

## Minutes of the Transportation Committee

The Transportation Committee of the McLean County Board met on Tuesday, January 3, 2017 at 8:00 a.m. in Room 400, Government Center, 115 East Washington Street, Bloomington, Illinois.

Members Present: Chairman Caisley, Members Metsker, Martin, and Robustelli

Members Absent: Buchanan, Cavallini and Johnson

Other Members Present: None

Staff Members Present: Mr. Bill Wasson, County Administrator, Ms. Hannah Eisner, Assistant County Administrator, Mr. Don Knapp, First Assistant State's Attorney Civil, Ms. Diana Hospelhorn, Recording Secretary

Department Heads Present: Mr. Jerry Stokes, County Engineer, Mr. Luke Hohulin, Assistant County Engineer

Others Present: Mr. Jeramiah Huston, Village of Carlock, President

Chairman Caisley requested to proceed out of order and introduced Mr. Jerimiah Huston, Village of Carlock, President under Members of the Public. He invited Mr. Huston to address the Committee.

Mr. Huston thanked the Committee and pointed out the need for flashing lights to reduce the school zone speed at Carlock grade school. Two portable school zone signs have been hit by traffic in the Carlock school zone area. School zone flashing lights would alert drivers of a 20 mph zone and will reduce speed in the school zone improving pedestrian safety. He pointed out that it is a county road and the County has offered to enter into an intergovernmental agreement with Carlock paying for the signs and the County installing and maintaining the signs. This proposal has been presented to the Carlock board twice and failed both times. He is asking the Committee if there is possibly a solution to satisfy concerned parents. Mr. Huston asked if:

1. The County can pay the cost of \$2,500 each for two signs or
2. The County can pay \$2,500 for one sign and Carlock pay for the other.

Mr. Robustelli ask the reason the Carlock Board rejected the proposed Intergovernmental Agreement. Mr. Huston responded that the board does not currently have the funds to cover the cost of the flashing signs.

Chairman Caisley asked the number of students attending the school. Mr. Huston responded that less than 100 students currently attend Carlock school with eight students using the crosswalk to the school.

Ms. Metsker asked the result of contact with the school district. Mr. Huston responded that Carlock school has entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement with Unit 5 School District. Unit 5 is currently paying for a crossing guard one hour in the morning and one hour in the afternoon. Ms. Metsker asked if this option is not acceptable to the parents. Mr. Huston stated that the parents would like the flashing lights as well.

Mr. Robustelli asked if this intersection meets the needed standards for a flashing light. Mr. Stokes responded that there is not a threshold for determining the need for a flashing light. He stated that in 2012 Danvers contacted the Department with this same issue at Olympia. The school district was requesting the flashing signs. The County entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement with the School District paying for the signs and the County installing and maintaining them. This process was repeated with Olympia School District at the high school.

Mr. Stokes stated that there are 20 locations in McLean County that this could impact. With the cost of \$2,500 each, this is \$50,000 that the Department would have to find in addition to the maintenance responsibilities taken on. The best possible scenario is an Intergovernmental Agreement with the School District paying for the signs and the County installing and maintaining them.

After discussion, and a pictorial of the area, it was the consensus of the Committee that Mr. Huston contact Unit 5 School District and correspond with Mr. Stokes, Administration and State's Attorney to see if an agreement can be made and a possible recommendation be presented to the Transportation Committee at a later date.

Chairman Caisley presented the bills for December 31, 2016. The prepaid total is \$526,160.80.


**MCLEAN COUNTY BOARD COMMITTEE REPORT**

AS OF 1/2/2017

**EXPENDITURE SUMMARY BY FUND**

**Transportation Committee**

FUND	FUND TITLE	PENDING TOTAL	PREPAID TOTAL	FUND TOTAL
0006	SHOW BUS		\$290,000.00	\$290,000.00
0120	HIGHWAY		\$106,938.97	\$106,938.97
0121	BRIDGE MATCHING FUND		\$77,245.19	\$77,245.19
0123	MOTOR FUEL TAX		\$24,492.73	\$24,492.73
0501	TOWNSHIP MOTOR FUEL TAX		\$27,483.91	\$27,483.91
			<u>\$526,160.80</u>	<u>\$526,160.80</u>

  
COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

Motion by Metsker/Robustelli recommend payment of the December 31, 2016 bills as submitted by the County Auditor.

