SALFORD TOWNSHIP PARK BOARD

Meeting Minutes - June 26, 2018

A meeting of the Salford Township Park Board was held on Tuesday, June 26th, at the Salford Township Municipal Building in Tylersport. Present were Chairman Frank Jarrett, Warren Taylor, Charles Boyd, Fred Moyer and myself, Tim Clemmer.

Following a brief inspection tour at the Community Park, the meeting was called to order at 7:55 PM by Chairman Frank Jarrett.

There were no minutes from the previous meeting, as the Secretary was absent.

Business:

- Tylersport Community Park: As noted above, we took a brief tour of the park before the meeting, inspecting the work currently in progress on the pavilion and the walking path. We noted that the concrete slab for the pavilion had developed a crack, apparently the result of the concrete having cured too quickly under the hot sun we've had lately. It probably should have been kept damp and/or covered to slow down the curing process. We agreed with Warren's recommendation that the crack be left as is, and that any attempts to hide or fill the crack would be temporary at best, and would prove ineffective in the long run. It was noted that the BOS had approved a change order to install a metal panel roof in lieu of the shingled roof we had specified.
 - While inspecting the portion of the walking path currently under construction, we noted that the grass edges of the path will need to be tapered down to the surface level of the path in a number of areas. We also noted that there were a couple of tree stumps along the fence line parallel to Ridge Road that would need to be ground down or removed.
- White's Mill: There was some discussion regarding the mowing of the dam berm out to the spillway. Warren noted that it appears overgrown to the point where it's barely possible to walk through there. Frank noted that at the time of it's construction, the engineers had recommended mowing only twice a year. We feel that perhaps that was to allow the newly seeded green areas to mature, but that it should be kept trimmed to allow for foot traffic. Fishermen have a tendency to walk along the waters' edge instead, which is precisely where we don't want the foot traffic due to the damage it can cause there.

There being no further business on the agenda, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted, E. Timothy Clemmer Recording Secretary