

**MINUTES OF A HIGHWAY, ROAD, AND BRIDGE MEETING OF THE COUNTY
OF HANCOCK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, HELD AT THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE
IN THE CITY OF CARTHAGE, ON MARCH 30, 2026**

The meeting was called to order by Dennis Castlebury at 8:30 a.m. Members in attendance included Alex Blythe, Mark Harrison, Mark Menn, Tom Rodgers, and Wayne Bollin. Ryan Weeks and Mark Hanson were absent. Elgin Berry was also in attendance.

Bid letting for oil and chipping and culverts was on March 24, 2026. Mr. Bollin moved to approve the lowest bids for oil, chipping, and culverts. Mr. Harrison seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members present voting “yes”. Motion carried.

Mr. Blythe made a motion to approve the township culverts, Mr. Bollin seconded. A roll call vote was taken with all members present voting “yes”. Motion carried.

Mr. Bollin moved to approve the resolution for improvement under the Illinois Highway Code. Mr. Blythe seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members present voting “yes”. Motion carried.

Mr. Berry needs a certificate of authority by vote to purchase road salt. Mr. Harrison moved to approve the certificate, Mr. Rodgers seconded. All members present voted aye.

Mr. Blythe motioned to approve the engineer’s report. Mr. Bollin seconded. All members present voted aye.

Mr. Rodgers motioned to move into executive session at 8:53, Mr. Blythe seconded. All members present voted aye. Mr. Rodgers moved to come out of executive session at 8:58, Mr. Bollin seconded. All members present voted aye.

Claims were gone over. Mr. Bollin moved to approve the claims. Mr. Harrison seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members present voting “yes”. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dennis Castlebury