

Watab Township Supervisors' Work Session
August 27, 2018
ROAD PLAN DEVELOPMENT WORK SESSION NOTES

A scheduled Supervisors' work session was called to order by Chairman Waytashek in the Watab Township Hall at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, August 27, 2018.

Those present were offered the opportunity to pledge allegiance to the USA flag.

ROLL CALL

Supervisors present were Craig Gondeck, Julie Johnson, and Todd Waytashek. Others present included Clerk Jon Hull, Treasurer Deborah O'Keefe, Road Construction Manager Lloyd Erdmann, and Jon Bogart representing the engineering firm of Bogart, Pederson, and Associates, Incorporated. Guests involved were Tom Addicott, Dan Anderson, Dawn Bell, John Bell, Mike Burton, Roger Burton, Buzz Cripe, Mary Beth Cripe, Dale Grau, Elvis Grau, Jeff Hanson, Doug Harden, Ed Kacures, Jason Loidolt, Lisa Loidolt, Sandra Saldana, and Steve Wollak.

ROAD PLAN DEVELOPMENT DISCUSSION

Chairman Waytashek presented an over-view of the top ten projects being considered at this time:

- 2019 Burton Court
 Burton Place
- 2020 Frost Road from County Highway 55 to County Highway 33
- 2021 West Lake Court
 West Lake Road from 105th Avenue to US Highway 10
- 2022 10th Avenue east of railroad tracks
- 2023 105th Street NW from County Highway 55 to US Highway 10
 105th Avenue NW from US Highway 10 to .85 miles east
 105th Avenue NW from FEMA overlay to West Lake Road NW
- 2024 Shoestring Loop
- 2025 100th Street NE from Sucker Creek Road to 5th Avenue NE
- 2026 Sharon Place
 80th Street NW
- 2027 Blue Jay Road Cul de Sac
 Lakewood Shores Drive NW 95th Avenue to County Highway 55
- 2028 Havlet Road

Topics of discussion among Jon Bogart, Board Supervisors and guests included:

- A. The need for additional information (soil borings) as the Board considers priorities township road maintenance
- B. Attention to heavily used roads first
- C. Quiet zone on 105th Street NW
- D. Estimates based on today's information; expectation these amounts will increase expediently by about 5% annually
- E. Road width dimensions (24' wide with 2' shoulders) recommended by Bogart

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Topics of discussion (continued)

- F. Traffic counts in progress
- G. Road shoulders (paved, gravel, gravel with top soil)
- H. Needs of 85th Street NW, Ivy Place, Burton Place, Shoestring Loop, and Ilex Place
- I. Highway 10 traffic issues addressed by the State of Minnesota (or not)
- J. Engineering costs
- K. Safety issues
- L. Revision of engineering standards
- M. Benton County tax base
- N. Road maintenance in Langola Township
- O. Per foot/per mile construction estimates
- P. Road budget
- Q. Culvert composition

A motion was made by Supervisor Johnson to authorize obtaining soil borings quotes on affected areas. Chairman Waytashek reminded those present this is a work session; official action could be contemplated at a regularly scheduled monthly Board meeting.

PUBLIC INPUT

Treasurer and township resident Deborah O'Keefe commented on the excellent work being provided by Sentence-to-Serve crews and Frost Road traffic.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Supervisor Gondeck, seconded by Supervisor Johnson, and carried adjourning the work session at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Respectfully accepted,

Jon L. Hull
Watab Township Clerk

Todd B. Waytashek
Watab Township Board Chairman