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Elkrun Township Board of Trustees
May 22, 2024

Chairman Sweeney called to order the regular meeting of the Elkrun Township Board of Trustees meeting at 7:00 pm. The following trustees were in attendance:

Andy Sweeney
Randy Perrino
Kurt Seachrist

The minutes shall reflect 4 visitor (s) present. The previous meeting minutes from the May 8, 2024 were accepted on motion of Trustee Perrino, Trustee Sweeney gave the second. Chairman Sweeney recognized the visitor (s) and fiscal officer as the following business was discussed:

Phylis French, Elkrun Tourism Board, was present to present to the trustee's future plans for the parks in Elkton. The board is asking the township to review the request and submit to FEMA the request. It was also discussed that Mr. Ferryman, our FEMA contact, has sent the existing leases to FEMA headquarters for final review before resigning. These new plans will be submitted after the current leases are resigned.

OLD BUSINESS

Ganders Flat Rd has been repaired Trustee Perrino reported, however there is still some slipping of the road. It has been decided to wait for now before doing anything else, he did ask the road department to fill soft spots that should have been filled while there repairing. Mr. Perrino also noted the township has exceeded the right of way; it was necessary to complete the repairs. Road Foreman Jake Anderson reported he spoke with Ohio Valley, who has customers on the end of Ganders Flat where the work was completed, saying they would bring the smaller truck from this point forward.

Fiscal Officer Wonner reported Assistant Prosecutor Hartup is preparing the needed resolution for the 50/50 split of CDD fees from Elkrun Industries, Middleton Township agreed to the 50/50 split. Mr. Hartup will also prepare the needed resolution that all other current or future CDD landfills in the township boundaries alone the entire 8% fee will be paid to Elkrun Township.

The township received the County Auditor estimated property tax figures for the levy renewals for 2024 election. These will be sent to Assistant Prosecutor Hartup to prepare the next resolutions.

The water line extension for Elkton is expected to be started around Labor Day, Fiscal Officer Wonner spoke with Commissioner Halleck. There was no mention of contributions from the township and there was no other information received on the plans for the project.

Road Foreman Jake Anderson reported that David Holland, a veteran who works for the township, has organized a group to place the flags at the cemetery for Memorial Day. The group will be meeting on Friday the 24th at 3:30.

He also reported the Brewer family is not satisfied with the placing of the headstone at Kemble Cemetery by Richardson monument. The township in October 2023 told the family they could continue to place the headstones as they wished, they own the entire plot and other headstones had already been set. The placement of this current headstone would be consistent with their plot but not the rest of the cemetery. The township laid out where the family wanted the headstone, according to the family Richardson's did not think this was right taking it upon themselves to put the headstone at the other end of the grave. Trustee Seachrist will reach out to Richardson's to discuss their reasons for the placement.

NEW BUSINESS

The following correspondence was received by standard mail and email, presented for review than retained for filing as required:

1. Ohio Township Association Notices
2. Buckeye Water District Consumer Confidence Report 2023

Ohio Plan Renewal information was distributed to all trustees and Road Foreman Anderson for their review of the equipment list and values.

Fiscal Officer Wonner presented to all trustees the estimated revenue and expenditures figures for fiscal year 2025. Trustee Sweeney made the motion to approve the estimated figures as presented, Trustee Perrino gave the second. The motion passed with a roll call vote.

Trustee Perrino and Trustee Seachrist discussed with the road department roads in the township that need blacktop. Trustee Perrino questioned if Fairfield School Rd is ready for the blacktopping project by the county, Mr. Anderson stated they have ditched, cleaned the berms, and set what culverts they were able. Mr. Perrino ask if the needed patches were done with blacktop, these have not been completed. He also questioned if the work on Cream Ridge, the Roller Coaster Rd side, has been completed. Mr. Anderson and Mr. Strobel said it had been with work done by the ditcher and roller to clean up the area. Trustee Seachrist said he has had calls from a resident on Bell Rd which needs several loads. Mr. Anderson said the trucks are ready for blacktop hauling.

The following financial reports were submitted for review: appropriation and revenue status, payment register, fund status, month end fund summary, receipt report, payment listing payment warrants with the relevant invoices attached and orders. Other reports and items were reviewed, signed, and approved as Trustee Perrino made the motion to pay the bills and Trustee Seachrist gave the second.

There being no further business to discuss, Trustee Sweeney made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:29 pm, Trustee Perrino gave the second.

Chairman _____ Trustee _____

Trustee _____ Fiscal Officer _____