

Elmer Township Meeting  
April 17, 2017  
Minutes

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm

**Members Present:** Marty Galbraith, Supervisor; Jeanie Smith, Clerk; Jenni Layman, Treasurer; Sue Stenson, Trustee; Richard Ellis, Trustee

Number of non-members present: 3

March 25, 2017 Special Meeting minutes approved as read.

**Old Business:**

Brief discussion on the blinds that Jenni found for the hall windows. A motion to have Jenni order the blinds was made by Jeanie, seconded by Sue.

Marty presented plans for the kitchen deck which were drawn up by Paul Yoder at Highland Lumber. Sixteen feet is too long so the plans will be changed to 13 ft and Marty will get a new price quote.

Sheriff Grace discussed some county issues such as ORV's, boater's safety class and 'take back drugs day' the department hosts on April 29. He also mentioned the 'butterfly cards' that will be in businesses around town. These are for the Child Assessment Center which helps children who have been victims of abuse or neglect.

Regarding the cemetery fence that was damaged by a fallen tree last month, an extra rail will be included when the new fence for the playground is ordered.

Raquel will be starting clean up and will see that more mulch is put under the playground's ten-spin.

Marty mentioned a possible grant offer through the insurance company for safety features that are implemented that may reduce liability risks. Video cameras for the hall and outside steps have been previously discussed by the board and may qualify.

**New Business:**

Webb Well Drilling gave a quote of \$5,800 for a new well. This would be a 5 inch well a line running down to the playground by the pavilion. The consensus of the board is to have the new well put in before the old one goes out completely and to have it done sometime in May. Marty will check with Webb's.

Jenni has a new, secure mailbox that was approved at the last meeting. Derek is willing to put it in. Computer tech, John McConnell will be setting up her new computer and installing a Quickbooks program.

Raquel showed the board a video of a new weed whip attachment that rotates and 'sweeps' gravel from the grass back into the driveway. This would be helpful in the cemetery so Raquel will get some info and a price.

Motion made to accept bills as presented. Sue/Richard. Checks #1378 through # 1395

Meeting adjourned 8 pm

Submitted by,  
Jeanie Smith, Clerk