

Road Committee Minutes
Dodge County Board of Commissioners
Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.



Present:

Kelly Belflower, Commissioner District 2
Karen Cheek, Commissioner District 4
Conner Bearden, County Manager
Sharon Cobb Flanagan, Commissioner District 1

The Dodge County Road Committee held a meeting at the Dodge County Pearl Bates Courthouse Annex Wednesday, February 14, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. with County Manager Bearden presiding.

Business:

County Manager Bearden opened the meeting at 10:00 am.

Manager Bearden gave an update on road conditions after the Feb 11th rain event.

Commissioner Belflower spoke about a cross culvert needing cleaning.

Manager Bearden then opened discussion about LMIG and TSPLOST

Bearden informed the committee that additional LMIG money from State surplus would not require a match as the traditional LMIG grant.

A ¼ mile stretch of Chicken Rd is failing and should be addressed as a TSPLOST project. Committee agreed and Manager Bearden will get an estimate and proceed to the Board of Commissioners.

Bill Mullis and Studstill roads could qualify for TSPLOST paving due to their current width and should be looked into to convert dirt into paved mileage.

Old Bethel Road should be a candidate for improving crowning strategy on dirt roads.

Commissioner Belflower mentioned that research should be done about having a third-party mulch overgrown right-of-ways to make them more manageable.

Manager Bearden gave an update on the ongoing TSPLOST and LMIG 2023 project.

Commissioner Belflower commented that all road complaints should be called in to the Commissioners' Office and not directly to the Road Superintendent.

No further discussion; Committee meeting adjourned.

Attested:

Kimberly Smith-Parkerson, County Clerk

Approved:

Conner Bearden, County Manager