

November 18, 2013

Chairman Watne called the regular meeting of the Wright County Board of Supervisors to order at 9:00 a.m. Members present were Helgevold, Rasmussen, and Watne.

Minutes of the November 12, 2013 regular meeting were read and approved.

Approved claims for payment.

Adam Clemons, Wright County Engineer, presented final plans for project BROS-Co99(72)-8J-99, Bridge #29, located in Troy Twp., Section #6. This will be over a drainage ditch and replaced with a 10' X 8' precast box culvert. It is estimated that the project will be done next summer. This is a BROS project so there will be reimbursement of 80% from the state. Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Helgevold to approve the final plans as presented. Motion carries.

Also presented were the final plans for project BROS-Co99(73)-5F-99, Bridge #189, located in Norway Twp., Section 36. This is a farm-to-market project with 80% being paid from the state and 20% from the farm-to-market fund. This project is twin 12'X10' precast culvert over a drainage ditch on 150th Street. Motion by Helgevold and seconded by Rasmussen to approve the final plans as presented. Motion carries.

The IDOT requested that Wright County participate in side road fillets along Hwy #3 on gravel roads. This will be 6" asphalt 50' from the Highway on the county roads. Normally, the IDOT will extend out to a 10' distance. The 40' extra would be paid for by the county. This does provide excellent safety for the road crew and at a minimal cost. The anticipated start date on this project is May.

The Engineer's office has been moving to the new office building by the Clarion County Sheds.

Brent Johnson, Kieth Hubbard, and Brandon Vogel from McClure Engineering visited with the board to announce that Brent Johnson will be retiring at the end of this year. Kieth and Brandon will be taking over the duties of drainage district work for McClure Engineering.

Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Helgevold to adjourn the meeting. Motion carries.

Stan Watne, Chairman

Betty Ellis, Wright County Auditor

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