



Park Township

From the Desk of Howard Fink,

Township Manager

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Hi Everyone. Attached is this week's management report. As always, please let me know if there is anything I have missed.

Parks

Construction is in progress throughout the township. Attached are some site photos of the South Side Kayak Park in progress.



State Park

We had a meeting with the DNR and some resident stakeholders regarding lifeguards at the State Park. Unfortunately, it seems to be a non-starter. Nonetheless, our efforts are working, as the state seems to be finally implementing safety measures that have been talked about for years. We will continue our outreach and coordination efforts. It's a worthy cause and we need to be at the table.

Airport

Work continues on the airport property. The two hangars have been removed and we continue to make progress on the overall Cooper Van Wieren trail system and related construction.

Internet at the airport has been down for quite some time. We were finally able to pinpoint why. Someone charred / cut the wires when trimming the bushes. We cleaned up some of the wiring, removed old equipment, and reset the internet. The Civil Air Patrol kids will now be able to have access, which is important for their gatherings.

On a less enthusiastic note, I received another letter from Mr. Napier. It was emailed to the board this week.

Township Wide Paving

Township wide paving is still ongoing. We have asked for some additional base work on Twin Oaks Lane, as there are some critical areas. Hopefully the road commission can get in some concrete aggregate in some areas to shore up the top coat of asphalt. I periodically check these types of items when paving and construction are occurring so that there is some level of quality control occurring, to the best of my limited knowledge.

Self-Evaluation

I sent out my self-evaluation to everyone. Please contact me so we can meet and go over your evaluation of my efforts over the last year.

Ottawa Beach Road Pedestrian Signs

The Pedestrian Signs on Ottawa Beach road have been installed. We have already received some positive feedback.

Haunted House

The haunted house on the south side is under construction and renovation. Attached is a photo of the progress.

