

MINUTES OF THE BAYFIELD COUNTY HIGHWAY COMMITTEE  
June 6, 2018

The regular meeting of the Bayfield County Highway Committee was called to order by Chairman Crandall at 5:00 PM on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at the Highway Office in Washburn. Present were Committee Members Fickbohm, Milanowski, Oswald and Maki, and Commissioner Johanik.

July meeting has been cancelled. The next meeting was scheduled for August 1, 2018.

Motion by Maki / Fickbohm and carried to approve the amended minutes of the May 2, 2018 meeting of the Bayfield County Highway Committee. Amendments include: Fickbohm to nominate Maki for Vice chair. Motion by Oswald to close nomination and cast a unanimous vote for Maki. Motion by Maki to nominate Maki to the Executive Committee.

Vouchers were audited. Motion by Maki / Milanowski and carried to approve vouchers totaling \$413,937.19.

Public Input: 1) STH 13, between Washburn and Bayfield, concern with the ditches. Commissioner is scheduled to meet with the State to discuss. 2) STH 13, Sioux River Flat, a dead white pine was left by the contractors. If the contractors do not return to finish the job highway crew will cut the tree. 3) STH 13, Sioux River bridge, highway is filling the holes with concrete. The bridge is being monitored by the State.

Commissioner reported Town of Pilsen was approved for the bridge project. Construction 2-3 years out.

Commissioner reported the County Board approved the remaining 2 miles on CTH N to be completed this year along with the CTH N and CTH Y project. Paul will sign the contract with Northwoods Paving. Project scheduled to start in August. Approximate timeframe: 2 weeks to place gravel - highway crew, 1 week to pulverize and 2 weeks to pave - Northwoods Paving. Northwoods plant will be set up off STH 27 in Barnes. We will be using the remaining gravel from the Ruth Lake Pit. Will be asking for gravel crushing bids this fall.

Commissioner reported highway crew is shouldering on CTH I and CTH J. Gravel is from Sand River pit, we will be using the remaining gravel.


Committee input: Iron River citizen concerned about highway trucks going through Iron River fast and making a lot of noise while on their way to the bridge project. Commissioner explained Bayfield County is not working on the bridge project but will check into any other activity by highway crew.

Nolander Road / STH 13 property discussed at the May meeting was looked at, several issues are being addressed that could help with the flooding.

Committee Member Maki inquired as to the status of the voids in the 2017 CTH M paving. The Commissioner reported that crack filling was done and to date has seemed to work. Eric Brye, Northwoods Paving, will continue to monitor.

The meeting adjourned at 6:00 P.M.

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Paul Johanik, Highway Commissioner  
Bayfield County Highway Department