

May 7, 2009

The regular meeting of the Board of Cass County Road Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Krempec at 9:00 A.M. and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was said in unison.

Board Members Present: Commissioner Powers, Commissioner Bowser, Commissioner Poehlman and Chairman Krempec.

CCRC Staff Present: Louie Csokasy, Joe Bellina, Rick Janssen, and Grace Chester.

INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS

Public Present: Norma Lerner (press), Roseann Marchetti (Ontwa Twp. & County Parks Commission), Tom Celie, Bruce Campbell (Cass County Water Resources), and County Commissioners Gordon Bickel & Ed Goodman

ADDITIONS TO AGENDA

1. Village of Edwardsburg Interlocal Agreement
2. Clear Vision Resolution-Ontwa Township

APPROVE AMENDED AGENDA

Commissioner Powers moved to approve the agenda as amended. Commissioner Poehlman seconded and the motion was carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Roseann Marchetti thanked the road commission for removing the blockage at the dam on Eagle Lake and said that the water is now “flowing like crazy.”

County Commissioner Goodman thanked Manager Csokasy for attending the Silvercreek Township Board meeting and for the great presentation on future road plans for the township.

County Commissioner Bickel asked about the status of the water on Harvey Street. Csokasy reported that the road had been closed and signs put up (intersection M-40 & Robbins) with barricades also as some drivers went around the signs. The water is going down but it is a slow process. Per Csokasy, in addition to Harvey St, Huckleberry Lane, at Dewey Lake in Silvercreek Township is closed.

Water Resource Commissioner Campbell commended CCRC Foreman Lance Stevenson and Engineer Bellina for their work on the Eagle Lake Road obstruction and thanked Stevenson for his follow up work to correct the problem. Per Campbell, the residents were appreciative of the road commission’s efforts.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Powers moved to approve the minutes of the meeting of 4-16-09. Commissioner Poehlman seconded and the motion was carried.