

Clinton County Highway Committee
Minutes
December 1, 2022 7:30 a.m.

1. Mr. Wessel called the meeting to order at 7:30
2. Attendance:

Bryan Wessel	Committee Chairman
Ken Knolhoff	Committee Member
Dan Behrens	County Engineer
3. Mr. Wessel made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 3rd meeting. Mr. Knolhoff seconded the motion. The motion passed by voice vote.
4. No one from the public asked for time.
5. Mr. Behrens gave the Committee a proposed MFT Maintenance Resolution. The resolution appropriates \$950,000 in MFT funds for the County's 2023 maintenance program. Mr. Knolhoff made a motion to place this resolution on the Board's December agenda. Mr. Wessel seconded the motion. The motion passed by voice vote.
6. Mr. Behrens gave the Committee the results of a speed study on Shattuc Road in the vicinity of Kaskaskia College. He said the Vehicle Code gives the Board the authority to reduce the speed limit along any section of a county highway at its sole discretion after the engineering study has been submitted. The Committee asked for an ordinance to be developed to limit the speed limit on Shattuc Road to 45MPH starting just south of the entrance to the Centralia Correctional Center to just north of College Road. Mr. Behrens said that he could have this for the January board meeting. Mr. Knolhoff made a motion to have this ordinance written for the January meeting. Mr. Wessel seconded the motion. The motion passed by voice vote.
7. Mr. Behrens told the Committee that because it has been over 1.5 years since they bid the new dump truck they are behind in replacing trucks. They have spoken to three different dealers and it will be approximately 2 years after a truck is bid before it will be received. Mr. Behrens said that in order to keep from falling farther behind they plan to bid two trucks now and anticipate paying for them over two fiscal years.
8. Mr. Behrens gave the committee a copy of an agreement with the Village of Albers for a sidewalk on County Highway. The Committee decided to table this and allow the new committee to take action on it.
9. Mr. Behrens told the Committee that they plan to open bids for rock the first week of January if they get all of the road commissioners to return their estimates in time.
10. The Committee approved the current bills.