

Maine Department of Transportation  
Highway Program

August 30, 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, August 30, 2017** at the MDOT Field Office in **Thomaston**.

The following were present:

Anne Lowe, Resident  
Tim Pelotte, Project Manager

Cory Nutting, Lane Project Manager

1. **Progress since last meeting:** *Rockland-Rockport Old County Road:* Finished the driveways and painted the stop bar @ Route 1. *Thomaston-Rockland Old County Road:* No work on this project this week. *South Thomaston Route 73:* Finished inslope/ditch work. Paved from Sta 61+00 +/- to 221+26 Lt & Rt to complete the surface except for the 8' shoulder on the right at the beginning of the project. Paved some drives on Elm Street. *South Thomaston Sidewalk & Drainage:* Paved the bituminous curb sidewalk as far as possible. AD Electric installed the pedestal poles and flashing beacons at the sidewalk/island at the boat landing and by the 'Keag Store. Finished the bituminous curb at the school entrance and built the sidewalk. Painted centerline and white edge lines from 10+00 – 221+26. Painted the stop bar at Dublin Road and the x-walks from the boat landing to the 'Keag Store, corner to corner of Dublin Road and from the sidewalk on Elm Street to the post office. Installed Detectable Warning Fields at the SW ramps at the island at the boat landing, the 'Keag Store, both corners of Dublin Road and across from the Post Office.
2. **Expected activities before next meeting:** 18845: Punch list items. Sonja Sleeper's place will be done when fence and trees are available. 18846: Punch list. 18850: Finish placing the finer shoulder material which was begun today using a shoulder machine. Pave the 8' shoulder at the beginning of the project and continue paving drives. Finish grinding butt joints at drives and side streets. Law's scheduled to hydroseed Thursday. 20485: Finish paving the sidewalk and entrances at the Post Office, store, boat landing, etc. Hydroseed with Method 1 & Mulch.
3. **Contractor's Schedule of Work:** Good

4. **Payment progress:** Progress Estimate No. 12 was done last Saturday. No. 13 will be done the end of this week.
5. **Field Observations:** Cory sent me prices from Superior for cedar and pressure-treated pine fencing; at first Sonja wanted cedar, but then decided pressure-treated. Cory said Willie Law is working on finding 6'-8' cedar trees. Jeff may trim some of the broken branches this week.

I brought up the fact there are several signs on the plans that are designated "Remove and Replace." These have not yet been ordered. We talked about the possibility of just having them installed by the Department, but decided to have the Contractor order them and install them. The Completion will not be held up by this item.

Tim asked if the old outlet of basin near the Post Office had been bricked up; I didn't know for sure and neither did Cory. I said I would find out; I asked Jeff and he said it hasn't been done yet.
6. **Project Control Log:** Good
7. **Anticipated Traffic Delays or Related Issues:** None
8. **Working Drawings Submittals:** None
9. **Updates to Pre-construction submittals:** I asked about the subcontracts for fleet trucks; Cory said there has been no change.
10. **Change Orders, RFI's, correspondence:** CM for 8' delineator posts to replace the 12' posts originally planned is combined with the trees and fencing. It is still in draft form as of now. I will finish it as soon as Cory nails down the pricing.
11. **Issues, Disputes, claims, concerns and resolutions:** Last Thursday Tim and Cory saw the property owner who claimed his windows were broken by the hoe ram. Tim will let Bill O'Connor know about the assertion and Cory will contact Lane's legal division, but neither thought the man would pursue the claim.
12. **Project Safety:** Good
13. **Utility Issues:** None

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, Val Derosier, Scott Bickford, 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 Connon