Highway Superintendent Report: 02/21/2023: Richard Meilleur

We have spent the majority of our time maintaining winter roads.

Also, we have cut and chipped low hanging limbs on the Nolan and McCarthy roads.

We have had the grader out several times to scrape hard pack off the roads. With the amount of freezing and thawing this winter it has been a challenge to keep our dirt roads in good condition.

It is also harder on our black top roads creating more potholes and larger cracks. I am looking into doing some crack sealing this summer and using \$35,000 to \$40,000 from CHIP's to add 4"-6" of crushed limestone to some of the problem areas on our dirt roads. That is about 10% of our CHIP's money.

The new International Plow Truck is now in production and should be delivered in May or June of this year.

I would like to bid on a John Deere Boom Mower on Auctions International and go to \$65,000 on it.

I would also like to thank the men for another safe and productive year.