



## **Tupelo Major Thoroughfare Program Minutes June 14, 2021**

Members present: C W Jackson, Ernie Joyner, Charlotte Loden, Jon Milstead, Greg Pirkle, Danny Riley, and Ted Roach

Members not present: Bill Cleveland, Scott Davis, Chris Hussey, Stuart Johnson, Jamie Osbirn, Drew Robertson, Brent Waldrop, and Wesley Webb

Aletha Mims resigned from Committee by email on June 13, 2021.

Others present: Dennis Bonds and Brent Spears

Chairman Pirkle called meeting to order.

Brent Spears took roll.

Dennis Bonds reviewed updates on the current projects.

### **MILL AND OVERLAY**

Mill and Overlay work is ongoing. Main Street completed, Eason (45 to Green) completed, Coley (Main to Chesterville) in process.

### **JACKSON STREET (CLAYTON TO MADISON)**

Removal and widening on both sides of Jackson from Gloster to Madison is mostly complete. Contractor has finished base work on Retaining Walls at Jackson and Madison. Concrete work to start soon from Gloster to Madison.

### **W JACKSON ST (AIR PARK TO COLEY)**

Excavation and widening work is being done on the east side of Jackson from Airpark to the Airport Entrance. Working on a game plan to get new fencing for right hand Turn Ramp installed at the Buffalo Park.

### **EASON BLVD (S VETERANS TO BRIAR RIDGE)**

Plans are complete. ROW and Temporary Construction Easements mailed to all Property Owners and have received some back since last meeting.

### **INACTIVE PROJECTS (PHASE VI)**

N Gloster St - Barnes Crossing to Natchez Trace

### **MDOT WORK**

- March 2022 Letting - Concrete section of McCullough
- Hwy 145 Turn Lane from NTP to Birmingham Ridge Road
- Hwy 6 from 178 to Nettleton
- Hwy 45 from Barnes Crossing to Brewer (completion in June)

Dennis Bonds reviewed the Major Thoroughfare Phase VI Budget Report for the month ending May 31, 2021. Beginning cash balance was \$7,315,231. Revenue from Property Tax, Grants, and Interest Earned was \$288,086. Total Expenditures were \$909,260. Payments included \$8,038 for Personnel Costs; \$10,701 for Maintenance Costs; \$593,711 to W Jackson St-Airpark to Coley; and \$296,809 to Jackson St-Clayton to Madison Project. Ending cash balance was \$6,694,058.

Chairman Pirkle asked the Committee to review and approve the minutes of the May 10, 2021, Major Thoroughfare Program regular meeting. Ernie Joyner made motion to accept minutes. Charlotte Loden seconded the motion. Motion to accept minutes were approved unanimously by Committee.

Chairman Pirkle asked the Engineering Selection Sub-committee to stay after the regular meeting.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

  
Chairman Greg Pirkle

  
Submitted by Brent Spears