## Clinton County Highway Committee Minutes December 2, 2021 7:30 a.m.

- 1. Brian Wessel called the meeting to order at 7:30
- Attendance:

Bryan Wessel Committee Chairman Ken Knolhoff Committee Member

Jim Sullivan Committee Member via Turbobridge

Dan Behrens County Engineer

- 3. Mr. Wessel made a motion to approve the Minutes from the November 4<sup>th</sup> meeting. Mr. Knolhoff seconded the motion. The motion passed by voice vote.
- 4. Mr. Behrens gave the Committee a copy of a Resolution Appropriating Funds for the Payment of the County Engineer's Salary. He said that this allows for his salary to be taken out of motor fuel tax funds. Mr. Wessel made a motion to have this resolution placed on the Boards agenda for approval. Mr. Knolhoff seconded the motion. The motion passed by voice vote.
- 5. Mr. Behrens told the Committee that they plan to have their rock letting on January 4 if all of the road commissioners get their information back to the highway department in time.
- 6. Mr. Behrens told the Committee that the winter salt contract is for \$71.66/ ton. This is up from last year's price of \$41.68/ton. The county must purchase a minimum of 960 tons and may purchase a maximum of 1,440 tons.
- 7. Mr. Behrens gave the Committee a petition from Wheatfield Township Road Commissioner for 50% County match to replace a culvert along Frogtown Road. Mr. Knolhoff made a motion to have this on the Board's agenda for approval. Mr. Wessel seconded the motion. The motion passed by voice vote.
- 8. Mr. Behrens told the Committee that they have begun using the time clock.
- 9. Mr. Behrens said that the Treasurer has cashed in the irrevocable letter of credit for Fuehne Hills Subdivision. This winter they will get with a local contractor to arrange for the completion of this road by early next year.
- 10. Mr. Behrens told the Committee that IMRF has set the contribution rate for next year. It will be about 18% less than this year.
- 11. The Committee approved the current bills.