



# VILLAGE OF RIVER FOREST VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

Monday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – 7:00 PM  
Village Hall – 400 Park Avenue – River Forest, IL 60305  
Community Room

## AGENDA

You may submit your written public comments via email in advance of the meeting to: [vbot@vrf.us](mailto:vbot@vrf.us). If you would like to speak during public comment, please email [imasella@vrf.us](mailto:imasella@vrf.us) by 4:00 PM on Monday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Anyone may listen to the meeting by participating in a Zoom conference call as follows: dial-in number: 312-626-6799 with meeting ID: 820 6367 6956 or by clicking the link here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82063676956>. To watch the livestream and access the meeting materials, please go to the Village website: <https://www.vrf.us/events/event/2823>

1. Call to Order/Roll Call
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Citizen Comments
4. Special Presentation
  - a. 2024 Officer of the Year Presentation – Keagan Lenz
  - b. Police Department Commendations
    - i. Officer Mark Catalano and Detective Denisse Zermeno
    - ii. Officer Eddie Coleman
    - iii. Officer Anthony Cortes
    - iv. Officer Paul Mika
5. Public Hearing – Fiscal Year 2026 Village Operating Budget
  - a. Public Hearing – FY 2026 Village Operating Budget
6. Elected Official Comments & Announcement
7. Consent Agenda
  - a. Village Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes – March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025
  - b. Village Board of Trustees Executive Meeting Minutes – March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025
  - c. Administration Department Report
  - d. Monthly Department Reports
  - e. Accounts Payable – March 2025 – \$1,784,157.89
  - f. March 2025 Financial Report
  - g. Purchase Approval – Bulk Salt – State of Illinois Joint Purchasing Program – \$63,570.00
  - h. Education & Sharing Day – Proclamation
  - i. Earth Day – Proclamation
  - j. Arbor Day – Proclamation
8. Consent Items for Separate Consideration
9. Recommendations of Boards, Commissions, and Committees
10. Unfinished Business
11. New Business
  - a. Adoption of Municipal Grocery Tax – Ordinance
  - b. Introduction of River Forest Park District Priority Park Planned Development Proposal – *No Action*
  - c. Presentation of Employee Handbook Updates – *No Action*
12. Executive Session
13. Adjournment

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