

**MINUTES ROAD & BRIDGE COMMITTEE & INFORMATIONAL MEETING
FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 2025
MASON COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT**

TIME			
MEETING BEGIN	MEETING END		
9:00AM.	9:27 A.M.		
NAME		PRESENT	ABSENT
SCOTT GARLISCH (CHAIRMAN)		X	
DOROTHY KREILING		X	
BILL PARSLEY		X	
RON KNOLLENBERG		X	
KEN WALKER (CO. BOARD CHAIRMAN)		X	
ELDON GARLISCH		X	
SUMMER BROWN		X	
LORI WICKMAN		X	
NICK PELOW (COUNTY ENGINEER)		X	

The purpose of this meeting was to review and approve the claims of the County Highway Department. The minutes from the previous meeting were approved. The following items were discussed:

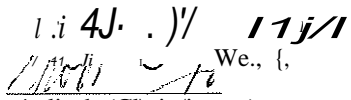
MAINTENANCE CREW: The Mason County Highway Department's Maintenance crew has been conducting snow removal operations, brush cutting, and roadway maintenance.

PURPLE WAVE AUCTION: The auction for the Highway Department's F-150 and F-250 closed on January 21". The Department received \$4,900 for the 2012 F-150 and \$3,800 for the F-250.

2025 MOTOR FUEL TAX BUDGET: The Highway Department has closed out the Motor Fuel Tax FY2024 for both the County and the Mason County Townships. Motor Fuel Tax funds for FY2025 are currently being budgeted.


CRANE CREEK TOWNSHIP BRIDGE: Final plans are submitted to the Illinois Department of Transportation for Crane Creek Township's bridge Section 21-03119-00-BR. Once final plans are approved, a bid letting is intended to be held at the Highway Department on February 28th, 2025.

TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT: Prairie Power's Grand Island to Oakford transmission line project continues. The subcontractor L.E. Meyers Co. is currently installing power poles and began pulling cable through the new structures.

APPROVED: 
Scott Garlisch (Chairman)

Dorothy Kreiling

Bill Parsley

Ron Knollenberg 

Nicholas Peplow (Co. Engineer)

Ken Walker (Co. Board Chairman) 