## GLA Road Committee Meeting Minutes Feb. 2, 2023 Phone-in

Committee members present: John Carp, Pouwell Gelderloos, Neil Kremer, Jaylyn Jensen

Committee members absent: Linda Kremer, Scott Stomieroski

Landowner present: Walter Wunsch, Joe Bezotsky

Meeting called to order by John at 7:08 pm.

- 1. Review January snow removal. There was only one January snow event, Jan. 27-28. This was followed by several days of high winds, which required daily plowing of drifts in high South through Feb. 2. No invoices received yet for January snow plowing. North had limited drifting.
- 2. Randy Traucht finished installing snow fencing on Dry Creek Rd, about 500 ft. South residents report he did an excellent job, and drifting was much less on Dry Creek. There was drifting near the intersection of Dry Creek and Arcturus, which will need addressing. Pouwell noted the fences are set back about 100 ft. from the road, but the snow drifted behind the fences only 25 ft. away. The fences may be able to be moved closer to the road next year, thus not intruding so much onto private land. This will be observed for the rest of this winter.
- 3. Sirius Rd. easement legal status: Dennis has received documents from CUT and these will be reviewed by the Legal Committee.
- 4. Spring maintenance: Only two contractors have responded to bid requests for Spring maintenance: Standish and Dirt Works. Mill Creek Construction, MacDonald, Bainter and Homestead not interested. Road surveys will be conducted as soon as weather allows in March with committee members and contractors.
- 5. Long-term planning: Standish and Wharton Asphalt of Billings will give assessments on the status of both asphalt roads in North and South as the weather allows. This will include assessing what areas of base that need replacing, as well as ditches that need improvement. They will provide bids for repair based on these assessments.

Wharton asphalt will also give bids on crack-sealing and chip sealing. These will not be done this year, but they will provide a benchmark for future work. John still to hear from other asphalt contractors in Bozeman and Billings for bids.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 PM.

John Carp GLA Road Chair