

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CHEBOYGAN COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION FEBRUARY 11, 2015

Engineer/Manager Brent Shank called the Special Meeting of the Cheboygan County Road Commission for Annual Township Meetings at 8:30 A.M.

Engineer/Manager Shank took roll call and a Quorum was present.

Pledge of Allegiance was cited.

PRESENT: K. Paquet, D. Spray, J. Johnson, C. O'Conner, and Engineer/Manager B. Shank

Absent: D. Brown (excused), Clerk D. Stempky (excused)

HEBRON TOWNSHIP 8:30 A.M.

VISITORS: Chum Ostwald, Kourtny Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks

- 516 yards of gravel left
- Chum asked if more gravel was going to be crushed and the township was interesting in having some more made, approximately 500 yards could be used to keep the stock pile built up.
- Chum asked about what could be done with the water situation in the Hebron Town Hall Road, and there was a large discussion on that topic. General answer from Shane was the large amount of rainfall last summer and fall was mostly to blame, and possibility of failed culverts. Shane will investigate.
- Chum also was questioning the water problem on Potter Rd., Shane did state that a resident at the end of the Road did remove a beaver dam, and that seemed to help with lowering the water.
- The township will continue the early summer brining efforts.
- Chum is extremely happy with the snow plowing efforts

BEAUGRAND TOWNSHIP 9:00 A.M.

VISITORS: Kourtny Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Mike & Marcia Rochleau

- 3705 yards of gravel in Meyers pit left, don't order anymore.
- Marcia stated that the township doesn't have the funds for any bigger projects but would entertain the idea of some preventative maintenance (crack sealing, ditching efforts and brushing)
- Shane stated if time allows, brushing and gravel for Campbell Rd was on his list for maintenance. Also crack sealing if Inverness Trail Rd from Old Mackinaw Rd to Riggsville Rd, may be a good preventative maintenance project.
- Marcia may want to have more crack sealing, but would like to see the cost per mile.
- Shane, stated that the majority of paved roads in the township are in decent shape.
- Mike and Marcia complimented Shane and his crew on the efforts put forth.

MACKINAW TOWNSHIP 9:35 A.M.

VISITORS: Kourtney Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Donna Falor

- Donna stated that there will be no projects for, maybe, the next 3 years. Wallick Rd project took up more money than expected.
- Shane asked if there was any funds for any crack sealing, Donna stated no funds for that either.
- Status of turn around in Carlin Subdivision, the agreement is in the works, but awaiting the property owner to sign the agreement.
- Shane said that Potter Rd brushing was complete.
- Shane will continue with general maintenance.

MUNRO TOWNSHIP 9:50 A.M.

VISITORS: Kourtney Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Charlie Antkoviak, Paul Nows, Ron Neuman, Bernie Schramm

- 1000 yards of gravel left in Blaskowski pit, township would like to have 1500 additional yards made and would like to see some Afton stone put on the some of the clay roads. The township needs to get back to the Road Commission with the budgeted amount for the Afton stone.
- Shane applied roughly 1100 yards of gravel on the township roads last summer and thinks that the Afton stone is a good idea, trucking distance is the major concern.
- Charlie had questions about a possible project for improvements on South Extension Rd. Also a possible water problem on Koepke Rd.
- The township thinks the Road Commission is doing an excellent job on maintenance last year.

INVERNESS TOWNSHIP 10:10 A.M.

VISITORS: Kourtney Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Ron Neuman, Bernie Schramm

- 1942 yards of gravel left, township is not happy with the amount of clay that was in the last batch of gravel.
- Large discussion on Inverness Trail Rd into the Township Transfer Station, possible fixes.
- Township will be brining, this year's cost? Road commission hasn't let for bidding yet.
- Township asked the status of the safety grant for Mullett Lake Rd, application was pulled for an unknown reason, Engineer/Manager Shank will investigate.
- Township asked if the Road Commission has their own Crack Sealer? No, it is currently more cost effective to bid this out, rough budgetary cost is \$2900 a mile.

RECESS AT 10:30 UNTIL THE NEXT TOWNSHIP ARRIVES

RESUME TO SESSION AT 11:00AM

BENTON TOWNSHIP 11:00 A.M.

