

1 Maine Department of Transportation  
Highway Program

June 28, 2017

Re: Rockport, Rockland, Thomaston, South Thomaston Project #018845.10, 018846.10, 018850.10 & SR-2084(510)

**Progress Meeting**

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is my understanding of items discussed at our progress meeting held on **Wednesday, June 28, 2017** at the MDOT Field Office in **Thomaston**.

The following were present:

Anne Lowe, Resident

Greg Dexter, Superintendent Lane  
Sean Mackintosh, Lane Intern

1. **Progress since last meeting:** Rockland-Rockport Old County Road: Lane Earth began installing drainage designed by Tim Pelotte Tuesday; reset Curb Type 5 at corner of Route 1 and Old County. Thomaston-Rockland Old County Road: Completed grading slopes and began placing 411.10 in drives. South Thomaston Route 73: Placed variable depth shim on the project between rain showers. Backed up some drives where property owners had been complaining. Lane Earth has finished installation of the drainage; they did some excavation as per plans and moved to Rockport on Monday. Lane wants to begin surface the week of July 10<sup>th</sup>.
2. **Expected activities before next meeting:** 18845 finish the drainage, possibly begin grading slopes again; 18846 complete grading slopes and drives; 18850 Lane Earth intends to put a second APE on and will possibly begin in South Thomaston; 20485 install granite curb Thursday & Friday and begin building sidewalks Wednesday of next week, July 5<sup>th</sup>. Start grinding main line butt joints on Old County Road. Temporary striping on all projects on Friday morning.
3. **Contractor's Schedule of Work:** Contractor is close to being back on schedule.
4. **Payment progress:** Completed Progress Estimate No. 6; will do #7 on Friday.
5. **Field Observations:** Jamie Andrews dropped off a drawing he and Tim did so that Clayton would have the information needed to install the drainage in Rockport.
6. **Project Control Log:** Clayton Rancourt is keeping a log. Greg also notes erosion control measures. Drainage and grading crews mulch nightly.

7. **Anticipated Traffic Delays or Related Issues:** None.
8. **Working Drawings Submittals:** N/A
9. **Updates to Pre-construction submittals:** None
10. **Change Orders, RFI's, correspondence:** I had a few meetings with the librarian, Town officials and others about the granite steps at the library. They were designed to be removed and replaced by concrete steps. Last Friday, the designer, Tom Kendrick, Denis Lovely and I met with South Thomaston Town Officials and agreed to leave the steps in place as well as the oak tree at the corner of the library drive by eliminating the sidewalk on Dublin Street. Instead the granite curb will run from the corner at the Route 73 intersection to the library steps with a 2' snow shelf behind it and the lawn sloped to meet it.
11. **Issues, Disputes, claims, concerns and resolutions:** I received the signed work permit from Sonja Sleeper and the work will be done when Lane can get an excavator back on that project.
12. **Project Safety:** Last Wednesday afternoon there was a minor accident when a mix truck and a small SUV collided as they both tried to exit Wellington Drive. Yesterday a dump truck driver turned his load of HMA over on Dexter Street. He was transported to the hospital. Also a flagger dropped her trunk lid on her head and knocked herself out. Greg took her to the hospital to be checked out.
13. **Utility Issues:** Central Maine Power has moved their lines off the old pole to the new pole at West Meadow Rd. Telephone and cable are still on the old pole.

This is a summary of the meeting as I recall. Any request to revise these minutes as written, shall be forwarded to the Resident, within 7 Days of Receipt.

Submitted by:  
Anne Lowe, Resident

cc: Tim Pelotte, John Wood, Emory Lovely, Barry Breton, Val Derosier, Scott Bickford, Al Robbins, Ty Pooler, Mark LaGross, Cory Nutting, Greg Dexter, Wayne Watson, Clayton Rancourt, John Fancy, Joshua Mooers, Mike Vannah, Skip McKay, Chris Verzoni, Jim Scheid, Jim Cherry, Keith Ellis, Nuel Crawford, Michael Cummins, Dave Beaulieu, John Costa, James Cannon