

## Adams Township Planning Commission

**Oct 30th, 2024 ATPC meeting called to order at 6:00 PM**

**Pledge of Allegiance done:**

**Roll Call:**

**Chairperson: Martha Dugdale Present**

**Secretary: Terry Parolini Present**

**Member: Paul Eister Present**

**Member: Sherri Kinnunen Absent**

**Member: Dan Copanen Absent**

A motion was made by Paul to accept last meeting minutes, seconded by Terry. According to the ATPC bye laws 3 consecutive missed meetings by any members can lead to replacement. Paul is going to bring this up to the Adams Township Board at the next AT meeting.

The Atlantic Mine playground survey is complete, stakes in place. Martha said she walked around the perimeter of the playground, it actually appears double in size than first thought. Fencing for the playground was discussed, Martha said a quote she received was approximately \$1500. for 3 sides, this prior to knowing the actual size of the playground. Split rail is another less expensive option, possibly both leaving towards the post office unfenced. Talked about near the post office as a parking lot area.

Martha and Adams Township Secretary are looking into smaller grants to aid in procuring items for the playground, ice rink. Seems the larger government grants can be a reimbursement and there is no guarantee you will get, they also usually require a professional engineering company to put a package together which could cost thousands.

Paul was going to see if asphalt sealer can be used on the ice rink floor. He suggested a list of what needs to be done at the rink prior to reaching out to the list of volunteers to help. Once we have a list of items that can be worked on, Martha suggested sending out postcards to the volunteer list for help.

Adams Township Board member Diane Keranen suggested Tony Arens, who is the Jeffers shop teacher, may be able to make a shade structure for the Atlantic Mine playground.

New Business: Solar and Wind programs will go to the Michigan Public Service Commission rather than go through the local governments for approval. It will be suggested to the board that we not change any of the ordinances already in place.

Terry made a motion to adjourn at 6:45, seconded by Martha, all ayes. No Nays.

Next meeting date is scheduled for Wed, Dec 4t, 2024 at 6:00 PM at Baltic hall

Minutes prepared and submitted by ATPC Secretary : Therese (Terry) Parolini