

Winter 2015

Hours:

Mon. & Weds. 8:00 – 3:00

Tues & Thurs 7 – 4:30



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Board of

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Meetings 2nd & 4th

Tuesdays 8:00 p.m.

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Terry Holmes, Chair

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Edward Gerten

651-463-4433

Jamie Elvestad

651-463-4748

Planning

Commission

Meetings 1st & 3rd

Tuesdays 8:00 p.m.

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Trent Larson

651-460-6404

Tom Kaldunski

651-460-6912

Jared Sachs

651-463-3169

Cheryl Jacobson

651-463-2131

Jim Hagerty

651-428-4726

Park & Rec

Meetings 2nd & 4th

Mondays 7:00 p.m.

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Joy Bester, Chair

651-463-0014

Kaye Mortimer

651-460-2737

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The New Year

Some look forward to it with delight and anticipation, the optimists, and others, the pessimists, dread it, worrying about the future. Hey people! Take it in stride, laugh with it, laugh at it, but, most of all: LAUGH – and laugh out loud so the whole world can hear you! ~ Anonymous

2014 Review

Empire Township has had a busy 2014. Below are a few items that have kept the Town Board, Planning Commission, Park & Rec along with the personnel busy.

Water Line Freeze-ups: Last year Empire Township had two water lines freeze ups that our maintenance crew helped to thaw out. In the event freezing conditions cause individual service lines to freeze-up, property owners must contact the Township for service assistance. The use of welding equipment to thaw private service lines is prohibited. Property owners shall pay a flat fee of \$250.00 to the Township at the time of service and shall sign a damage waiver.

Township election: Terry Holmes was re-elected as Supervisor for another 3 year term.

Whitetail Woods Regional Park: Empire Township worked with Dakota County on the Whitetail Woods Regional Park off of 170th and Station Trail Road. The Grand opening was September 27, 2014. Empire had 170th Street upgraded and is ready for the County to pave in 2015.

Providence II and III were completed. Providence 4th Addition Plat and Developers Contract were approved.

The Subdivision and Building Rights Transfer agreement on parcels off of 210th Street were approved.

Planning Commission Chairman Gail Reimnitz resigned and Jim Hagerty was approved as the new commissioner. Thanks Gail for your many years of service.

Park & Rec member Julie Walton resigned and Josh Lindgren was approved as the new member. Thanks Julie for your time on Empire's Park & Rec.

The Well Head Protection Plan for Empire Township received a grant to have 5 wells sealed which are in our protected area. They are now sealed.

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May this New Year all your dreams turn into reality and all your efforts into great achievements.