

The regular meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Newaygo County was called to order by Chairman Gonyon at 8:00 am on Wednesday, July 28, 2021, at the road commission offices.

Commissioners present Bill Gonyon, Douglas Harmon and Louis J. Meeuwenberg

Also present: Manager Derek Wawsczyk, Deputy Clerk Kerry Hewitt, and Consultant Kelly Smith

Motion by Commissioner Meeuwenberg and supported by Commissioner Harmon to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of July 7, 2021. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Harmon and supported by Commissioner Meeuwenberg to approve vendor checks from #63398 to #63427 and ACH vendor payments from #elect11028 to #elect11064 in the amount of \$923,598.79 and payroll checks from #58585 to #58601 in the amount of \$99,186.53 for July 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021. Motion carried.

No one was present for public comment.

**Bid Opening: Grader Blades**

ITEM	QUANTITY	PRICE PER PIECE	TOTAL PRICE
<b>Michigan Cat</b>			
<i>delivery 30 days from time of order</i>			
CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 74.94	\$ 37,470.00
CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 68.63	\$ 34,315.00
CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated	150	no bid	
FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	no bid	
<b>St. Regis Culvert, Inc.</b>			
<i>delivery 8-10 weeks ARO</i>			
<i>prices firm 15 days from bid</i>			
CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 93.00	\$ 46,500.00
CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 73.50	\$ 36,750.00
CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated	150	\$ 91.50	\$ 13,725.00

FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	\$ 224.00	\$ 56,000.00
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### **Winter Equipment**

*quoting double bevel curve alternative to ice blade*

*lead time 7 weeks ARO*

*prices firm 30 days*

CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 94.65	\$ 47,325.00
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CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 64.39	\$ 32,195.00
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CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated:	150	\$ 76.05	\$ 11,407.50
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FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	\$ 183.60	\$ 45,900.00
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### **Heights Truck Equipment**

*delivery 7 weeks ARO*

*prices valid for 20 days*

CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 93.67	\$ 46,835.00
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CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 63.72	\$ 31,860.00
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<del>CSB</del> CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated: <b>heat treated</b>	150	\$ 76.06	\$ 11,409.00
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FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	\$ 180.33	\$ 45,082.50
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### **Wear Parts & Equipment Co., Inc.**

*delivery 8 weeks after receiving order*

*prices valid through 8-31-21 only*

*Minimum order, \$6,000 per shipment*

CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 100.68	\$ 50,340.00
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CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 68.49	\$ 34,245.00
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CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated <b>double bevel</b>	150	\$ 80.90	\$ 12,135.00
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FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	\$ 195.30	\$ 48,825.00
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**Truck & Trailer Specialties, Inc.**

*prices quoted for listed quantities or higher  
pricing valid through September 10, 2021*

*3-5 weeks ARO*

CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened surface hardened	500	\$ 106.62	\$ 53,310.00
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CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 98.41	\$ 49,205.00
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CSB CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated	150	\$ 96.13	\$ 14,419.50
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FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	\$ 219.92	\$ 54,980.00
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**Shults Equipment, LLC**

*prices firm until September 5, 2021*

*prices based on minimum order of 42,000 lbs.*

*3-4 weeks ARO*

CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened surfaced hardened	500	\$ 106.78	\$ 53,390.00
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CDB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) thru hardened	500	\$ 98.71	\$ 49,355.00
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CSB 3/4" X 6" X 72" (5/8" bolt hole) serrated	150	\$ 97.00	\$ 14,550.00
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FSB 7/8" X 5" X 48" (5/8" bolt hole) carbide insert winter blade	250	\$ 199.00	\$ 49,750.00
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Bids will be awarded at the next meeting, August 11, 2021.

**Bid Opening: Timber piling and pier caps, 58<sup>th</sup> St. at Bigelow Creek Crossing**

**Riverworks Construction**

Drive 30-foot Timber Piles:	\$1,387.00	each	x 16	\$ 22,192.00
Drive 20-foot Abutment Piles:	\$640.00	each	x 8	\$ 5,120.00
Construction and install Pier Caps				\$ 4,230.00
			<b>Total Bid Amount</b>	<b>\$ 31,542.00</b>

### **J.E. Kloote Contracting, Inc.**

Drive 30-foot Timber Piles:	<u>\$1,700.00</u>	each	x 16	<u>\$ 27,200.00</u>
Drive 20-foot Abutment Piles:	<u>\$1,200.00</u>	each	x 8	<u>\$ 9,600.00</u>
Construction and install Pier Caps				<u>\$ 5,000.00</u>
		<b>Total Bid Amount</b>		<b><u>\$ 41,800.00</u></b>

### **John Henry Excavating, Inc.**

Drive 30-foot Timber Piles:	<u>\$1,500.00</u>	each	x 16	<u>\$ 24,000.00</u>
Drive 20-foot Abutment Piles:	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	each	x 8	<u>\$ 8,000.00</u>
Construction and install Pier Caps				<u>\$ 16,900.00</u>
		<b>Total Bid Amount</b>		<b><u>\$ 48,900.00</u></b>

Motion was made by Commissioner Meeuwenberg and supported by Commissioner Harmon to accept management recommendation and award to low bid. Motion carried.

Kerry presented to the board a petition received to abandon a portion of 40<sup>th</sup> St. east of Croswell Ave. in Sherman Township. Discussion took place. The board agreed to move forward with the abandonment process.

Derek reported that he was subpoenaed to court on an encroachment issue on an easement that runs on the south end of Beverly Park Subdivision of Brohman.

Derek reported that he has been meeting with the prosecutor and providing information regarding the Josh Matthew's case. The court date has been pushed back to due COVID but is currently scheduled for the end of September.

Derek reported he performed a walk-through visit with MCRCSIP's Sr. Loss Control Specialist, Mike Phillips. He was impressed with the improvements we have made around our facility.

Derek reported that he met with Jake with the USFS on Hayes Rd. There is an endangered butterfly in the area. They discussed mowing, brush control, and brining in the area. This stretch of road has seen an increased amount of traffic because of the 14 Mile Rd. bridge projects.

Derek reported that Great Lakes Energy has begun the permitting process for placing fiber in the south end of the county. This will be along their existing lines only. No new bores, trenches, or installs will be necessary. Permits will be submitted township by township.

Derek reported that the 2<sup>nd</sup> new pickup has been delivered.

Derek reported that salt prices have decreased to \$65 a ton.

Derek reported that the Superintendents' Seminar is scheduled for October 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> in Manistee. He would like to attend and bring one foreman along.

Derek updated the board on the three bridge projects Davis Construction is working on.

Derek gave the construction update.

Derek reported on a Notice to Appear he received regarding an abandonment of an alleyway in Michigan Land and Outing. NCRC does not have jurisdiction over the alleyway as it is dedicated to the sole and only use of the lot owners. We will forward this to Attorney William Henn so he can reply on our behalf.

Discussion took place regarding Timberview Dr., a road that runs west off Thornapple Ave. north of M-82 towards the DNR boat launch at the river. Derek informed the township supervisor that this stretch of road is a private easement not certified or maintained by NCRC.

Meeting adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

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William Gonyon, Chairman

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Kerry Hewitt, Deputy Clerk