

HURON VALLEY FEDERAL AID COMMITTEE MINUTES
December 15, 2023 - 11:00 A.M.
Livingston County Road Commission

1. Roll Call and Introductions

Steve Wasylk, Managing Director of the Livingston County Road Commission, called the meeting of the Huron Valley Federal Aid Committee (HVFAC) to order at 11:00 a.m. A sign-in sheet was circulated, and all attendees introduced themselves. The sign-in sheet is included as Attachment A of these minutes.

2. Call to the Public (1)

No Response

3. Approval of Minutes

- Meeting of September 27, 2023

Brian Vick from the Charter Township of Brighton moved to approve the minutes as presented for the meeting of September 27, 2023. Kelly VanMarter from Genoa Township supported the motion. The motion was unanimously approved.

4. Verification of Voting Members

- FAC Voting Membership

Steve Wasylk asked for verification of the voting member and alternate for each organization/community. No changes were made to the voting membership.

- Funding Committee Membership

Steve Wasylk reviewed the members of the Funding Committee. No changes were made to the membership of the Funding Committee.

5. 2023-2026 Program

- 2024 Project Updates

Steve Wasylk updated the Committee on the status of the Livingston County Road Commission's 2024 urban and rural projects. Mr. Wasylk stated that the bid had been awarded for the 2023 Old US-23 reconstruction project and that construction would be in full-swing in 2024. Mr. Wasylk added that the Challis Road/Bauer Road roundabout project was scheduled for a February bid letting and that construction should be completed in 2024. Lastly, Mr. Wasylk stated

that the bulk of the construction for the Grand River Avenue/Cemetery Road intersection project would most likely occur in 2025.

6. Report from Livingston Essential Transportation Service (LETS)

Adam Baranski from LETS asked for input regarding possible locations for the Michigan Flyer program during the upcoming I-96/Grand River Avenue interchange reconstruction project in Brighton. Committee members suggested the parking lots at Meijer and Lowe's near the Latson Road interchange and the parking lot at Green Oak Village Place near the Lee Road interchange.

7. Report from Southeast Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG)

Steve Brudzinski from SEMCOG updated the Committee on the funding status for the South Lyon-Howell-Brighton urban area. Mr. Brudzinski estimated that the area should realize an increase of approximately 9.8 percent over the three-year TIP. Mr. Brudzinski added that SEMCOG was continuing work on the 2050 Regional Transportation Plan and that the document should be available for public review in March or April of 2024. Lastly, Mr. Brudzinski indicated that planning for the 2026-2029 TIP will commence in 2024.

8. Report from the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT)

Michele Zawerucha from MDOT updated the Committee on several recent personnel changes at MDOT. Ms. Zawerucha also encouraged the Committee to submit projects as soon as possible to ensure funding availability. Lastly, Ms. Zawerucha informed the Committee that the 2025 Federal Aid buyout program had been cancelled due to lack of funds.

9. Other Items for Members

- 2027 and 2028 RTF – Village of Fowlerville

Steve Wasyk stated that the Village of Fowlerville had requested the RTF-1 funding designated for fiscal years 2027 and 2028. Mr. Wasyk did not object to this request and committed the funding to the Village of Fowlerville for the specified years.

Jonathan Hohenstein from Howell Township inquired about the process for identifying road improvements necessitated by proposed developments near the Mason Road/Burkhart Road intersection. Steve Wasyk responded that the Livingston County Road Commission could assist in the review of any traffic impact studies and offer suggestions for improvements that could be incorporated in potential PUD agreements.

Martha Haglund from the Livingston County Planning Department gave a brief overview of their ongoing efforts related to the Livingston County 2025 Master Plan and urged

coordination between road projects and potential sidewalk and trail projects. Steve Wasyk offered the Livingston County Road Commission's services for any desired reviews, input, and grant assistance.

10. Call to the Public (2)

No Response

11. Adjournment

There being no further business to discuss, Steve Wasyk declared the meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

Attachment A

HVFAC Sign In Sheet

December 15, 2023

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