

Tupelo Major Thoroughfare Program Minutes March 8, 2021

Members present: Bill Cleveland, Charlotte Loden, Greg Pirkle, Danny Riley, and Ted Roach

Members not present: Scott Davis, Chris Hussey, C W Jackson, Stuart Johnson, Ernie Joyner, Jon Milstead, Aletha Mims, Drew Robertson, Brent Waldrop, and Wesley Webb

Others present: Dennis Bonds, Kim Hanna, Don Lewis, Renee Newton, Johnny Timmons, and John White

Chairman Pirkle called meeting to order.

Renee Newton took roll.

Approval of February minutes tabled until April meeting due to lack of quorum of Committee Members. Majority of members out due to Spring Break week.

Kim Hanna reviewed the Major Thoroughfare Phase VI Budget Report for the month ending February 28, 2021. Beginning cash balance was \$5,418,839. Revenue from Property Tax and Interest Earned was \$2,717,126. Total Expenditures were \$629,157. Payments included \$8,056 for Personnel Costs; \$312,887 to W Jackson St-Airpark to Coley; and \$308,213 to Jackson St-Clayton to Madison Project. Ending cash balance was \$7,506,808.

Greg Pirkle thank Mrs. Hanna for work on the MTP financial and for a smoothly run Phase VII Election.

Dennis Bonds reviewed updates on the current projects.

JACKSON STREET (CLAYTON TO MADISON)

Concrete work is app 75% complete from Clayton to Gloster. Segmental block retaining wall is being constructed at NW corner of Magnolia and Jackson. Pedestrian Bridge Footings formed up at Park. Contractor has begun storm drain, widening, and base work from Robins to Madison.

W JACKSON ST (AIR PARK TO COLEY)

Contractor expects to finish laying drainage pipe by next week, weather permitting. Widening work will begin soon with installation of dirt work and base material.

EASON BLVD (S VETERANS TO BRIAR RIDGE)

Plans are complete, still a few ROWs to obtain

INACTIVE PROJECTS (PHASE VI)

N Gloster St - Barnes Crossing to Natchez Trace