026 – Dec. 2029

Murrell(JR) Francis
Jan. 2025-Dec. 2028

Mitch Feikes
Jan. 2023-Dec. 2026

Nicole Messacar
Jan. 2024-Dec. 2027

School Board Appointment:

Ryan Seaburg
Jan. 2025-Dec. 2026

Library Board Appointment:

Jeff Starkey

April 2026-December 2026

Non-Voting Member:

Roberta Mumaw

Council Liaison:

Karyl Machek-Feikes

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **Recognition**
5. **Approval of September16, 2026, Meeting Minutes**
6. **Bills and Claims**
7. **Public Comment**
8. **Sub-Committee Reports**
9. **Old Business**
    a. **Civic Auditorium Elevator**
10. **New Business**
    a. **Community Parks Initiative**
    b. **Scott Park Basketball Court**
    c. **Kesling Park Signage**
    d. **Recreation Fundraiser**
11. **Board Member/Department Comments**
12. **Adjournment**

The next City of La Porte Park and Recreation Board Meeting is Wednesday, November 18, 2026.

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