

Ford County Highway Committee Minutes

The Ford County Highway Committee met on March 05, 2025 at the Ford County Highway Department in Roberts, Illinois.

Present at this regular scheduled meeting were Chairman Tim Nuss, Kelsie Vaughn and Lesley King. County Engineer Greg Perkinson was also present. Mr. Nuss called the meeting to order at 7:00 a.m.

Mrs. King moved to accept the Agenda. Seconded by Mr. Nuss. Motion passed.

First on the agenda was the review of February 05, 2025 minutes. Mrs. King moved and Mrs. Vaughn seconded the motion that they be approved. Motion passed.

Public Comment:

Mr. Howard Haley, from Kempton, asked about the schedule for resurfacing Kempton Road and Cabery Road. He commented that both roads have needed resurfacing for several years. Mr. Perkinson commented that the plans for resurfacing are being made by a consultant. Bridge designs are a priority for the consultant and the resurfacing plans are not complete.

February bills were read and presented by Mr. Perkinson. Mr. Nuss moved and Mrs. Vaughn seconded the motion to send the bills to the full board. Motion passed.

The committee then reviewed the fund balance report and the highway appropriations and expenses report.

Old Business:

Mr. Perkinson informed the committee of the activities at the County Highway Department during the month of February and will provide a written report for the full board.

Discussed progress on the Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) for Public Transportation with Livingston and Iroquois Counties

New Business:

Next Meeting will be **Wednesday April 09, 2025 at 7:00 a.m.**

Resolutions:

The Professional Services Agreement for Bridge Inspections was reviewed. The agreement includes \$60,400 for HLR services and \$10,285 for Crane rental services (a snooper) for inspection under three bridges.

The resolution to accept the low bids from the Township Motor Fuel Tax letting on February 27, 2025 was reviewed. The total amount accepted is \$2,373,431.98.

The resolution for Maintenance and the Estimate of Maintenance Costs for County MFT work was reviewed. The documents obligate \$1,012,200 for 2025.

It was moved by Mr. Nuss and seconded by Mrs. King to send to the full board. Motion passed.

Having no further items to discuss, Mrs. King moved to adjourn at 8:05 am. Seconded by Mrs. Vaughn. Motion passed.