VISITORS: Kourtney Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Andy Archambo

- 7328 yards of gravel in Meyers pit, no more will be needed this year.
- Large discussion on how to better a few of the roads around the townhall, and transfer station.
- Township would like to have some more brushing on S. River Rd, Shane needs specific areas.
- Shane has a large list of road to crack seal, and township would like to see a dollar amount for the work to be completed.
- The township appreciates all the hard work by Shane and his crew.

RECESS AT 11:20 A.M. FOR LUNCH UNTIL THE NEXT TOWNSHIP ARRIVES

RESUME TO SESSION AT 12:00 P.M.

MULLETT TOWNSHIP 12:00 P.M.

VISITORS : Kourtney Hahn, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Maryanne Gale, Harold Koviak

- She congratulated the Road Commission on the Road Mileage being passed. Also she really likes the idea of the RoadSoft being used for road evaluations.
- The Township would like to have Patterson Rd Sealed Coated, has been waiting for 3 years.
- Status update on Devereaux Lake Rd: the project was shortened do to funding short fall, which will leave a gap between projects, township is interesting in funding the project for the gapped area, and they would like to see the estimated cost for the township board, and will get back to the Road Commission.
- Brining will be the same as last year.
- Maryanne presented a list of projects that the township is trying to complete, a street-scape in Tobinabee, and a project for upgrading some things along the DNR trail, and Sutherland Street project.

BURT TOWNSHIP 12:30 P.M.

VISITORS : Kourtney Hahn, Shane Redmond, Greg Bunker, Travis Horrocks, Harold Koviak

- 1011 yards of gravel left, would like to have Afton Stone instead of the Heavy Clay mix that has been used.
- Harold asked about having a possible project done on Feather Lane and Mullett-Burt Rd, would like to see a something temporary done until funding is available.
- Indian Pt Rd has ponding on the surface, and a discussion was had about the possible fixes.
- Township would like to have brushing completed on Poxon Rd and Weatherhead Rd. Also some crack sealing on Needles Rd. Possible seal coating on Maple-Bay Rd.

GRANT TOWNSHIP 1:30 P.M.

VISITORS : Kourtny Hahn, Shane Redmond, Rod Ison, Shane Redmond, Travis Horrocks, Gil Archambo, Judy Chimner

- 2662 Gravel left in Meyers Pit, Township doesn't need any more gravel made at this time
- Rod would like to complete some upgrading at the end of Zolner Rd.
- The Township would like to have some tree trimming along Chamberlain and Hansen Roads, and on Abby Rd
- Also some gravel put on the washboards on Twin Lakes Rd
- Township wants to have the concrete removed at the road end at Zolner Rd and Black Lake. The Road Commission needs to Contact the MDEQ, before any work is completed to ensure proper protocol.
- Gil would like to thank Shane and Rod for their efforts.

FOREST TOWNSHIP 2:00 P.M.

VISITORS : Kourtny Hahn, Rod Ison, Travis Horrocks, Pam Crowe, Tim Paulus

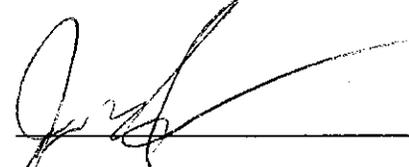
- No Gravel, township purchases as needed.
- A large discussion on how the Number of employees at the Tower/Waverly Garage, seems understaffed.
- Would like to have more mowing and brushing, haven't seen much in the past few years.
- Township has no project in the future, just concentrate on maintenance.
- Township will be brining the same as last year.
- Pam & Tim had praises for Rod and his crew with their efforts put forth.

WAVERLY TOWNSHIP 2:30 P.M.

VISITORS : Kourtny Hahn, Rod Ison, Travis Horrocks, Becky Hyde

- No gravel, purchase as needed
- Rod discussed a few projects, County Line Rd reconstruction, Kisser Rd ditching, shoulder graving of Barclay and Twin School roads.
- Becky also feels that the Tower/Waverly Garage is understaffed.
- Township feels that Rod and Crew are doing a great job

MEETING ADJORNED AT 2:40 P.M. by Chairman James Johnson



James S. Johnson, Chairman



Travis Horrocks, Acting Clerk