

Tuesday, September 18<sup>th</sup> 2012 Birch Run Township Park Committee Meeting

Present: Fred Sheridan, Ramon Rosas, Kheila Knight, Connie Putnam, DeAnna Geisenhaver

Meeting called to order at 7:05pm

Fred spoke of the present state of the concession stand. He mentioned that it is completely framed in and that sand has been delivered for the floor. The next step for the flooring is that the sand be packed and leveled and then the concrete can be poured. Fred also mentioned that the steel for the roof and walls had been ordered and was in and can be put up at any time. Currently construction is being done by way of volunteers on weekends and is subject to weather conditions.

Fred informed the committee that the train is done and being stored at his house currently. At this time, we are waiting for the new playground to be finished before the train is brought in and installed.

Fred mentioned that the surveys are in and that Lisa Kiessling has been working on a presentation to highlight the results.

Updated financials for the new playground were submitted by Brat Thomas via Ramon Rosas. As of this update we are well under budget.

The floor was opened to discussion about ideas for further use of the left over money.

Kheila Knight made the comment that it has been brought up to her as an idea that a new map of the park be constructed and the fields and trails be labeled.

Ramon Rosas mentioned a concern for the conditions of the infields of all of the baseball fields and also the possibility of new tennis court nets and the expanding crack in the surface of the basketball court.

Public Comment:

Kheila Knight asked for volunteers for the 5k Run / Walk held on Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup> 2012 from approximately 12:00 noon to 3:00pm.

The next Township Park Committee meeting is scheduled for October 23<sup>rd</sup> 2012 at 7:00pm in the Government Room.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Ramon T. Rosas