

Highway Report

5/20/2025

We have spent most of our time getting ready for our paving projects. We have cleaned ditches, cut brush and large hazard trees on most of the roads we are going to pave. We still have some work to do on Dutton Rd to get it ready, but we are in pretty good shape and almost ready for paving. We are going to start reprofiling Hill Rd on Thursday, grinding and adding crushed stone. We should be done with the first phase of that project by next week.

We have got another 20 cords of firewood cut and split from the roadside trees that we had to take down. We have one truck at Cash Monroy's for transmission repair work, and we are waiting on a seal to fix our rollers; it should be in next week. All other equipment is up and running as of today.

I have received our CHIPS allotment; it is \$28,000.00 more than last year. CHIPS projects are listed #1-9 which is the worst road being #1 and #9 the best shape. We will do the projects that are in the worse shape first as to get them done for the September CHIPS reimbursement. So, projects 1-5 first then we will try to finish projects 6-9 this fall. That is 5.29 miles of paved, 3.34 miles CHIP sealed and .8 miles of crushed stone for a total of 9.43 miles of roads completed with CHIPS funding. That is over 12% of our total mileage of roads which will keep us on track to resurface all our roads including dirt roads with crusher run I the next 8-10 years.

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

Thank you,
Richard Meilleur