

Midland Charter Township  
Special Meeting for Trail with Midland Road Commission  
April 7, 2021  
7:00pm  
1030 S Poseyville Rd  
Midland, MI 48640

Present: All members

Pledge of Allegiance

5 Guests: Rob Eggers -Spicer Group, Jennifer Stewart -Spicer Group, Russ Inman- Road Commission, Jon Myers-Road Commission

Public Hearing opened at 7:01pm

Non Motorized Trail

2020 Grant cycle looked into routes on Poseyville, decision was made that we didn't have enough information at that time to put in for a grant so we placed it on hold.  
Had a route planned out with MCV but 3 days before application submission MCV said no to the route.

Dow Chemical has pledge \$225,000.00 towards the trail in Midland Township (basically) and \$225, 000 for City to go down Gordonville Rd.

We have applied for the grant with the understanding we can find a route that works so we don't lose Dow Money.

In the beginning of the trail process, we were given the blessing to do the trail down Poseyville to Gordonville, but now issues have arisen that prevent the continuation from Stewart to Gordonville. There seems to be no ideal design for the trail.

Per Jon Myers, the Road Commission isn't against the trail going down Poseyville but there are issues with it.

Proposed using a "weathered" steel bridge with a boardwalk leading up to it and after it, to cross the Bullock Creek. Also mentioned cutting through Tisland.

Stewart rd option with a share the road status.

No problem obtaining site control letters needed for the grant from the Road Commission as stated by both Russ Inman and Jon Myer.

Road Commission were the submitters for the grant for the Bailey Bridge project.

Finalized plan needs to be submitted in October 2021.  
Meeting was adjourned at 8:00pm

Terry Holt, Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_

Shelly Armstrong-Miller, Clerk \_\_\_\_\_