

KCRC Board Meeting Minutes

April 13, 2026

Meeting Time: 2:00 p.m.

Present: Karvonen, Bracco Absent: Olson

Staff Present: Greg Kingstrom, Jesse Patrick, Chris Cronenworth

Guests: Melissa Davis

Meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m. by Commissioner Karvonen and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Commissioner Bracco motioned to approve the agenda. Commissioner Karvonen supported the motion. Ayes: 2, Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The regular meeting minutes of March 9, 2026 were reviewed and approved by a motion of Commissioner Karvonen and supported by Commissioner Bracco. Ayes: 2, Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Voucher #28351 and #28353 and Master Vouchers #7 - 2026 and #8 - 2026 in the total amount of \$333,373.53 were audited by the Commissioners. Commissioner Bracco motioned to pay the bills as presented. Supported by Commissioner Karvonen. Ayes: 2, Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Financial Statement was presented and reviewed by the Board.

Opportunity for public comment was provided. Melissa Davis presented a local craft store item that would be made and sold that replicates Keweenaw County Road Commission rustic wood signage and asked if there was any conflict to produce and sell. No conflict exists.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

Engineer/Manager presented the 2026 Paving Projects bids that were received on March 12, 2026. Two bids were received; Bacco Construction Co. in the amount of \$827,156.00 and Payne & Dolan Inc. in the amount of \$832,292.00. Commissioner Bracco motioned to award the Bacco Construction Co. Commissioner Karvonen supported the motion. Ayes: 2, Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Engineer/Manager presented the opportunity to join the recently formed Rural Road Alliance of Michigan. More research and information are needed prior to approving membership application and fee. No action taken at this time.

Engineer/Manager discussed with Board the options for filling an open laborer/truck driver position. Engineer/Manager was authorized to formally post the position. Review of potential candidates will be re-visited at a future Board meeting.

Other

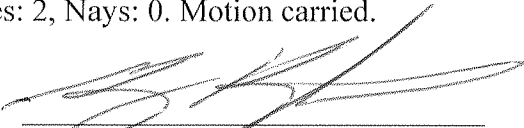
The Engineer/Manager provided a verbal report of current items of general business, operations, equipment and ongoing activities. Other items of routine business were discussed.

Opportunity for public comment was again offered. None received.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:55 p.m. by motion of Commissioner Bracco and supported by Commissioner Karvonen. Ayes: 2, Nays: 0. Motion carried.



John Karvonen, Vice Chairman



Greg Kingstrom, P.E., Engineer/Manager