

## Eau Claire County • Committee on Highway

# Thursday, February 18, 2021/ 6:15 a.m. Virtual WebEx Teleconference

Highway Members Present: Chair Ray Henning, Supervisor Judy Gatlin, Supervisor Carl Anton, Supervisor Nathan Anderson, Nick Smiar "ex officio"

Staff/Other Present: Highway Commissioner Jon Johnson, Assistant Highway Commissioner

Brian Spilde, Engineer Supervisor Janelle Hestekin, Administrative

Assistant Rachael Bien

- 1. Meeting called to order by Chair Henning at 6:15 a.m.
- 2. Past committee meeting minutes (02/04/2021) Discussion/Action
  Supervisor Gatlin motioned for approval, Supervisor Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion approved 5-0.
- 3. Public comment No Public Comment
- 4. Resolution Fact Sheet 20-21/117-Abolish 1.0 (FTE) Parts & Inventory Support Position and Create 1.0(FTE) Mechanic Position -Discussion/Action

Reviewed Fact Sheet and Resolution for creating Mechanic position and abolishing the Parts & Inventory Support position. Gatlin motioned to approve reclassification Anton 2nd Motion carried 5-0

5. Town of Pleasant Valley-Hickory Rd/CTH I Intersection Control – Discussion Sight visibility issues. Speed study requested. Town requested 4way stop at intersection. Still looking into other options

#### 6. Highway Report

Highway commissioner update, Commissioner Johnson spoke on the following:

- Created a training matrix for Highway employees
- Working on current route optimization
- Governors budget adds 4% to GTA

Operations update, Assistant Commissioner Jon Johnson spoke on the following:

- Small group meetings
- MSHA Training in March
- Maintenance Brushing and Guardrail Repair

Engineering update, Engineer Janelle Hestekin spoke on the following:

- 2 Interns Starting
- Final Plan Reviews
- CTH V Bridge Bid Came Back

#### 7. Payment vouchers (2/5, 2/5, 2/12, 2/12)

Vouchers were reviewed and signed.

Supervisor Gatlin motioned for approval; Supervisor Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion carried 5-0.

### 8. Future meeting dates, times, and agenda items

Future Meetings:

Thursday, March 4, 2021 at 6:15 a.m. Thursday, March 18, 2021 at 6:15 a.m.

9. Meeting adjourned by Chairman Henning at 6:59 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Rachael Bien

Rachael Bien, Administrative Assistant Eau Claire Highway Department Approved 03/04/2021