

July 27, 2015

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

Minutes of the previous regular meeting of July 20, 2015 were read and approved.

Approved claims for payment.

Adam Clemons, Wright County Engineer, presented Resolution 2015-21 on establishing temporary speed limit on 270th Street. There will be a bridge replaced on C54 and the detour route will be a long ways around. This will establish a temporary speed limit on the 270th Street which is a gravel road. Motion by Watne and seconded by Rasmussen to approve Resolution 2015-21. By roll call vote: Ayes – Watne and Rasmussen; nays – none with Helgevold absent. Resolution 2015-21 duly passes and reads as follows.

RESOLUTION 2015-21

ESTABLISHING TEMPORARY SPEED LIMIT ON 270TH STREET EAST OF THE CITY OF EAGLE GROVE LOCATED IN WRIGHT COUNTY, IOWA

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors is empowered under authority of Sections 321.255 and 321.285(4), of the Code of Iowa, to determine upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that the speed limit of any secondary road is greater than is reasonable and proper under the conditions existing, and may determine and declare a reasonable and proper speed limit, and

WHEREAS, such investigation has been completed by the Wright County Engineer's Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Wright County Board of Supervisors that speed limit be established and appropriate signs erected at the locations described as follows:

On 270TH Street East of the City of Eagle Grove located in Wright County, Iowa;
East & West Bound Traffic

1. 25 MPH from the intersection of Franklin Ave and 270th Street thence East 2.02 miles to the intersection of Hancock Ave and 270th Street.

This Resolution shall be in effect when the signs have been erected and shall be in effect for the duration of Project: FM-C099(78)--55-99.

Clemons then presented Ordinance #49 which is an Area Service Road Classification. This ordinance is to establish a policy for Wright County roads and drainage structure in respect to classification, maintenance, new construction, and reconstruction. The purpose is to classify all county roads as a part of the county infrastructure highway system as to provide for levels of maintenance effort and restricted access, pursuant to Iowa Code Section 309.57; to set road and bridge standards for secondary roads; and to provide procedures for the upgrading of non-surfaced area serviced roads.

Motion by Watne and seconded Rasmussen to approve the first reading of Ordinance #49 and have the Engineer send to the newspapers for publication. Motion carries. Second reading will be August 3, 2015.

Deb Lukes, Wright County Drainage Clerk, presented information on the amended Engineer's report for DD #35. At the last meeting on DD #35, the board made a motion to not proceed with the project. Motion by Watne and seconded by Rasmussen to set a public hearing for DD #35 and send notice for September 14, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. Motion carries.

Bryce Davis, Economic Development Director, gave an overview of the Community Events for the impacted employees of the Chicken facilities in Wright County. Wright County is in the recovery stage for cleaning and disinfecting of the buildings. Iowa Work Force Development facilitated groups for the impacted employees from the facilities. ICCC helped on updating on the training and education programs,

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

Rick Rasmussen, Chairman Pro-Tem
Wright County Board of Supervisors

Betty Ellis, Wright County Auditor