



ILLINOIS STATE SOCCER ASSOCIATION

2775 Algonquin Road ♦ Rolling Meadows, Illinois 60005

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Monthly Meeting Notes

August 12, 2025

Attendees:

- Claudio Frigo, President
- Mariusz Folta, Treasurer
- Renata Bechtoldt, Recording Secretary
- Hugh Orlicz, Delegate-at-Large
- Gaetano Traversa, Delegate-at-Large
- ~~Ante Loncar, Executive VP~~
- Erwin Fleps, Delegate-at-Large
- ~~Duncan Riddle, Delegate-at-Large~~
- Karen O'Dowd, Secretary
- Pawel Otachel, Delegate-at-Large

Location: 2775 Algonquin Road, Rolling Meadows, Illinois 60005

Meeting to Order: 7:01pm

Agenda Topics:

- Chicago Fire Guest - Lee Hannant
- Beach Soccer Tournament – Foster Beach (changed venue from Montrose Beach – endangered species)
 - Venue – food trucks, alcohol (sample only), bouncies
 - Beer sponsor – Heineken or Coors
 - 8am to 8pm (permit)
 - Women's and Co-ed (Saturday)
 - Men's (Sunday)
 - Institutional knowledge
 - Date of Event – September 13th/14th
 - 3,500 players @ Fire Pitch
 - 3 pitches
 - Beach and street parking
 - Insurance from Chicago Fire
 - How to have more team's to join???
 - Prizes, recognition
 - Social media platforms
 - Limit around 11am to 7pm
 - World Cup (leverage)
 - \$350 per team
- Biographies around Caddie – Hall of Fame inductee (November 1st)
- Deadline August 30, 2025
- Motion to approve – Mariusz (1st); Gaetano (2nd) – all in favor; approved

- **Financial:**
 - **August 8th – total income - \$189,340.61; Expense \$162,445.84**
 - **Income reduced due to expenses around State Cup**
 - **Gaetano (1st); Karen (2nd) – approved**
- **Player registrations:**
 - **League by League – steady – 10,711 players registration**
- **Unfinished business:**
 - **Check from Chicago Fire**
 - **AAC Eagles 85th Anniversary; October 11, 2025**
 - **Motion to approve: Karen (1st); Gaetano (2nd)**
 - **Illinois State Cup – July 26th**
 - **ISRC Meetings – Adult representative**
 - **Nationals and Regionals – what is the next step winning State Cup**
 - **State Cup Fee/Costs**
 - **Collected \$3,400 – spent \$10,700**
 - **Cup Sponsorship / Chicago Fire – collaboration**
 - **Put committee together – select Boris, John, Jeremy, Lee, Pawel**
 - **AGM USASA – September 25th-27th**
 - **AGM USASA – US Soccer**
 - **Pawel Otachel – delegate**
 - **USASA National Team – Adria; referees**
 - **Atletico Torino Over40 – national champions 3 peat**
 - **Hall of Fame Event – November 1, 2025**
 - **Collecting resumes for HOF due August 30, 2025**
 - **Laura Marcus – obtain CV**

Adjourn Meeting: 8:40pm

Next Meeting – next meeting, Tuesday August 12, 2025