

TOWN OF WEST POINT

The Town of West Point held a public hearing on the proposed reconstruction of Gastrow Road at 7:35 p.m. at the Town Hall, on January 24, 1994. Fifteen people were present (two landowners). The meeting (public hearing and special town meeting) was published and posted in three places. Nine letters were sent out to landowners also Gastrow Road.

Chairman Fred Thistle introduced the Joe Costanza the town engineer to discussed the proposed plans for Gastrow Road (2.6 miles long). Joe Costanza explained the following:

1. The road will be from 18 to 20 feet wide with a 2 foot gravel shoulders
2. The first step will be to mill the entire road and use as a base will gravel added to raise the road about 7 to 10"
3. At the first corner there will be about .2 to .25 of acre used from Ernest Wittwer to make the corner a 35 miles per hour
4. The second corner there .2 to .25 of acre used from Roy Schoepp
5. The third corner there will be about .2 to .25 acre used from DeLorman Enge and Dennis Harder will get land now used

Joe Costanza explained that they will work with each farmer or land owner on roads that go into the fields or any other concerns they may have.

The time of construction will be early April to start and within 45 days the project will be finished. The estimated cost of the project will be \$350,000.00 to \$400,000.00.

After no more question the public hearing adjourned and the Special Town Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Fred Thistle at 8:35 p.m.

Chairperson Fred Thistle explained that the town has applied for \$100,000.00 from the State, also \$20,000.00 from the County. The town of West Point can get the \$20,000.00 from the county if we can't get the \$100,000.00 from the State.

A motion was made by Mike Ryan to approve a Resolution to borrow 350,000.00 for reconstruction of Gastrow Road, 2nd by Harry Sawyer, Yes - 13, No - 0 - motion carried.

A motion was made by Mike Ryan to adjourn the special town meeting at 8:50 p.m. by John Sweeney - Yes - 13, No - 0, motion carried.

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