

Perry Township Board of Trustees
Work Session
April 12, 2022, 6:00 pm

The press has been provided appropriate notice of the work session per ORC requirements

Call Meeting to Order

Trustee Nelligan welcomed guests in the audience and those joining remotely. The Board of Trustees convened in an advertised work session concerning a Park Facility Restrooms Discussion. The Board discussed this topic in an open format.

Park Facility Restrooms with Brandstetter Carroll

Nancy Nozik of Brandstetter Carroll, Inc. presented further discussion on the park facility restrooms. She discussed the options for Summerdale Park and Perry Park facilities. She ran through options with the Board for a master plan and had discussions concerning the parks.

Nancy Nozik began with Summerdale Park and where the existing restrooms are presently and she believes this would be the best location to put a new restroom. She stated we now know exactly where everything is located such as electricity and where water comes in. She presented to the Board the need to think about materials to use, signage, etc. There would be the options of small restrooms with single-use or a large restroom with storage available. Ms. Nozik is seeing more family restrooms but to consider in smaller parks, the family restrooms vs joint restrooms.

Nancy Nozik suggested at the Meet and Greet on April 19 to have her display boards present to have anyone in the community ask questions and thoughts on the restrooms.

In the Perry Park area, the master plan would be for the whole park. Ms. Nozik asked the Board what the goals of the park would be such as parking, the number of users to the park, activities, and games played at the park. Again, materials, colors, and layout would need to be discussed. The Board discussed that this park becomes a sports park.

Ms. Nozik discussed the options of single restrooms and restrooms connected to pavilions. She asked the Board what their goals and concerns are for the parks. Trustee Nelligan stated that flooding is an issue that would need to be addressed. There was a discussion on how to fix the water drainage issue. She discussed with the Board what they envision the parks would be. Trustee DeChiara asked Ms. Nozik what she thought should be added to the parks.

Ms. Nozik talked with the Board concerning the placement of playground equipment and updating the equipment. There was a discussion on the placement of fencing around the playground.

The Board discussed how to generate monies in the parks. They also brought up the subject of someone running the parks. They would like to see the pavilions generate monies for the township.

There was a discussion of a splash pad possibly at Fasnacht Farms. Trustee Nelligan stated that at Perry Park there could be children walking to the splash pad. The Board brought many opinions and discussions concerning the placement of a splash pad.

Trustee DeChiara suggested improving the lighting and having cameras installed. Superintendent Masalko talked about vandalism at the park and security. He also gave suggestions on the concession stand placement and entrance for vehicles.

The work session ended with several ideas and conversations on the parks.

Additions/Deletions to Agenda

Public Speaks:

Adjournment:

With nothing further to come before the Board, Trustee Nelligan stated the work session ended at 7:35 pm.

Ms. Nelligan, President

Craig Chessler, Fiscal Officer