

# REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

## GOGEBIC COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2026, 10:01AM | *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 (via web)		Patti Hagstrom	3 Public Attendees

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### Absent

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John Matonich      Phil Strong

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### Pledge of Allegiance

### Approval of Agenda

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

- Finance Meeting of Tuesday, March 10, 2026
  - Regular Meeting of Tuesday, March 10, 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) Lake Road at Mud Creek Presentation ~ Discussion took place on the options presented at the March 10, 2026 meeting. No action was taken.

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New Business

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- a) Local Bridge Grant Application Resolution ~ In relation to OB a) discussion a motion was made by Estola , 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; roll call: Ayes ~ Zorich, Estola and Bolich to adopt the following resolution.

**RESOLUTION**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Gogebic County Board of Road Commissioners has determined that the following bridges are in need of replacement, listed in order of priority;

1. Replacement of Structure: Lake Road over Mud Creek, Bridge #2981
2. Replacement of Structure: Chaney Lake Road over Little Black River, Bridge #2987
3. Replacement of Structure: Ormes Langford Road over Tenderfoot Creek, Bridge #2991

**WHEREAS**, these bridges are in need of replacement, and

**WHEREAS**, these bridges are essential to the road system in Gogebic County, and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Road Commissioners have reviewed and are actively seeking participation in the replacement or rehabilitation maintenance of these structures, and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Road Commissioners are committing the necessary local funds for design and construction engineering in addition to the local funding match for the construction phase of these projects,

**THEREFORE**, the Gogebic County Road Commission hereby makes applications for federal and state critical bridge funds to replace or rehabilitative maintenance on such bridges listed by priority.

- b) HMA Bid Tabs & Award ~ 4 bids were received. Motion to accept and award the bid to Angelo Luppino in the amount of \$484,410.10 was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; roll call: Ayes ~ Estola, Zorich & Bolich, Nays ~ None.
- c) Fish Hawke Lake Road HMA Bid Tabs & Award ~ 4 bids were received. Motion to accept and award the bid to Pitlik & Wick, Inc. in the amount of \$378,525 was made by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; roll call: Ayes ~ Zorich, Estola & Bolich, Nays ~ None.
- d) Concrete Pip Material Bids & Award ~ 2 bids were received. Motion to accept and award the bid to UP Concrete Pipe in the amount of \$32,405.36 was made by Zorich, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Estola; roll call: Ayes ~ Estola, Zorich & Bolich, Nays ~ None.

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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 10:25AM by Estola, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Zorich; all in favor, none opposed.

**BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS**

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SECRETARY

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CHAIR