Motion carried.

Chairman Caisley stated that the first item for action is the Resolution and Bid Tab for the December 21, 2016 Letting for 2017 County MFT Maintenance Materials and 2017 Township Road District (RD) MFT Maintenance and 2017 County Non-MFT Maintenance Materials.

Mr. Stokes advised that the MFT Maintenance materials will be used throughout 2017 for various maintenance primarily on roadways and are paid from the MFT Fund. The Non MFT materials are used for bridges and culverts and are typically paid out of the Bridge Fund. The materials are Freight of Board where the material is obtained directly from the supplier. He stated that Metal Culverts, Inc. was the low bidder for supplying metal culverts of various sizes for the County and Township projects. Contech Engineered Solutions was the low bidder for supplying plastic pipe of various sizes for repair of tile or other related drainage work. Mr. Stokes recommended the approval of the following bids:

2017 MFT Maintenance Sections:

McLean County Section 17-00000-00-GM GR 3

The successful bidders on the above Section were:

Lowery excavating, Inc.	\$7.50 per Ton		\$3,750.00
26251 Townline Rd, Tremont, IL 62568		Tremont, IL	
Rowe Construction	\$10.50 per Ton		\$5,250.00
A Division of United Contractors Midwest Inc.			
P O Box 609, Bloomington, IL 61702-0609		Carmichael	
Stark Materials	\$10.50 per Ton		\$5,250.00
1805 W. Washington St, Bloomington, IL 61701		Becker	
Carri Scharf Materials	\$11.00 per Ton		\$5,875.00
7 Carri Dr, Bloomington, IL 61705		Heyworth	
Valley View Industries	\$13.50 per Ton		\$6,750.00
8785 E 2500 North Rd, Cornell, IL 61319		McDowell	
VCNA Prairie Aggregates	\$13.70 per Ton		\$6,850.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740		Pontiac	

McLean County Sec 17-00000-00-GM GR 4

The successful bidders on the above section were:

Miller Materials, Inc.	\$7.50 per Ton		\$56,250.00
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307 W first St – PO Box 289 Mackinaw, IL 61755-0289		Staker Pit	
Lowery Excavating, Inc. \$7.50 per Ton			\$56,250.00
26251 Townline Rd, Tremont, IL 62568		Mackinaw	
Valley View Industries \$11.10per Ton			\$83,250.00
8785 E 2500 North Rd, Cornell, IL 61319		Ifft	
Rowe Construction \$11.50 per Ton			\$86,250.00
A Division of United Contractors Midwest Inc.			
P O Box 609, Bloomington, IL 61702-0609		Carmichael	
Carri Scharf Materials \$12.50 per Ton			\$93750.00
7 Carri Dr, Bloomington, IL 61705		Heyworth	
VCNA Prairie Aggregates \$12.60 per Ton			\$94,500.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740		Pontiac	
Stark Materials \$12.95 per Ton			\$97,125.00
1805 W. Washington St, Bloomington, IL 61701		Sholty	

McLean County Sec 17-00000-00-GM GR 4A

The successful bidders on the above section were:

HJ Eppel & Co, Inc. \$8.00 per Ton			\$800.00
1400 Tuesburg Ct, Pontiac, IL 61764		Pontiac	
Rowe Construction \$9.00 per Ton			\$900.00
A Division of United Contractors Midwest Inc.			
P O Box 609, Bloomington, IL 61702-0609		Rowe Yard	
Stark Materials \$10.35 per Ton			\$1,035.00
1805 W. Washington St, Bloomington, IL 61701		Commercial	

Cheney's Grove RD Sec 17-08000-00-GM GR 14

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Limestone Transit, Inc. \$19.15 per Ton			\$19,150.00
1206 W Oak St, PO Box 80, Fairbury, IL 61739-0080			

