

Eden Township Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes

April 29, 2013 @ 8:00 p.m.

This meeting was called to order in the Eden Community Center by Chairman Donald Glover, with all present standing to recite the pledge of allegiance. The following Eden Township personnel were present; Trustees Ryan C. Bagent, Kenneth E. Hall and Fiscal Officer Steve Little. Eden Township residents Nate Otto of Harmon Road and the Hahn's of Camp Ohio Road were also present. Road Maintenance Supervisor Dan Baker came in later. A copy of the minutes, a monthly cash journal report and; fund, appropriation and revenue status reports were given to the trustees. Trustee Bagent moved to waive the reading of the minutes, Trustee Hall seconded the motion and all voted in favor. The minutes were filed for the permanent record.

Public Participation:

The Hahns were present to inquire about the status of a complaint filed regarding Mr. Ricketts of Camp Ohio Road dragging trees up the road with his tractor. They had sent pictures to Fiscal Officer Steve Little and had spoken with the Licking County Sheriff's Office about the potential road damage.

They were informed of a meeting Trustee Glover and Fiscal Officer Little had with State Representatives Hayes and Hottinger regarding this issue and the ability to enforce reasonable regulations prohibiting this type activity. Both representatives are aware of the need for legislation to give the trustees the ability to protect the township's investment and the ability to recoup damages in these type cases.

Nate Otto was present to present a proposal on the mowing of township cemeteries and the Eden Community Center.

Old Business:

The closed section of Camp Ohio Road and a potential culvert issue there was discussed as it is nearing time to reopen that section of the road.

New Business:

Mowing proposals were opened from Legend Lawn and Landscape and from Nate Otto. After closely reviewing both proposals, Trustee Bagent moved to accept the proposal made by Nate Otto, it being considered the lowest cost and best proposal. Trustee Hall seconded the motion and all voted in favor.

Trustee Bagent reported that Mr. Snedden of Graceland Lane had requested a meeting with him and Trustee Ken Hall. His issue is with water runoff from a neighbor's property that he alleged contained manure and other contaminants. Both the EPA and the Health Department had been contacted by Mr. Snedden and the Board of Eden Township Trustees believed that to be the proper avenue for his complaint. Therefore no action was taken.

The audit report was signed and given to the trustees. No closing conference was requested.

Road Report:

Road Maintenance Supervisor, Dan Baker reported he got the truck back..

Trustee Bagent moved to pay the bills, Trustee Hall seconded the motion and all voted in favor. The attached listing is a true and accurate listing of the bills that were presented to be paid.

Trustee Hall made a motion to adjourn, Trustee Bagent seconded the motion and all trustees voted in favor. The meeting was adjourned.

I hereby certify that sufficient funds were on deposit for the payment of the forgoing bills when obligated and funds are now on deposit to pay the attached expenditures; _____ Steve Little, Fiscal Officer.

Chairman, Donald L. Glover

Kenneth E. Hall

Ryan C. Bagent

Fiscal Officer, Steve Little