

Minutes of ECIA Road Committee Meeting
May 6, 2013

The meeting was called to order by Chair, Michael Chester, at 6:00 PM. Besides Michael, those in attendance included members Fred Raznick, Laurie Grob, Bob Burdette, and Board Liaison Nolan Zisman.

Absent: David Brown

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved and will be submitted for publication.

An update of the recently approved Legislative Funding of \$151,000 was discussed and thanks given to Nolan, Dag and Ed Moreno for their help in working with Senator Peter Wirth and Rep. Stephen Easley. The Committee agreed to consider revising the current priority list of road work for the best use of these new funds.

The schedule for the upcoming improvement projects to pave Herrada Road, Avenida Amistad and Avenida Buena Ventura will be followed closely. The County has selected a Design Engineering firm to provide a preliminary design for Herrada Road. There will be an opportunity for resident and community members to review and comment on the plans. The design phase will take approximately 4 months to complete and construction would begin sometime next spring.

The drainage improvements being done along Torneo Road and Conchas Loop is underway and new drive culverts have been installed. The barrow ditch is being reconstructed to provide adequate drainage. The main cross culvert at the intersection of Conchas Loop and Torneo Road is being extended and the intersection backfilled to insure safer access.

We continue to work with the Santa Fe County Sheriff's Department to help with speeding and littering issues. The Traffic Commander, Clp. Lucero is aware of these problems and will keep a dedicated officer in our area at most times.

We are still looking for a replacement on the County Road Advisory Committee to fill the vacancy left by Linda Pierce, who has officially resigned.

An inspection of all roads needs to be scheduled, preferably after a soaking rain. Nature will have to cooperate for this effort.

We adjourned early to allow everyone to be able to attend the annual ECIA meeting at 7:00pm.

The meeting adjourned at 6:40PM. The next meeting will be Monday, August 5th.

Submitted by Michael Chester