Downs RD Sec 17-14000-00 GM GR 14

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Hansen Custom Farming \$21.97 per Ton			\$8,788.00
PO Box 169, Melvin, IL 60952-0169			

Downs RD Sec 17-14000-00-GM GR 15

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Reynolds Express Hansen Custom Farming \$19.55 per Ton			\$3,910.00
308 W North St PO Box 72, Colfax, IL 61728-0072			

Martin RD Sec 17-22000-00-GM GR14

The successful bidders on the above section were:

Donald Hansom	\$17.09	\$6,836.00
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2017 Non MFT Maintenance Section:

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 3A

The successful bidders on the above section were:

VCNA Prairie Aggregates	\$13.70 per Ton	\$2,740.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740	Pontiac	
Valley View Industries, Inc.	\$14.50 per Ton	\$2,900.00
8785 E 2500 North Rd, Cornell, IL 61319	McDowell	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 5

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Central Stone Co	\$9.00 per Ton	\$4,500.00
46445 Sweetbay Ln, Hannibal, MO	Florence Quarry	
Valley View Industries, Inc.	\$12.50 per Ton	\$6,250.00
8785 E 25.. North Rd, Cornell, IL 61319	Ifft	
VCNA Prairie Aggregates	\$1625 per Ton	\$8,125.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740	Pontiac	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 6 - Grad 4

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Central Stone Co	\$15.00 per Ton	\$7,500.00
46445 Sweetbay Ln, Hannibal, MO	Florence Quarry	
VCNA Prairie Aggregates	\$35.00 per Ton	\$17,775.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740	Pontiac	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 6A - Grad 5

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Central Stone Co	\$15.00 per Ton	\$7,500.00
46445 Sweetbay Ln, Hannibal, MO	Florence Quarry	
VCNA Prairie Aggregates	\$36.75 per Ton	\$18,375.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740	Pontiac	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 6B - Grad 3

The successful bidders on the above section were:

Central Stone Co	\$15.00 per Ton	\$7,500.00
46445 Sweetbay Ln, Hannibal, MO	Florence Quarry	
VCNA Prairie Aggregates	\$33.10 per Ton	\$16,550.00
15256 E 1200 North Rd, Pontiac, IL 61740	Pontiac	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 9

The successful bidders on the above section were:

HJ Eppel & Co, Inc.	\$68.00 per Ton	\$34,000.00
1400 Tuesburg Ct, Pontiac, IL 61764		

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McLean County Asphalt Co, Inc.	\$82.00 per Ton	\$41,000.00
1100 W Marker Street		
PO Box 3547, Bloomington, IL 61702-3547	Yuton	

River City Supply	\$95.00 per Ton	\$47,500.00
1523 N Cottage Ave PO Box 609		
Bloomington, IL 61702-0609	Northtown Rd	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 19

The successful bidders on the above section were:

Lowery Excavating, Inc.	\$3.50 per Ton	\$7,000.00
26251 Townline Rd, Tremont, IL 61568	Mackinaw	

Miller Materials, Inc	\$4.00 per Ton	\$8,000.00
307 W First St, PO Box 289		
Mackinaw, IL 61755-0289	Striker Pit	

Rowe Construction	\$5.00 per Ton	\$10,000.00
A Division of United Contractors Midwest Inc.		
P O Box 609, Bloomington, IL 61702-0609	Carmichael	

Carri Scharf Materials	\$7.50 per Ton	\$15,000.00
7 Carri Dr, Bloomington, IL 61705	Heyworth	

Stark Materials	\$7.50 per Tom	\$15,000.00
1805 W Washington St, Bloomington, IL 6171	Becker	

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 22 Culvert Pipe

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Metal Culverts, Inc.		\$291,211.15
PO Box 330, Jefferson City, MO 65102		

McLean County                      Sec 2017 Non-MFT                      GR 22A – PVC Culv Pipe

The successful bidder on the above section was:

Contech Engineered Solutions		\$25,919.95
1509 W Mt Vernon St, Metamora, IL 61548		

Mr. Stokes gave a brief explanation of the different grades of aggregate.

