

MINUTES OF THE TOWN OF BARNES ROADS AND RIGHT OF WAY COMMITTEE October 2, 2023

Members present were Dave Schiess, Greg Martin, Jeff Jordheim, Mark Holm, Jim Frint Meeting called to order at 6:36pm, quorum established by roll call Motion to approve minutes of 9/12/2023 passed (Martin/Holm), no changes

There was no public comment

Lake Road

In review of the committee's site visit to Birch Lake bridge 9/12/2023, discussion continued regard upcoming project for Lake Road. At this time we envision no major problems. Preliminary project estimate from Morgan and Parmley examined in detail with special attention to Windsor corner. Substantial improvement to drainage and safety at this location is anticipated as a result of the project. Morgan and Parmley will be responsible for Native American burial ground research near Boney Lake in addition to property owner communications.

Motion: RROW committee recommends that the town board continue to consider Morgan and Parmley's Preliminary Project Estimate for Lake Road, from Birch Lake bridge to Hwy 27, subject to related financing concerns.

Carney Road

Property owners have submitted appropriate paperwork to consider making Carney a town road. Committee recommends making the road shorter with a new turnaround. Discussion pointed out that cost to maintain will exceed revenue from the road. Motion to table (Holm/Martin) until a future committee meeting, passed unanimously.

Road 73

Committee wishes to make improvements such that Road 73 remains passable but with minimal maintenance. Will be a spring 2024 project.

Motion to table discussion until early 2024 (Schiess/Holm), passed unanimously.

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn (Holm/Frint) passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted, Mark Holm, recorder

Next meeting Tuesday, November 7th, 2023, 6:30pm at Barnes town garage