

Adams Township Planning Committee

ATPC meeting was called to order at on Sept 22, 2022 at 6:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance done

Roll Call:

Present: Martha Dugdale- ATPC Chairperson

Terry Parolini - ATPC Secretary

Paul Eister - Member

Sherry Kinniunen-Member

Dan Coponen- Member

Approval of the Minutes: No corrections to last meeting minutes.

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Paul made a motion to approve last meeting minutes, second by Sherry, all approved.

No Old Business to discuss:

New Business:

Martha brought up the Recreational survey and said at the last Adams Township meeting, Supervisor Heikkinen was open to possibly hiring someone to aid our group with a plan. Martha stated that Stanton Township hired Ken Vrana for about \$4,000. Martha said she emailed this information to Adams Township. We have until Feb 2023 to lock down a plan to receive specific grants and will continue to make this a priority.

Paul suggested that we reach out to Ken Vrana to see what his fee would be using the "original " recreational plan from when Denny Malari was Supervisor. Sherri said both Denny and Dave Mattila were on the Adams board when the plan was approved.

Martha checked on potential property behind Jeffers High School for recreational use. These properties are privately owned. Martha said that Portage Health Foundation aided in the new playground equipment put up at Agate Beach (Stanton Township) this summer. Adams Township present playgrounds are near the: Atlantic Mine Firehall and one behind the Painsedale Post Office. We will wait to put out the Adams Township survey until we gather more information. Martha said she will continue to work on the survey.

Paul made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Sherry - 0 nays.

Meeting adjourned at 6:47 PM. Next ATPC meeting is scheduled on Thursday, Oct 27th, 2022 .