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TID board looking to swap land with local park agency

Director of MetroParks does not favor proposal

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HAMILTON — A land swap between Butler County MetroParks and the Transportation Improvement District involving a former Girl Scout camp could be finalized this morning.

The TID wrapped up a \$1.6 million purchase agreement for the 57-acre Camp Timber Hill in Fairfield Township from the Girl Scouts Great River Council late last month.



Mike Muska

Mason Road and Interstate 75.

In an earlier interview, MetroParks Director Mike Muska said the 18-acre tract is unsuitable for a park, but could be used by the TID for commercial development.

The TID also is slated to consider spending nearly \$1.4 million

Today, the TID board will consider swapping the camp with about 18 acres of park lands near the proposed Liberty Interchange project near Hamilton-

more on engineering work for the Bypass Ohio 4 widening project. Consulting firm M-E Companies has asked the TID for the money to complete engineering plans and environmental studies and documentation. The bypass widening project would take the roadway from two to four lanes and to six lanes in central areas with heavy traffic.

The TID is scheduled to meet at 8:30 a.m. in the fourth floor conference rooms in the Government Services Center, 315 High St. For more information, call (513) 785-5800.

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