PUBLIC HEARING BIRCH RUN TOWNSHIP BOARD SEPTEMBER 8, 1987

The public hearing to give the township the authority to purchase land in Section 18 for park purposes was called to order at 7:37 p.m. by Supervisor James Totten. (Started late due to supervisor and park board president being at a fire).

Township Board members present were Marcia Strong, James Dorr and Alvin Block and Edgar Scharrer.

Forty-one township electors were in attendance when hearing began. Others arrived as meeting progressed.

Various points were raised by those in attendance.

Park board president explained why board wanted to move park.

Motion by Gary Hutchinson supported by Edward McNamara that electors authorize township to purchase the property.

Vote was 29 yes and 16 no. Vote was by show of hands. Darlene Thompson assisted the clerk in counting.

Don Bailer challenged the legality of the township; s holding this hearing.

A motion to adjourn was made at 8:15 p.m. by Darlene Thompson supported by Sharon Barrett. Motion carried.

Marcia Strong, clerk Birch Run Township