



Ogle County Highway Department
Road & Bridge Committee
Meeting Minutes

September 11, 2018

- I. Meeting called to order at 8:00 AM by Chairman Colson at the Ogle County Courthouse, Room 100.
Members present: Ron Colson, Marty Typer, Rick Fritz, Lyle Hopkins and Dan Janes.
- II. Approval of Minutes
 - A. Reviewed August 14, 2018 Road & Bridge Committee Minutes.
 1. Motion to approve minutes by – Dan Janes
 2. Motion seconded by – Marty Typer
 3. Vote – All in favor
- III. Reviewed Bills and Payroll
 - A. Motion to approve Highway Dept bills and payrolls by – Marty Typer
 - B. Motion seconded by – Rick Fritz
 - C. Discussion: Bills higher this month due to the purchase of a used vibratory roller bought to replace a 42 year old static roller.
 - D. Vote – All in favor
- IV. Received Bids
 - A. 2018–2019 Ice Abrasives
 1. Motion to award low bid subject to no protests being filed by – Rick Fritz
 2. Motion seconded by – Dan Janes
 3. Vote – All in favor
- V. Petitions and Resolutions
 - A. 2018-2019 Ice Abrasives Award & Appropriation Resolution \$28,500 from County Highway Fund
 1. Motion to approve resolution by – Lyle Hopkins
 2. Motion seconded by – Marty Typer
 3. Vote – All in favor

VI. Business & Communications

A. Unfinished Business

1. Project Status Report (see attached).
2. QBS Policy – County Engineer to attend meeting at IDOT District 2 office in November on QBS policy.

B. New Business

1. I.A.C.E. Legislative Committee –

- a. Governor has declared a Harvest Emergency for 2018. As such, local agencies may now issue permits for agricultural loads exceeding legal weights by up to 10%. Ogle County Highway Department is going to follow suit in the same manner as last year's harvest emergency.
 - b. Governor signed HB 5749 and this bill goes into effect in 2019. It is similar to the Harvest Emergency bill, but an emergency declaration by the governor is no longer needed. The bill states that IDOT shall issue permits for agricultural loads exceeding the posted weight limits by up to 10% between September 1st and December 31st for roads under their jurisdiction (except interstates). Bill allows for local agencies to do the same if they decide to do so. Ogle County Highway Department has yet to decide how they will handle these harvest permits in 2019.
2. I.A.C.E. Policy Committee – Nothing new to report. Meeting next week.
3. County Engineer inquired about the availability of the Committee for an annual projects tour in October 2018. The general consensus was to hold the tour on Thursday, October 4th beginning at 8:00 A.M. at the Ogle County Highway Department. The invitation will be extended to the Chairman and Vice-chairman.

4. Next Meeting – **Tuesday, October 9, 2018, @ 8:00 AM,**
Ogle County Courthouse, Room 100
Lettings: None Scheduled

VII. Public Comment

1. Lyle Hopkins stated that the barricades and signs along Milledgeville Rd kept most vehicles from parking on the soft shoulder last weekend.
2. Marty Typer requested the Highway Department's help with barricades for the Stillman Valley festival the weekend of September 22, 23 & 24.

VIII. Meeting adjourned at 8:37 A.M. by Chairman Colson.
Minutes submitted by Jeremy A. Ciesiel, PE



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1. 2018 Flagg Road Culvert Extensions (Contractor: O'Brien Civil Works)
 - a. Project underway. Working on both northern extensions.
 - b. Work completed: \$13,763. Remaining work: \$83,113
2. Pleasant Grove Rd Bridge Replacement (Contractor: Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$267,000. Remaining work: \$0.
3. Freeport Rd Gutter Relocations (Contractor: M&M Concrete)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$87,666. Remaining work: \$0.
4. Freeport Rd Overlay (Contractor: Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Mainline paving nearly complete. Driveways, intersections and striping remain.
 - b. Work completed: \$686,422. Remaining work: \$112,472.
5. Chana Rd Overlay (Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$415,290. Remaining work: \$0.
6. Flagg Rd Patching (Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$60,065. Remaining work: \$0.
7. Mt. Morris Twp Culvert Replacement
 - a. Culvert replaced and road open. Need to pave crossing closed and complete landscaping.
8. County Seal Coat (Steffens 3D Construction)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$418,000. Remaining work: \$0.
9. Township/Village Seal Coat (Civil Constructors & Steffens 3D)
 - a. Delivery and installation complete. Sweeping remaining.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$1,101,285. Remaining work: \$0.
10. County Crackfilling (Contractor: Complete Asphalt Service Company)
 - a. Project completed on May 2nd.
 - b. Work completed: \$137,875. Remaining work: \$0
11. Flagg Twp Paving (Rock Road Companies)
 - a. Project completed May 17th.
 - b. Work completed: \$101,378. Remaining work: \$0
12. Rockvale Twp Paving – Blackhawk Rd (Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$259,526. Remaining work: \$0.
13. Rockvale Twp Paving – West Grove Rd (Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$139,152. Remaining work: \$0

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14. Lynnville Twp Paving (Rock Road Companies)
 - a. Project completed May 23rd.
 - b. Work completed: \$105,902. Remaining work: \$0.
15. Oregon-Nashua Twp Paving (Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$101,231. Remaining work: \$0.
16. County Striping (Contractor: America's Parking Remarketing, Inc)
 - a. Work nearly complete. Approximately 1 or 2 days remaining.
 - b. Work completed: \$53,000. Remaining work: \$2,000
17. Freeport Rd Pipe Culverts & Grading (Day Labor)
 - a. Work complete.
18. County Patching (Day Labor)
 - a. Majority of patching complete.
19. Henry Rd Emergency Bridge Repair
 - a. Repair complete.
20. IDOT Project – IL Route 2 from Grand Detour to Oregon.
 - a. Working along entire length between Grand Detour and Oregon.
 - b. Northbound traffic detoured on to Ridge Rd and Pines Rd.
21. 6th Street Public Utilities (Contractor: Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Project let on June 8th. Contracts executed. Waiting for IEPA permits.
 - b. Project planned to begin after Autumn on Parade.
 - c. Work completed: \$0. Remaining work: \$166,725
22. City of Oregon Paving
 - a. Survey work complete. Working on design.
23. Kilbuck Rd Culvert Wingwall Repair
 - a. Repair project designed and quotes from area contractors were requested.
 - b. All quotes came in above the County's bid threshold. It needs to be determined if repair can wait until 2019 or if project should be altered to lower cost.
24. IDOT – Route 2 from Byron to Rockford
 - a. IDOT is continuing to gather environmental resource data (wetland delineation, archeological and historical cultural surveys, plant and animal habitat surveys) through the proposed corridor.
 - b. Engineering efforts are ongoing based on currently-known environmental data.
 - c. Next Community Advisory Group meeting tentatively scheduled for Spring 2019.
25. IDOT – Resurfacing Route 251 from Hillcrest to Winnebago County Line.
 - a. Work to begin August 13th. Work will likely continue into 2019.