



Ogle County Highway Department
Road & Bridge Committee
October 2021 Meeting Minutes

October 12, 2021

- I. Meeting called to order at 8:03 AM by Chairman Hopkins at the Ogle County Courthouse, Room 100.
Members present: Stan Asp, Dorothy Bowers, Lloyd Droege, Rick Fritz, Lyle Hopkins, Bruce McKinney and Dave Williams.
Members absent: None.
Others present: Jeremy Ciesiel (County Engineer)

- II. Approval of Minutes
 - A. Reviewed September 14, 2021 Road & Bridge Minutes.
 1. Motion to approve minutes by – Bowers
 2. Motion seconded by – Asp
 3. Vote – All in favor.

- III. Reviewed Bills and Payroll
 - A. Motion to approve Highway Dept bills and payrolls by – Bowers
 - B. Motion seconded by – Droege
 - C. Vote – All in favor.

- IV. Received Bids
 - A. None this month.

- V. Petitions and Resolutions
 - A. None this month.

- VI. Business & Communications
 - A. Unfinished Business
 1. COVID-19 Update: No positive test results and no quarantines since last meeting.
 2. Project Status Report (see attached).
 3. 2021-2022 Salt Update: Illinois CMS is in the process of awarding salt contracts resulting from their September letting. Based on available information, salt prices are just above last year's pricing.
 4. Road & Bridge Tour – County Engineer thanked the county board members that were able to take the tour of road & bridge projects on October 5th. We had a total of 7 board members on the tour. Special thanks to LOTS for providing transportation.

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- B. New Business
1. I.A.C.E. Legislative Committee – No Update. Still waiting on direction from IDOT regarding the removal of MFT from GATA.
 2. I.A.C.E. Policy Committee
 - a. Last two REBUILD Illinois distributions expected by July 2022.
 - b. IL Works Job Program – Apprenticeship Initiative on certain projects.
 3. County Engineer summarized the larger 2022 projects on the County system
 - a. Mt. Morris Rd paving, Montague Rd (east) paving, Sterling Rd paving, Ridge Rd culvert replacement, Pecatonica Rd culvert replacement, and Lowell Park Rd culvert work.
 4. Next Meeting – **Tuesday, November 9, 2021, @ 8:00 AM,**
Lettings: None

VII. Public Comment:

- Chairman Finfrock thanked the County Engineer for the Road & Bridge tour last week. He was pleased to happen across two crews of county personnel actively working on local projects.
- Lyle Hopkins had a meeting with the Eagle Point Township Road Commissioner and a property owner in Eagle Point Township. An agreement was made regarding the removal of trees from the right of way of Milledgeville Rd. Chairman Hopkins mentioned that there is also an oak tree further down the road that could use trimming as well.

VIII. Meeting adjourned at 8:27 A.M. by Chairman Hopkins.
Minutes submitted by Jeremy A. Ciesiel, PE



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1. 2020/21 Structure Repairs – Various Roads (19-00323-01-BR) (Contr: Martin & Co)
 - a. Lowell Park Rd & Mt. Morris Rd bridges complete.
 - b. Work complete: \$131,214. Remaining work: \$0.
2. Maple Grove Rd Culvert Replacement (Section 19-16120-00-BR) (Contr: Martin & Co)
 - a. New structure is in place. Need to backfill and perform road work.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$260,000. Remaining work: ~\$0.
3. Kennedy Hill Rd Gutter Improvement (Section 21-00338-00-CG) (Contr: Stenstrom Exc.)
 - a. Work to take place fall 2021.
 - b. Work completed: \$121,045. Remaining work: \$8,645.
4. Flagg Rd Culvert Structural Upgrade (Section 20-00335-00-BR) (Contr: Martin & Co)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$105,650. Remaining work: \$0.
5. Meridian Rd Culvert Extensions (Section 20-00336-00-BR) (Contr: O'Brien Civil Works)
 - a. Project complete. A utility conflict required force account work to resolve the issue that resulted in a 6% increase.
 - b. Work completed: \$27,628. Remaining work: \$0.
6. Meridian Rd Overlay (Section 17-00317-00-RS) (Contr: William Charles Construction)
 - a. Project is complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$949,615. Remaining work: \$0.
7. Flagg Rd Overlay (Section 20-00329-00-RS) (Contr: Martin & Co)
 - a. Paving began the week of August 29th. Mainline paving should be complete the week of September 6th.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$535,000. Remaining work: ~\$0.
8. Highway Department Salt Shed Paving (Contr. Martin & Company Excavating)
 - a. Work complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$50,874. Remaining work: \$0.
9. County Seal Coat (Section 21-00000-02-GM) (Contr: Steffens 3-D Construction)
 - a. Seal coat placement complete. Some sweeping remaining.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$435,200. Remaining work: \$0.
10. Twp/Village Seal Coat (Section 21-XX000-00-GM) (Contr: Steffens/Civil/AC Pavement)
 - a. All seal coat placement by Civil Constructors, Steffens 3D and A.C. Pavement Striping is complete. Some sweeping remains.
 - b. Steffens work completed: ~\$794,570. Remaining work: \$0.
 - c. Civil work completed: ~\$728,410. Remaining work: \$0.
 - d. A.C. Pavement Striping work completed: ~\$39,950. Remaining work: \$0.
11. County Crack Sealing (Sec 21-00000-04-GM) (Contr: Denler, Inc.)
 - a. Work completed on May 14th. Due to additional pavement distress noted in Spring, approximately 15% to the project.
 - b. Work Completed: \$112,544. Remaining work: \$0

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12. Flagg Twp Paving – Deer Creek Estates (Section 21-06000-01-GM) (Contr: Martin & Co)
 - a. Paving complete.
 - b. Work completed: ~\$60,390. Remaining work: \$0.
13. Rockvale Twp Paving – Town Hall Rd & Silver Creek Rd (Section 21-21000-00-GM)
 - a. Contractor: Martin & Company Excavating.
 - b. Paving complete.
 - c. Work completed: \$434,298. Remaining work: \$0.
14. Oregon-Nashua Twp Paving – Oregon Trail Rd (Section 21-26000-00-GM)
 - a. Contractor: Martin & Company Excavating.
 - b. Contracts executed. Paving to be completed in September.
 - c. Work completed: \$0. Remaining work: \$87,590.
15. Leaf River Twp Paving – Mt. Morris Rd (Section 21-10122-00-FP)
 - a. Contractor: Helm Civil
 - b. Paving complete.
 - c. Work completed: \$43,240. Remaining work: \$0.
16. Flagg Twp Microsurfacing – Skare Rd (Section 21-06000-02-GM) (Contr: Struck & Irwin)
 - a. Project complete.
 - b. Work completed: \$52,504. Remaining work: \$0.
17. County Striping (Contractor: America’s Parking Remarketing)
 - a. Work to take place in September. Paint has been delivered.
 - b. Work completed: \$50,140. Remaining work: \$0
18. Various County Pipe Culverts & Grading (Day Labor) – (Supplier: Metal Culverts)
 - a. Pipe letting in February 2021.
 - b. Pipe Delivered: \$33,550. Remaining: \$0.
19. Union Road Milling – Contractor: Martin & Company Excavating
 - a. Profile milling of Union Rd from IL Route 64 to Haldane Rd.
 - b. Work completed: 11,100. Remaining: \$0.
20. County Patching (Day Labor)
21. 2021/2022 Bridge Inspections
 - a. Inspections currently being performed.

Total work under contract: \$5,073,157
Total contracted work completed: \$4,976,922 (~98%)
Remaining 2021 contracted work: \$96,235 (~2%)