

PIKE COUNTY ROAD TASK FORCE MINUTES  
March 16, 2023

1. **CALL TO ORDER:** 2:00 pm
2. **ROLL CALL:** Mike Mrozinski, Brian Snyder, Keith Raser, Jeff Luongo, Tim Rohner, Commissioner Tony Waldron, Rich Bailo, Ken Coutts, Daniel Yelito, Jon Mee, Bob Myers, Jill Gamonbi, Charles DeFebo, Evelyn DiLorenzo, Representative Probst, Rocco DiPietro and Ellen Enslin
3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**— None
4. **APPROVAL of MINUTES-MOTION:** by Tim Rohner, seconded by Bob Myers, to approve the minutes of February 16, 2023. **VOTE:** All Members voted "aye". Motion approved.
5. **CORRESPONDENCE** – None
6. **PennDOT UPDATES** – See attached - Jeff Luongo stated that there are funds remaining for High Friction Surface Treatment projects. He asked Brian Snyder to send him an email with possible locations and the engineers at District 4 will review the locations to see if they are eligible.
7. **COUNTY/MUNICIPAL UPDATES** – None
8. **OLD BUSINESS** – None
9. **NEW BUSINESS** –
  - a. Matamoras Bridge – Brian Snyder shared the plans for the proposed improvements to the Matamoras Bridge. The plans show replacing the open grate decking with light weight concrete and painting the bridge.
  - b. Route 6 Façade Program – Mike Mrozinski shared that the Route 6 Alliance is seeking letters of support for their grant application to seek funding to create a façade program in both Pike and Wayne Counties. This program would be open to all areas of Pike and Wayne Counties and not just along Route 6.
10. **COOPERATING AGENCY REPORTS**
  - a. Pike County Transportation Report – Not in attendance
  - b. Legislative Updates – None
  - c. Bridges – Not in attendance
  - d. School Districts –Not in attendance
  - e. National Park Service – Not in attendance
  - f. NEPA/MPO/LTAP/Other – Dan Yelito stated that the NEPA MPO has started the update process to the Long-Range Transportation Plan and there will be outreach meetings in each County as part of the process. Dan also stated that his office is working with the MPO Counties to address comments received on the Functional Classification proposal. He also stated that PennDOT has published a public survey for the States 12-year Transportation Funding Plan and the survey is open till April 30<sup>th</sup>.

11. **MISCELLANEOUS** – Ellen Enslin stated several municipalities have representatives that need to take the required 5-year training to be eligible for Dirt & Gravel Road funds. This is a two-day course offered several times a year. Also, if a municipality has a project they would like to discuss please contact her and schedule a time to meet.

Representative Probst stated that at the recent Lehman Township Supervisors meeting the Board asked her to contact PennDOT and state that Lehman Township is against the proposed tar & chipping of SR 2001 that is proposed for this construction season. Jeff Luongo asked how was against this project and why. Representative Probst stated the Township Supervisors voted unanimously against this project and do not want the project done. Jeff stated that he will share this information with the district executives because they are the ones who decide on what projects are completed. He also stated that tar & chipping the roadway will preserve the road by sealing it the wearing surface to reduce the water penetration. This roadway was recently reconstructed and PennDOT is trying to protect their investment.

12. **ADJOURNMENT** - MOTION: by Tim Rohner, seconded by Bob Myers, to adjourn the Road Task Force meeting. VOTE: All Members voted "aye". Motion approved.

The next regular meeting of the Pike County Road Task Force will be held on April 20, 2023 at 2:00 PM.