



**Special Meeting with Work Session
September 13, 2022**

Call to Order: The Board met in person at The Lodge at Richfield Heritage Preserve. The meeting was called to order at 6:04 p.m. by Anita Gantner, Board Chairperson.

Pledge of Allegiance: Flag was absent but pledge was recited to its usual place.

Roll Call: Sandy Apidone, Anita Gantner, Jeff Deluca, Maureen McGinty, Mark Robeson, and Michael Selig

Excused Absence: Dave Wehner

Also in Attendance: Park Director John Piepsny, Administrative Coordinator Polly Wheeler, Strategic Planning advisor Kelly Coffman and assistant Josiah Denson, NPS advisor Andrea Irland, multiple facilitators and many community attendees.

Work Session

Ms. Gantner offered opening remarks about the purpose of the meeting, thanking everyone for attending. She introduced Park Director John Piepsny and the Strategic Planning group.

Ms. Coffman presented her PowerPoint of the Strategic Plan so far. All attendees participated in the community forum, divided into small groups, each with a facilitator. Facilitators prompted discussion using preassigned questions and then recorded ideas and comments of their groups, which were collected at the end of the evening.

PowerPoint presentation will be posted on RJRD website. Forum feedback will be included in the formulation of the Strategic Plan.

Adjournment:

MOTION by: Ms. McGinty and seconded by Mr. Selig to adjourn the meeting at 7:50 p.m.

MOTION PASSED: Vote taken by voice, which was unanimous

Submitted by:

Polly Wheeler, Administrative
Coordinator

Accepted by:

Anita Gantner, Board Chairperson