

# REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

## GOGEBIC COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026, 10:04AM | *Meeting called to order by* Barry Bolich  
This meeting was held at the Gogebic County Road Commission office

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### In Attendance

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Barry Bolich	James Estola	Dennis Skinner (via web)	John Zorich
Garth Stengard	Phil Strong	Patti Hagstrom	4 Public Attendees

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### Absent

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John Matonich

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### Pledge of Allegiance

### Approval of Agenda

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Motion to approve the agenda with the following changes: table items b-West End Gravel Crushing Bids and d-2026 Countywide Culvert Installation Bids due to one member abstaining from voting on these items which results in the lack of a quorum was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; all in favor, none opposed.

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### Approval of Meeting Minutes

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Motion to approve the minutes was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; all in favor, none opposed.

- Finance Meeting of Tuesday, March 24, 2026
  - Regular Meeting of Tuesday, March 24, 2026
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### Public Comment

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None

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### Manager Report

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This report was presented, discussed and will be made part of the recorded minutes. No action was taken.

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### Engineer Report

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This report was presented, discussed and will be made part of the recorded minutes. No action was taken.

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## Old Business

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- a) Rural Road Alliance of Michigan ~ Correspondence was received in regard to joining the RRAM. Motion to not join was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; roll call: Ayes ~ Zorich, Estola & Bolich, Nays ~ None.

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## New Business

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- a) FY9/30/2025 ACT51 Attest Page ~ Motion to authorize the signatures of Garth Stengard and Barry Bolich on the Attest Page was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; all in favor, none opposed.
- b) West End Gravel Crushing Bids ~ This item is tabled.
- c) Pavement Markings Bid Tabulation & Award ~ 2 bids were received. Motion to accept and award the bid to P.K. Contracting in the amount of \$.065 LFT for Centerline Solid Yellow Barrier, \$.065 LFT for Skip-line Markings and \$.065 LFT for Edge-line Solid White Markings was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; roll call: Ayes ~ Zorich, Estola & Bolich, Nays ~ none.
- d) 2026 Countywide Culvert Installation Bids ~ This item is tabled.
- e) Steel Culvert Pipe Bid Tabulation & Award ~ 4 bids were received. Motion to accept and award the bid to UP Concrete Pipe in the amount of \$64,655.76 was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; roll call: Ayes ~ Estola, Zorich & Bolich, Nays ~ None.
- f) Erwin Township Contract ~ Motion to accept and approve the contract for gravel placement on McDonald Dam Road in the amount of \$25,000 (township share \$15,000) was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; roll call: Ayes ~ Estola, Zorich & Bolich, Nays ~ none.
- g) Ironwood Township Contract ~ Motion to accept and approve the contract for roadwork on Vanderhagen Road, Olson Road, Snow Straus Lane and Beagle Club Road in the amount of \$308,000 (township share \$184,800) was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; roll call: Ayes ~ Zorich, Estola & Bolich, Nays ~ none
- h) Marenisco Township Contract ~ Motion to accept and approve the contract for roadwork on Stubben Street, Presque Isle Street & Marenisco Cemetery Road in the amount of \$149,500 (township share \$103,700) was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; roll call: Ayes ~ Estola, Zorich & Bolich, Nays ~ none.
- i) Watersmeet Township Contract ~ Motion to accept and approve the contract for roadwork on Fish Hawke Lake Road in the amount of \$385,000 (township share \$231,600) was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; roll call: Ayes ~ Zorich, Estola & Bolich, Nays ~ none.
- j) Aspirus Grand View Hospital Contract ~ Motion to accept and approve the contract for roadwork on Grandview Lane in the amount of \$50,500 (Aspirus share \$30,300) was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; roll call: Ayes ~ Estola, Zorich & Bolich, Nays ~ none.
- k) Gogebic County Sheriff ~ Correspondence was received from Sheriff Jorge H. Cruz thanking the Gogebic County Road Commission for assistance on a recent incident in Ironwood Township. No action was taken.

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## Public Comment

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None

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Adjourn

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Motion to adjourn was made at 10:33AM by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; all in favor, none opposed.

BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

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SECRETARY

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CHAIR