

BIG CREEK TOWNSHIP  
SPECIAL MEETING  
BIG CREEK TOWNSHIP HALL  
MARCH 30, 2013

Meeting called to order 10:46 a.m.

Present: Avery, Booth, Mitchell, Palmer, Mundt. Absent: None Others Present: 2 electors.

Dave Lashley had questions regarding clarification of markers on a grave site i.e. can 2 headstones be put on a single grave? Current situation: An individual owned 2 lots, but sold them back to the Twp. (at \$50/lot) within the last year. Previous owner and his wife both passed within the year so executor purchased a lot for both cremains. New price is \$100/lot. Family wants to put a Veteran's marker and matching other marker on one grave, which would require a 56" foundation on a 60" lot. Proposals – to make an exception to the ordinance, or return 2<sup>nd</sup> lot to the estate of the previous owner.

**Avery/Mitchell moved to return the original 2nd lot to the previous owner's estate. It's not costing us anything since we received \$100 for the single lot when it was purchased back.** 4 Ayes. 1 Nay. Motion carried.

Discussed changing the ordinance to require the double marker (56") be put on a double lot. No action taken at this time.

Fire Chief Roddy requested the use of Truck #8 (pickup) from fire dept while his vehicle is in the repair shop. The truck will be sitting in his driveway in case there's a fire call.

**Mitchell/Palmer to authorize Fire Chief Roddy to house truck #8 at his home for township use while his personal truck is repaired at Big Creek Bump & Paint.** All ayes. Motion carried.

Public comments: None

Meeting adjourned 11:05 a.m.

Rhonda Mundt, Big Creek Township Clerk