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## Morton Grove Special Events Commission

### Agenda and Meeting Notice

**Monday, August 18, 2025 - 6:00 PM**

Morton Grove Public Works, 7840 Nagle Avenue, Morton Grove, IL

1. Call to Order/Pledge Allegiance
2. Roll Call
3. Introduction of Guests
4. Commission Chair Comments
5. Approval of Minutes (June 16, 2025) / Secretary's Report
6. Morton Grove Days 2026 Schedule (Saturday, July 4, 2026)
7. Morton Grove Days 2025 Subcommittee Reports
  - Beer Garden – Rita Minx / Jenny Lovejoy
  - Business Expo/Craft Show – Jeff Wait
  - Carnival – Paul Minx
  - Children's Activities – Jeff Wait
  - Entertainment/Opening Ceremonies – Dan DiMaria / Katy Shimanski / Lisa Rathunde
  - Festival Operations – Bill Burns
  - Fireworks – Tom Friel
  - Fundraising & Sponsors – John Pietron / Boyle Wong / Nancy Leong
  - Parade – Bill Burns
  - Public Relations – Boyle Wong
  - Restaurants – Paul Minx
  - Security & FPDCC Notice – Cmdr. Eric Ficht
  - Volunteers – Georgianne Brunner/Terri Cousar
  - Budget – Zoe Heidorn
  - General Discussion & Needs
8. Santa Comes to Town – Saturday, December 6, 2025 – 1:00-3:30 p.m.
9. Old Business
10. Comments
11. Next Meeting Date: Monday, October 18, 2025, at 6:00 PM
12. Adjournment

### Special Events Commission

Third Monday of Even Months  
6:00 PM - MG Public Works  
7840 Nagle Avenue  
Unless Otherwise Advised

#### Upcoming 2025 Meetings:

Monday, October 20, 2025  
Monday, December 15, 2025

Special Events Commission			
Appointee	Designation	Term	Appointed
Cmdr. Eric Ficht	Police Chief designee;	N/A	
Bill Burns	Public Works designee;	N/A	
Jeff Wait	Morton Grove Park District Designee;	N/A	
Rita Minx	Village Trustee	Two Years	12-12-22
Paul Minx	MG Days Commission Member	Two Years	06-27-16
Lisa Rathunde	MG Days Commission Member	One Year	08-10-20
Terri Cousar	MG Days Commission Member	One Year	06-27-16
Georgianne Brunner	At Large Member	One Year	06-27-16
Boyle Wong	At Large Member	Two Years	12-12-22
Zoe Heidorn		Staff Liaison	