

## **Ringgold County Board of Supervisors Minutes September 8, 2020**

The Ringgold County Board of Supervisors met in regular session Tuesday, September 8, 2020. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M with the following members present: Lyle Minnick and Kraig Pennington Absent: Ron Landphair.

A motion was made by Minnick, second by Pennington to approve the agenda.  
AYES: Unanimous NAYS: None

Assistant Engineer Jared Johnson and Interim Engineer Don Staley met with the Board to provide secondary roads updates. Pennington questioned the fee assessed to a landowner for a pipe following a road project. Johnson explained that portion of the road had been vacated. Pennington asked if Johnson would just confirm the vacation.

Mowers have continued to mow making passes on paved roads, Farm-to-Market gravels, and busier gravel roads, Johnson said.

Work order update:

WO 629: Repair erosion at bridge and shifted Southwest wingwall. A weir will be placed downstream of the bridge to control future stream degradation. Located on 215<sup>th</sup> Ave south of 290<sup>th</sup> Street. FEMA 316066. (In Progress)

The requested time extension has been granted for FEMA. Repairs are now to be completed by December 31, 2020. The department has received federal relief on 3 out of the 5 projects. It is anticipated the County will receive a total of \$403,781.66 to make necessary repairs from the spring flooding in 2019.

The contractor began moving equipment in last week, and established the detour route on the Routh Box Project. Currently the road is still open to traffic. The contractor anticipated starting the project this week, however, weather this week may delay the start of the project.

Last week the crew began backfilling and shaping around the Rice 20 site. The approach fill at both ends of the bridge has been placed. Revetment was hauled in and placed along the west channel bank. It was anticipated the bridge will be open to traffic by Friday September 11, however, a forecasted wet week will most likely delay the opening of the bridge, Johnson explained. Remaining punch list items are as follows: shape east side of bridge, place revetment along east channel bank, remove temporary stream crossing, re-shape entrance to NE of bridge, haul and place road stone, haul and place erosion stone around wing ends.

The base construction has been completed on the J55 seal coat project. A forecasted wet week will most likely delay chipping of the roadway until next week, Johnson said.

With rain in the forecast this week, there are signs that need placed. Rock will be hauled to the northwest territory of the county. There is also some weir work to complete in the southwest territory of the county.

Johnson presented the Board with two utility permits for approval.

The Board reviewed claims to be paid on Wednesday, September 9, 2020.

The Board adjourned early due to Minnick needing to leave.

**RESOLUTION RC20-162**

WHEREAS, the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the Alliant Energy Utility Permit.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Lyle Minnick and seconded by Kraig Pennington stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: none.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved September 8, 2020.

**RESOLUTION RC20-163**

WHEREAS, the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the Windstream Utility Permit.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Lyle Minnick and seconded by Kraig Pennington stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: none.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved September 8, 2020.

**RESOLUTION RC20-164**

WHEREAS, the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve claims to be paid Wednesday, September 9, 2020.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Lyle Minnick and seconded by Kraig Pennington stating such.

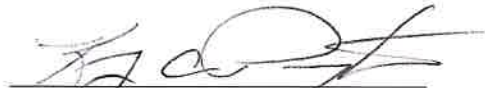
The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: none.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved September 8, 2020.

A motion was made by Minnick, second by Pennington to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

There was no further business. A motion was made by Minnick and seconded by Pennington to adjourn the meeting at 11:00 am.

ATTEST:

  
Board of Supervisors

  
Ringgold County Auditor