

German Township
Board of Trustees
May 22, 2017

The Trustees of German Township, Fulton County, Ohio met in regular session for the purpose of conducting business of the township.

Present: Bruce Lauber, Kenneth Leupp, Randy Ruffer, Keith Short

Guests: Josh King, Martha Hackett, Oscar Hackett, Stephen Lange, Toby Hines, Donna Dettling, David Pugh

The meeting was called to order by Bruce at 7:00 pm.

Toby Hines has problems with drainage in his back yard and would like to put in a catch basin in the low spot and hook it up to a six tile to help with the drainage. He would contact the Township on the day the work was going to be completed so it can be inspected. Josh said he looked at it and doesn't think it would be a problem. Josh said he wondered what condition the road tile would be in. Kenneth made a motion to allow Toby to have the work completed. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Martha and Oscar Hackett attended to make a presentation to cultivate and process medical marijuana on their family farm of 20 acres at Road G and Road 24. The State of Ohio has passed a law stating it is legal to cultivate and process and dispense medical marijuana. Martha said the heroin epidemic is on the rise and presented a number of cases of different health issues where medical marijuana has been beneficial to the clients. They have received a quote for 4.3 million dollars to erect a greenhouse on one acre of ground. They anticipate having 40 employees within three years with estimated revenues of 15 million dollars. There would be a benefit to Fulton County through the collection of sales tax on the product. There will be a public meeting on Tuesday, May 30, 2017 at 7:00 pm at Rauhley Park Pavilion. Martha and Oscar Hackett will attend the meeting to give a presentation and answer questions.

Donna Dettling presented a timeline fire service agreement for the trustees to review. A tentative fire protection services agreement was also presented for consideration. The trustees processed the agreement marking what they could tentatively agree on.

The minutes from the May 8, 2017 meeting were presented. Randy made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Josh said they are almost finished mowing ditches, finished spraying cemeteries and guard rails, replaced a seal in brush truck. Brian Aeschliman wanted to tie into a tile and found the tile was plugged. Brian offered to fix the tile.

The bills were presented for review (attachment 06-05-17). Kenneth made a motion to accept the bills for payment as presented. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

A quote was received from GT Contracting, Inc. to crack seal Road 26 from Road D to Road E for \$3,900.00; Road 26 from Road D to SR 2 for \$6,500.00; SR 66 to the dead end (resurface prep) for \$4,500.00 for a total of \$14,900.00 (attachment 07-05-17). Randy made a motion to accept the proposal for above listed roads. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

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Randy said there was a ruling from the Ohio Attorney General's Office that we can now be reimbursed for Medicare Part A. Keith will follow up with Scott Haselman for advice on how to proceed.

Randy made a motion to adjourn at 10:17 pm. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Attested