Town Highway Committee Meeting

Tuesday September 13th 2022

6:00 pm

1. Chairman Jochimsen called the meeting to order at 6:13pm.
2. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll Call: Kurt Jochimsen, Chairman

Leonard Austin, Town Board Supervisor

Paul Drexler, Town Board Supervisor

Luke Serwe, Roads Supervisor

Alexandra Skaya, Clerk

Stephanie Christensen

Joe Kiwak

Brandon Kaiser

1. Current Project Updates
   1. Big Rapids Road – had some washouts at the beginning of the month, but now has been finished. Budgeted $13,000. Final Cost $12,898
   2. Schnelle Road – has been completed. Budgeted $5000 – Final Cost $3410.68
   3. Maryel – has been completed. Budgeted $40,000 – Final Cost $57472.39
   4. Eau Pleine Culvert – Clerk will contact about final billing
   5. Balsam – will not be working on this project this year. Still have not heard back from federal funding. Possibly look into blacktopping 2 miles on top of the current road. Ditches need to be improved and minimize the shoulders.
   6. Luke has been working on the Road Rd Bridge – since town is no longer doing Balsam Rd project then this will be added to the road improvement loan.
2. 2023 Project List
   1. The committee started to form a list of projects that could be put onto the agenda for next years road work.
      1. Siedel Road to Rock Road – The shoulders would need to be ripped out and ditches cleaned and soft spots fixed. This would be about 300ft of work with estimated cost of $12000.
      2. Old 97 – Pioneer – dig out the soft spots. This is a smaller project and estimated at about $5000.
      3. Moline Road – large soft spot (80-90ft) Dig out and lift – estimated cost $6000.
      4. Holtman Road (from Big Rapids to Breit Road) – ditches would need to be dug and soft spots fixed. Larger project with an estimated at about $40000.
      5. River Road & Eau Pleine Road – both need some maintenance, needs repairs and ditching. Estimated cost $30000.
      6. With putting Balsam Rd on hold, Luke will look into possibly doing some ditching on Holtmann Rd and Balsam road which would be included on the 2022 road improvement loan.
3. Comments or concerns - none
4. Correspondence - none
5. Motion (Christensen/Kaiser) to adjourn at 6:54 pm. Motion Carried

Alexandra Skaya, Clerk on September 14th, 2022

Next Town Highway Committee Meeting October 11th 2022