

ROAD & BRIDGE COMMITTEE
October 25, 2016

The McDonough County Road and Bridge Committee held a meeting on Tuesday, October 25, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. The meeting was held at the McDonough County Courthouse, 3rd Floor Law Library. Committee members present were Chairman Clarke Kelso, Dave Cortelyou, Dick Marcott, Rod McGrew, Earl Sims, Trevor Toland, Paul Trimmer, Jerry Tyson and McDonough County Board Chairman Scott Schwerer. Beth Crossett was present as recording secretary. Other persons present included: County Engineer Tom Hickman and Dave Cadwalader.

Chairman Kelso called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Personnel

Chairman Kelso stated the need for executive session to discuss personnel. Member McGrew moved with a second by Member Toland to adjourn to executive session pursuant to Chapter 5 Illinois Compiled Statutes Section 120/2 (C) (1) (2) and (11) at 7:01 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Member Marcott motioned with second by Member McGrew to adjourn from Executive Session at 7:44 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Member Marcott moved with second by Member McGrew to allow credit from previous County employment to count as time worked applied to the contract wage scale for the newly hired employee. Motion carried on a voice vote.

The wage schedule for all employees shall be as follows:

Effective December 1, 2016 – Twenty-Three Dollars and Fifty-Eight Cents per hour
Effective December 1, 2017 – Twenty-Four Dollars and Five Cents per hour
Effective December 1, 2018 – Twenty-Four Dollars and Fifty-Three Cents per hour

Newly hired employees shall receive Two Dollars (\$2.00) per hour less than the current rate of pay the first six (6) months of employment. The second six (6) months of employment, the employee shall receive One Dollar and Fifty Cents (\$1.50) less than the current rate of pay. The third six (6) months of employment, employee shall receive One Dollar (\$1.00) less than the current rate of pay. The fourth six (6) months of employment, employee shall receive the rate of pay indicated in Section 1, Wage Schedule, of the collective bargaining agreement.

Other Business

When Dave Cadwalader entered he told the committee about a ditching machine they recently inspected. It only has 612 hours, looks brand new and is located in Ottumwa, Iowa. The committee discussed use, new cost and what is required to run the machine. There are funds in the equipment fund to purchase if desired.

Member Sims moved with second by Member Toland to adjourn the meeting at 8:01 p. m.