

Caucus Committee Meeting Minutes



September 8, 2026
Stuart Room, Gorton Center

Call to Order: Scott Nehls, President of the Lake Forest Caucus, called the meeting of the Caucus Committee to order at 6:32 p.m. A quorum was in attendance.

Approval of meeting minutes: Mr. Nehls welcomed everyone to the meeting and raised the matter of approval of the Committee meeting minutes of September 1, 2026. There being no discussion, on motion by Charlie Notarus, seconded by Steve Gongola, the minutes were approved as presented by acclamation without dissent.

General Comments of President: Mr. Nehls briefly reviewed the meeting agenda and the interviewing and voting process over the next few weeks.

School Board Candidate Interviews: School board candidates were interviewed by the Committee. Discussion of the candidates by the Committee followed.

Aldermanic Candidate Interviews: Aldermanic candidates were interviewed by the Committee. Discussion of the candidates by the Committee followed.

Candidate Discussion and Voting: Discussion by the Committee continued on all the candidates interviewed. Voting then proceeded for each candidate. Voting results will be promptly provided to the community after all candidates have been interviewed and voted upon.

Adjournment: There being no further business and after final comments, Mr. Nehls called for a motion to adjourn, which was made by Tom Bohac, seconded by Steve Gongola and approved by the Committee members by acclamation, without opposition. The meeting was concluded at 9:10 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by David Craigmile, Secretary.