

Elkrun Township Board of Trustees
August 27, 2025

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

Randy Perrino
Andy Sweeney

The minutes shall reflect 7 visitor (s) present. The previous meeting minutes from August 13, 2025 were accepted on a motion of Trustee Sweeney, Trustee Perrino gave the second. All in favor with a roll call vote. Chairman Perrino recognized the visitor (s) and fiscal officer as the following business was discussed:

There were seven guests were present at the meeting to discuss concerns with the water/sewer line project in Elkton, Ron Bryarly, Linda Eells, and Deb Bins each had questions regarding the project. Mr. Bryarly questioned why the residents in Elkton are in the dark about the specifics of the project, stating several years ago when asked the residents wanted water but did not mention sewer. The sewer is being installed and the rumor is that if they are within 200 feet they are mandated to tie into the sewer. He and several others are not in favor of this, they feel they have acceptable septic and should not be required to tie into the sewer line. Linda Eells said she spoke with Troy Graft the County Engineer who is the foreman on this project after she sent an email to the commissioners with questions. The commissioners did not respond but had Mr. Graft contact her. Mr. Graft told her the tie in an ORC mandate, but did not provide the section, he also send t letters were going to be sent to residents along the project, again did not know when. Deb Bins had questions on the cost to tie into the sewer and hook into the water line. The water line is not required but is the choice of the resident, with most everyone wanting it. The normal cost is from the actual line to the resident with several factors contributing to cost, the average cost is thought to be around \$3,500.00. Those in attendance ask where the water was coming from no one knew for sure but the thought is Buckeye Water District. The trustees reported they are in the same situation as them not being told anything, everything they just mentioned is all the township knows also. The trustees said they would pass on any information that is received on the project. Mr. Bryarly stated that maybe Global Pack could answer questions or help with cost since the business is the biggest beneficiary of the project.

OLD BUSINESS

The stop sign has been moved on Churchill it seems to better and easier to see.

Trustee Sweeney said ODOT was finished with the work on SR 154 so the road could be opened.

It had been reported at the July 23rd meeting the turbo was out on the international truck, while at Alliance Motors it was found it was not the turbo. The flange had to be repaired, this was done while at Alliance Motors.

The speed bumps and signage are in those will be installed on Leslie Rd as discussed.

Trustee Perrino and Sweeney both agreed the township needed to move forward with hiring another full-time employee, the current part time employee is not interested in moving to full time. Randall Bogart will be contacted for an interview.

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

There was no new business to discuss.

The following financial reports were submitted for review: all current month end reports, payment listing and payment warrants with the relevant invoices attached and purchase orders and most current fund summary. Other reports and items were reviewed, signed, and approved as Trustee Sweeney made the motion to pay the bills and Trustee Perrino gave the second. The motion passed with all ayes.

There being no further business to discuss, Trustee Perrino made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 pm. Trustee Sweeney gave the second.

Chairman_____ Trustee_____

Trustee_____ Fiscal Officer_____