



Board of Commissioners
Resolution
B2026-073

15 West Kellogg Blvd.
Saint Paul, MN 55102
651-266-9200

Sponsor: Parks & Recreation

Meeting Date: 6/2/2026

Title: Appointments to the Parks and Recreation Commission

File Number: 2026-181

Background and Rationale:

The Parks & Recreation Commission serves as an advisory group to the Parks and Recreation Department leadership. Members of the Parks Commission serve as valuable community liaisons, and provide insights on park projects, policy, racial equity and community engagement efforts. Feedback and ideas are incorporated into development projects and help connect park staff to community. Members' familiarity with the county's parks and recreation system offers a deep and rich conversation about the direction of the department. The Parks Commission has a total of 9 seats.

There are currently three vacancies on the Parks and Recreation Commission. There was a total of nine applications, three of which were from incumbents. On March 16, 2026, the applications were forwarded to an interview panel, which consisted of three Ramsey County commissioners. The interview panel reviewed the applications and interviews took place between April 1, 2026, and April 2, 2026.

Recommendation:

The Ramsey County Board of Commissioners resolved to:

Appoint the following individuals to the Parks and Recreation Commission for a term beginning June 4, 2026, and ending June 5, 2029.

- Reier Erickson (District 4) - *Incumbent*
- Christine England (District 5) - *Incumbent*
- Mike Sachi (District 1) - *Incumbent*

A motion to approve was made by Commissioner Jebens-Singh, seconded by Commissioner Xiong. Motion passed.

Aye: - 7: Jebens-Singh, McGuire, McMurtrey, Miller, Moran, Ortega, and Xiong

By: 
Jason Yang, Chief Clerk - County Board