

## **ZEELAND CHARTER TOWNSHIP**

### **ROAD COMMITTEE MEETING**

**JANUARY 24, 2019**

The Zeeland Charter Township Road Committee held a meeting on January 24, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Hall located at 6582 Byron Road, Zeeland, Michigan.

Members present: Chairman Tim Barkel, Township Supervisor Glenn Nykamp, Trustee Chad Overweg, and committee members Earl Mokma, John Wittingen, and Dave Miller.

Chairman Barkel called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Review and approval of the 2018 Road Committee minutes.

Citizen Comments:

- 52<sup>nd</sup> Avenue/Riley Street area—excessive mud in summer of 2018.

2019 Road Fund Budget Discussion.

- Committee discussed Ottawa County Road Commission (OCRC) Road Ratings and Township road concerns for consideration of projects for 2019.
  - 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue improvements, between Felch St. and M-121, to be done with potential developments in 2019/2020.
  - Conversation related to chip/seal projects for 2020.
  - Riley Street, from 48<sup>th</sup> Ave. to 56<sup>th</sup> Ave., to be given gravel and chip/seal (2019 if company in area to complete project).
  - Gordon Street—Ottawa County will potentially improve in 2019.
  - Discussion related to subdivision roads per OCRC Road Ratings.
    - Trustee Overweg made a motion to improve/pave all streets according to OCRC Road Rating list with the exception of Dover Lane (in future w/subdivision) and Gordon Street (Ottawa County responsibility). Committee member Mokma supported the motion which passed unanimously. Roads to be included:
      - (Sundance subdivision): Sugarcreek Ct, Sun Park Ct, Sun Park Dr, Sunburst Ct, Sunburst Dr, Suntime Ct, Suntime Dr.
      - (Highland View subdivision): Amethyst Dr, Feldspar Ave, Flourite Ave, Mica Dr, Quartz Lane.
      - Windridge Court (Adams Street south to cul-de-sac).

Review 5 Year Road Improvement Plan.

- Continue maintaining good condition of subdivision streets.

- Upgrade gravel roads ½ mile to 1 mile per year.

2019 Township Dust Control.

- 2-3 applications in 2019.

Other business:

- Discussion on Engine Braking in specific areas of Township. Committee member Wittingen made a motion to install “No Engine Braking per Township Ordinance” signs in areas of Township, specifically Beaverdam area. Trustee Overweg supported the motion which passed unanimously.
- I-196/Chicago Drive interchange improvements completed in 2018.

Meeting adjourned at 8:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Chad Overweg - Trustee