Motion by Robustelli/Martin to recommend approval of the Resolution and Bid Tab for the December 21, 2016 Letting for 2017 County MFT Maintenance Materials and 2017 Township Road District (RD) MFT Maintenance and 2017 County Non-MFT Maintenance Materials, excluding 2017 MFT Maintenance Sections: McLean County, 17-00000-00-GM GR 4.

Motion carried.

Motion by Robustelli/Metsker to recommend approval of 2017 MFT Maintenance Sections: McLean County, 17-00000-00-GM GR 4.

Motion carried with Member Martin abstaining.

Chairman Caisley continued with the Engineering Services Agreement – Farnsworth Group for the Rhinehart Bridge – Sec 16-19119-BR 2000 North Road – Hudson/Normal Township.

Mr. Stokes reported that the structure is located on 2000 North Road. The existing structure, a double barrel concrete box culvert built in 1950 is showing significant cracking and deterioration on the wingwalls and center wall. There is also widespread cracking throughout the structure. He noted that the double barrel concrete box culvert, after drainage calculations and analysis, may be replaced with a triple barrel concrete box culvert. Mr. Stokes stated that the project is planned as a Township Bridge Program (TBP) project to be constructed in late 2018. The project is located on the Township line between Hudson and Normal Township. The breakdown is:

- 80% TBP funds
- 10% Mclean County
- 5% Hudson Township
- 5% Normal Township

The cost of the engineering services agreement is \$45,750. He presented a pictorial of the bridge deterioration.

Motion by Metsker/Robustelli to recommend approval of the Engineering Services Agreement – Farnsworth Group for the Rhinehart Bridge – Sec 16-19119-BR 2000 North Road – Hudson/Normal Township.

Motion carried.

Chairman Caisley presented the Engineering Services Agreement for MFT Funds with Farnsworth Group for Towanda Barnes Rd – CH 29 Sec 16-00113-07-RS.

Mr. Stokes advised that this agreement is for design of pavement markings and reflective markers for the resurfacing of Towanda Barnes from Route 9 to Fort Jesse. The cost of the agreement is \$4,700. A resolution appropriating MFT Funds was passed in November, 2016 for the engineering of this project.

Motion by Metsker/Martin to recommend approval of the Engineering Services Agreement for MFT Funds with Farnsworth Group for Towanda Barnes Rd – CH 29 Sec 16-00113-07-RS.

Motion carried.

Chairman Caisley continued with the Emergency Appropriation Ordinance for Fund 0120 – Categorical Transfer.

Mr. Stokes reported that the categorical limit was exceeded in the 900 line item. He recommended approval of the following transfer:

	<u>CURRENT BUDGET</u>	REDUCE	<u>AMEND</u>
Contract Services			
012-0055-0056-0706-0001	\$36,200	\$510	\$35,690
	<u>CURRENT</u>	<u>ADD</u>	<u>AMENDED</u>
Transfer to Other Funds			
0120-0055-0056-0999-0001	\$2,175	\$510	\$2,685

Motion Robustelli/Martin to recommend approval of the  
Emergency Appropriation Ordinance for Fund 0120 –  
Categorical Transfer.  
Motion carried.

Chairman Caisley continued with Items of Information, Project Summaries.

Mr. Stokes advised that the Arteman Bridge project is completed and the bridge was open on August 8, 2016. The department is waiting on the final billing from the State.

Mr. Stokes stated that the Saybrook Road in town resurfacing project is completed.

Mr. Stokes reported that the Shirley Overpass project is completed and final payment has been made.

Mr. Stokes advised that the Fifer Bridge repair construction is complete. The bridge was open on August 16, 2016.

Chairman Caisley stated that two seasonal snow plow positions were filled at the Highway Department.

The Transportation Committee will meet next on February 7, 2017 in room 400.

Chairman Caisley asked if there was any other business to come before the Committee, hearing none he adjourned the Transportation Committee meeting at 8:53 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Diana Hospelhorn". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D".

Diana Hospelhorn  
Recording Secretary