

Guthrie Township
Hubbard County Minnesota
Fall Road Tour Meeting Minutes
September 2013

The Guthrie Town Board met at the town hall at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday September 10, 2013 with Russ Nickerson, Roger Corson and Michael Schmidt present. The Meeting was opened with the pledge and the Team began the Guthrie road tour at 4:15PM.

The Township Board visited each and every road under the Townships control.

Some notable items are as follows:

We reviewed the work that was done from the recommendations made on the Spring Road Tour. The Board was very pleased with the work of Corson Inc who replaced two culverts this year. Corson Inc. also performed some ditching work on two Township Roads which was also very nice. Additionally, the ditch mowing and brushing was also inspected and again, the Board was very pleased with the outcome.

The Guthrie Cemetery was looked at and the Board has decided to instruct Randy Blake to remove the Brush from the North West Corner and along the road side of the Cemetery. Russ will call Randy as a reminder

410th Street near Cty 36: The Board would like to locate and clean the culvert at this location. The Board will work on a culvert inventory next spring

The Board decided to modify the Road Policy to allow Home Owners to apply calcium chloride along their property and at their expense up to a maximum distance of 1/8th of a mile. The Board would meet with the Home Owner prior to the application to ensure that the added chloride is not in excess and in the correct location

245th: We may propose placing gravel on the south mile in 2014 and remove the rocks in the ditches on the North end. Additionally, the board is concerned that the driveway at 43513 may need a culvert and again will revisit this on the 2014 spring road tour

255th: We had a discussion about removing more rocks from the ditches – Russ may do this

450th: the board removed several rocks by John Kinches driveway. One more large rock will be removed by Russ. There are many downed trees in the ditches and the 2014 brushing crew will remove what is left at that time

275th: The stop ahead sign needs repair. Will be done by Russ

Overall the Board feels that the roads in Guthrie are in outstanding shape and feel the investments in the roads each year have a very positive effect.

Submitted by Russ Nickerson - Chairman