

To: Clerk @VBH  
Bob Kosin  
Dan Strahan

ROADS AND BRIDGES MONTHLY REPORT  
JULY 2014

2014 Road Program

The bid results were received on Wednesday, July 23. A detailed report and explanation from Dan Strahan of Gewalt Hamilton is attached in 3.2

HEALY ROAD PATCHING

Healy Road patching will be included in the overall road program. See attached bid recommendation in 3.3

2014 PAVEMENT MARKING SYSTEM

The bid recommendation for the pavement marking program is attached in 3.3 for pavement striping on Ridge Road, Plum Tree Road (east of Ridge only), and Haegers Bend Road.

2014 DRAINAGE PROGRAM

The arborist's detailed report was submitted to the residents of 6 Acorn Lane on July 15 with a request for a response. To date, the residents have not replied. A second request was sent on July 24.

The time is rapidly running out to complete this project which was mandated by Lake County Storm Water Management Commission last August in order to submit the receipts for payment for the grant which was approved.

This has seriously impacted the village in planning the 2014 Road/Drainage budget with the higher bids for the road program which were received.

GREEN RAIL BRIDGE REPAIR

Bids for repairs will be advertised August 1 and opened August 19, with the contract award to be voted on at the August 25 Board of Trustees Meeting.

## PAY REQUESTS

Gewalt Hamilton has submitted pay requests for advertising for bids in the amount of \$178.20 and for the required bridge inspections on Cuba Road Bridge, Spring Creek Road Bridge, Porter Bridge in the amount of \$3,800.00.

## HAEGERS BEND ROAD

Attached is a detailed report on the results of the Public Hearing held on July 16 regarding the proposed Haegers Bend Road improvements.

Based on the responses received from residents the village will plan on limiting future improvements to patching and resurfacing within the existing pavement footprint of Haegers Bend Road.

## RECLASSIFICATION DISCUSSION

As a result of responses during the Haegers Bend Road Public Hearing, as well as comments, both verbal and written, from residents regarding the reclassification of some village roads, a letter will be submitted to the appropriate agencies to rescind the Spring Creek Road classification.

There were other roads in question, namely Ridge Road, Hagers Bend and Plum Tree which will be examined and discussed as to the possibility of reclassification based on various criteria used by other agencies.

The conflict with these designations and those in the Village's Comprehensive Plan will also be addressed.

## 2014 PAVEMENT INVENTORY

As a result of the Roads and Bridges Meeting on July 23, an analysis of the inventory and condition, as well as the age of the pavement, will be prepared for discussion at the August meeting to discuss a continued budgeting approach, to maintain existing or to begin reducing the backlog.

## CUBA ROAD BRIDGE

The plat of highways has been submitted to IDOT. The land acquisition process will begin upon approval.

Preliminary plans have been sent to the utilities.

### ILLINOIS ROUTE 68 RESURFACING

Resurfacing on Route 68 east of Route 59 will include a 4 foot paved shoulder with center line and edge rumble strips. Bid letting is scheduled for September 19.

### ILLINOIS ROUTE 68

A request has been received and forwarded to IDOT for a reduction of the speed limit from Route 62 to Old Sutton Road.

### ILLINOIS ROUTE 62

No word from IDOT on the status of the village's request to accelerate the Route 62 project.

Patty Meroni,  
Chair, Roads and Bridges