

German Township
Board of Trustees
June 23, 2014

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, Randy Oyer, Sam & Diane Smucker, Jay Pursel, Vickie Ernst, Jeff & Pat Bowers, Mark Wyse, Dexter Krueger, Miles Figgins, Shane DeLong

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

Randy Oyer spoke concerning the tile project in Elmira. Dexter Krueger explained that this project could be done through the Fulton County Engineers' office. It can also be processed through a petition process and once the project is done then the responsibility would fall on the County. If the project proceeds as has been presented, then the land owners will be responsible if there are any problems. Jay Pursel will be using a mini excavator. If there is a problem with the old tile under the alley it would be the Township's responsibility to repair that tile. Dexter is planning on moving and is not sure this project would benefit him. He asked what a fair amount would be for him to pay towards the project as he does not feel he should have to pay 1/9th of the cost or \$1,900.00. Dexter believes there should be more than on clean out for the length of the tile. Jay is planning on making notes for each land owner so they know where the tile is. Sam and Randy Oyer met with three contractors and came up with the present recommended proposal. Dexter wants to make sure everyone knows who will be responsible for any problems in the future. Mark Wyse made a motion for Dexter to pay \$700.00 toward the project which would cost an extra \$181.00. Jeff Bower seconded. There was no opposition to the motion.

The 2014 road project bids were opened. Bruce Ernst Asphalt's bid was \$81,297.22 (attachment 04-06-14). Henry Bergman's bid was \$88,637.20 (attachment 05-06-14). Ward Construction's bid was \$83,728.25 (attachment 06-06-14). Randy made a motion to accept Bruce Ernst's bid. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

The minutes from the June 9, 2014 meeting were presented. Kenneth made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes

Josh reported they picked up a deer last week, they got Dan's truck back from Kalida Truck, worked on a tile on Co Rd 25 and replaced about 60' of tile, repaired a tile on FG, cleaned up the building on State Route 66, took down a couple of trees and spread some #9 stone on Co Rd 24.

The bills were presented for review (attachment 07-06-14). Randy made a motion to accept the bills for payment as presented. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Wanda Bowdich has two plots in Goll Woods and has requested the two plots be retitled to Thomas John Winzeler Jr. and Ryan Andrew Winzeler. Sexton Robert Apgar will attend the next meeting to answer any questions regarding these two plots. This decision will be tabled until the next meeting.

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Randy made a motion if someone wants to resell a cemetery plot they must resell it for the price they paid for it or they can return it to the Township and the Township will pay them their original purchase price. Kenneth seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Kenneth said the setbacks are currently 70' off of both State Route 66 and Co Rd D.

10-14 RESOLUTION TO APPLY FOR ISSUE II FUNDS

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of German Township, Fulton County, Ohio to apply for Issue II funds to repair Co Rd 24, beginning 1,000 feet south of Co Rd BC, and continuing 300 feet to the South.

Kenneth moved, Randy seconded
Yeas: Lauber, Leupp, Ruffer
Adopted this 23rd day of June, 2014

Randy said the individuals who looked at the building on State Route 66 are not interested in purchasing the building. Randy asked if the township would be interested in leasing the building. No decision was made.

Randy said he thought there should be a four way stop at Co Rd 24 and the Henry County Line. Currently traffic stops from the North and South. Randy will discuss it at the meeting with the Village of Archbold on July 7.

Kenneth made a motion to adjourn at 9:13 pm. Randy seconded the motion. The motion passed with three yes votes and no negative votes.

Attested