

To: Clerk @VBH
Bob Kosin
Dan Strahan

ROADS AND BRIDGES MONTHLY REPORT
NOVEMBER 2013

OAK LAKE DRAINAGE PROJECT

The village's application for the Lake County Storm Water Management Grant was approved on December 6, 2013.

The Intergovernmental Project Agreement Form has been forward to Bob Kosin for Execution. Details are as follows:

- \$25,000 reimbursement payable upon submittal of documentation to SMC (after payment to contractor).
- Project status update and schedule to be submitted by June 30, 2014, final request for reimbursement by November 30, 2014.
- I have been in contact with residents, including the President of HOA, to obtain any materials and information on Oak Lake which might assist in planning and I will received materials this week.

CUBA ROAD BRIDGE

Written approval has been received from Springfield for the Preliminary Bridge Design and Hydraulic Report.

Phase Two Agreements remain under review in Springfield.

HAEGER'S BEND ROAD

PHASE ONE AND TWO ENGINEERING

Bike Path Planning –

Gewalt Hamilton is preparing a bike path plan for consideration of a corridor along Haeger's Bend and Algonquin/River Road. A progress meeting is planned for the first week of January.

An Open House Public Meeting is required as part of Phase One which will be scheduled for February or March.

LONGMEADOW PARKWAY

A meeting was held at the VBH Village Hall on Thursday, December 12, with residents in the immediate area, some other concerned residents and engineers from the Kane County Department of Transportation attending and Chief Jeff Swanson of the BCFPD.

KDOT presented the plans for the parkway from Route 25 to Route 62, as well as several options for an intersection of Autumn Trail and Longmeadow Parkway and the intersection of Longmeadow Parkway and Route 62.

Residents were understandably shocked and concerned, as Dan, Bob and I were on Tuesday, December 3, when we received the email of the preliminary power point presentation showing a construction start date of 2015. In all the previous years (since the early 1990's), the projection was 2040 or so.

Because the residents were taken by surprise and the KDOT Engineers were unable to immediately address many of the questions asked of them, we agreed that KDOT will respond to all the questions posed, in writing to the Village and I will write a letter to the residents including all the answers. Dan, Bob and I will also hold another meeting with the residents at the village hall, without the KDOT present, in early January to further discuss these issues.

I have written a letter to all these residents advising them of this and writing their comments.

A PAVEMENT CONDITION INVENTORY/ASSESSMENT

This will begin in mid December. Based on the results, a five (5) year roadway improvement plan will be compiled.

Cuba Road Bridge Report was completed and filed on November 26 with IDOT as required due to the load posting.

Patty Meroni,
Chair, Roads and Bridges