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**PARK DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS APPROVE 0% TAX LEVY
FOR SECOND YEAR IN A ROW**

***Board of Commissioners Vote Not to Raise Taxes for Second Year While Maintaining Robust
Park District Programming & Leading Cleanup of Vacant Property***

TINLEY PARK, Ill. – The Board of Commissioners for the Tinley Park-Park District approved a 0 percent tax levy for the second year in a row at the board’s meeting Wednesday evening.

The Board’s decision not to raise taxes on the Tinley Park community comes as the Park District continues to offer high-quality, robust activities and programming for residents of all ages. The decision also comes as the Park District continues to lead the long overdue environmental cleanup of the former Tinley Park Mental Health Center site, which is being funded entirely by state dollars and not being passed on to residents.

“We know that costs for residents and families are high, and I’m proud the Park District is not adding to their tax burden,” said Commissioner Lisa O’Donovan, who also chairs the Remediate 280 Committee overseeing the vacant land cleanup.

“The Park District is continuing to put residents first by offering first-rate programs and parks while not raising taxes to provide these great activities to our residents,” said Commissioner and Board Treasurer Donald Cuba.

“Our goal is to be responsible stewards of taxpayers money, and our vote not to raise taxes again demonstrates our commitment to the residents of Tinley Park,” said Commissioner and Board President Marie Ryan.

“I’m so proud that we continue to offer excellent programs, classes, facilities and events to the Tinley Park community without raising taxes,” said Commissioner and Board Secretary Ashley Rubino.

“As a longtime Tinley Park resident, I know the importance of keeping taxes low, and we’re proud to approve a 0 percent tax increase for the second year in a row,” said Commissioner and Board Vice President Bernie O’Boyle.

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