

April 24th, 2018

Public Works Report

Gravel Roads

Graders have commenced spring maintenance of roadways and are continuing their efforts on soft areas.

Patch gravelling is currently underway.

Surfaced Roads

A tender closed on April 19th, 2018, for the line painting of surfaced roads within Clearwater County. A total of four (4) bids were received. They are currently in the process of being reviewed. Line painting will be completed in the summer 2018.

A tender was available, on April 20th, 2018, for the application of dust suppression within Clearwater County.

Frost probes are continually being checked. Approximately 25 cm of frost is out with 125 cm remaining.

Maintenance

A tender closed on April 17th, 2018, for the bridge structure rehabilitation construction of BF 09970 (NW 36-40-06-W5M). A total of twelve (12) bid packages were received. They are currently in the process of being reviewed. Construction to be completed in 2018.

A tender was available for bid, on April 19th, 2018, for the bridge structure rehabilitation construction of BF 13970 (NE 18-37-05-W5M). Construction to be completed in 2018.

A tender was available for bid, on March 28th, 2018, for Phase 2 upgrades to the Condor Lift Station. The tender closing date is Tuesday April 24th, 2018. Construction to be completed in 2018.

Culverts are being steamed, on an as needed basis, to mitigate any ice build-up.

County signs continue to be replaced, repaired and washed as needed.

Staff are preparing contracts for the up coming beaver control program commencing May 1, 2018.

Gravel Road Rehabilitation

Brushing and burning will continue, as conditions allow, on the 2018 construction projects.

Staff are working on project planning and borrow acquisition for the upcoming 2018 Gravel Road Rehabilitation program. Local utilities are being contacted to discuss project planning and minimize conflicts.

Annual Contractor Pre-construction meeting is booked for April 26th at the Rocky Legion meeting room.

Staff has been contacting local contractors and seasonal staffing interviews are underway to fill crew positions.

Base/ Pave Projects

Tender opening date for the grading portion of the Taimi project was April 12.

Brushing operations have been completed on both Condor and Rocky Wood Road projects.

West Country Road Project

Brushing operations have been completed on the Northfork Road Grading Phase Two project.

Road Bans:

Order by the Vehicle Weights Committee of

Clearwater County

Highway Order No. 01/18

Defining Maximum Allowable Weights Permitted

On Certain Municipal Roads

Pursuant to the Authority granted by the Minister of Transportation and Utilities under the Traffic Safety Act, the Vehicles Weights Committee orders that effective **12:00 NOON, Friday March 23, 2018**

Percentage Axle Weights for Highways are:

<u>HIGHWAY NO.</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>AXLE WEIGHTS %</u>
Arbutus Rd RR 6-3 & 6-1	From Hwy #11 to Butte Hall Rd	90%
Airport Road Access	From One Mile north of TWP Rd 40-0 to Airport	90%
Alhambra Rd RR 5-4	From Hwy #11 to SH598	90%
Beaver Flats Rd RR 6-0	From Hwy #598 to Hwy #12	90%
Bunch Road Rge Rd 5-4	From Hwy #598 North to Twp Rd 40-0	90%
Burnstick Lake Rd RR 6-3	From Hwy #54 to 9 km South	90%
Caroline North RR 6-1	From Hwy #54 North 10.5 kms to Butte Hall Rd Twp Rd 37-3	90%
Caroline South Rd RR 6-1	From the Village of Caroline South to extension of #587	90%
Cougar Ridge Twp Rd 38-5	From Hwy752 East ¼ mile Cougar Ridge Access Rd & Subdivision	90%
Crimson lake access	From Hwy756 West 1.6 km	90%
Crammond Rd TWP RD 35-4	From Hwy #22 East for 8 km	90%
Everdell Rd RR 7-3	From Prairie Creek (Hobbs) Road North to Hwy #752	90%
Golf Course Rd TWP RD 39-5	From Hwy #11A East to the golf course	90%
Greenwood Way, Cul-de-sac	Gravel-Greenwood Way entrance off RR 6-4 – Entire Cul-de-sac	50%
James River Rd RR 5-3	From James River Store on Hwy #587 South to Bridge	90%
Old Dovercourt Rd	From Hwy #11 for 1 km South RR 7-1 & East TWP RD 39-0	90%
Oras Rd RR 6-3	From Junction Hwy #11 North to Hwy #12	90%
Rainbow Ford Rd TWP RD 39-3	From Town/County Boundary East to the Taimi Road	50%
Red Deer River Access Rd	From County Boundary West for 10 km	75%
Wall Street Rd RR 4-3	From Hwy #11 South to County Boundary	90%
Withrow Rd RR 4-3	From Hwy #11 to Rainy Creek Road	90%
Dead End Gravel Road TWP RD 40-4	Gravel - From NE Corner of 20-40-8-W5 West to end of road	50%

This order remains in effect until further notice.

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