

Williston Park Board and WPRD Foundation Board – Joint Special Meeting & Retreat

Wednesday, October 7, 2026 - 11:00 a.m.

Williston Area Recreation Center

WARC Board Rooms



This meeting is open to the public. No formal action is anticipated.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
 - a. WPRD Park Board
 - b. WPRD Foundation Board
2. Annual District Update (PowerPoint Presentation)
 - a. 2025-2026 accomplishments and current operating position
 - b. Parks and Facilities Master Plan and 2026 Strategic Plan alignment
 - c. Annual finance operations, capital financing, reserves, and financial controls
 - d. Capital priorities: Evolution Sports Complex, Crosswinds Golf Course, Raymond Center and WARC, Harmon Park, Cote Park, Davidson Park (Wonder's Field – Giving Hearts Day)
 - e. Foundation activities, fundraising, sponsorships, and donor stewardship
3. Organizational Readiness and Future Staffing
 - a. Leadership and reporting structure, staffing phases, qualification standards, and implementation timelines
 - b. Recruitment approach, budget impact, and employee communication
 - c. Service coverage, staff inclusion, and readiness for new facilities
4. Joint Retreat Discussion
 - a. Capital and operational readiness
 - b. Organizational priorities and implementation
 - c. Communication, coordination, and shared responsibilities
5. Adjournment

Next Park Board Regular Meeting **Tuesday October 20th, 2026 @ 5:30pm** in the **Jordy Larvick Board Room at the Williston Area Recreation Center (822 18th St E)**

If special accommodations are needed due to a disability, please call the WPRD Office at 774-9773.

Joe Barsh, Executive Director
Park District Commissioners – Derrick Linghor (President), Shawn Roness (Vice-President), John Liffbrig
Logan Jangula, Chad Brown

Mission Statement: "Superior Parks, Facilities, and Programs for all to enjoy an active life"