



# Town of Pownal

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## Public Works

### ROAD COMMISSIONERS REPORT

September 18, 2019

- **Clear Pond View:** Discussion with CEO on driveway culvert and erosion control street sign and hardware ordered. Working on a letter to the property owner.
- **Equipment:** truck 4 back from Mid Coast truck 1 being checked over and inspection sticker, truck 6 is next this week. Leaving trucks 2 and 3 and equipment trailer.
- **Chadsey Road:** Cross culvert patched in, road is ready for surface paving from Allen to the bridge. Crooker has us on the list. (probably the first week in October) Meeting Bob Mosley next week to confirm the work and time schedule.
- **Chadsey Road:** From the bridge to West Pownal Rd. has been ditched and new cross culvert installed 30 inches lower than the original. Outlet side was armored to reduce scour. Removed dead trees from the pond, vegetation management. And 12 loads of 1 1/2" gravel added from pavement to bridge.
- **Leighton Hill:** Due to time sensitive work on Poland Rd. We will this project off until spring. Crooker will add Reclaim material to the hill only and compact it with rollers when done with Chadsey paving. What we put down is working but it was not thick or compacted enough to prevent the chattering.
- **Loring Lane Extension:** Worked with Mrs. Rolfe to upgrade the drainage in the area of the turn around. John Mann conducted a Boundary Survey of this road to officially determine the town's right of way. Lowered both Rolfe driveway and field access culverts. Up sized driveway culvert from a 12 to 15 inch N-12.
- **Speed Trailer:** On or about September 14 the speed trailer was hit on the inbound side of Allen Rd. It was recovered and a police report made out. Estimated repairs/replacement is about \$ 4,200.00
- **Road Complaint/Concern Form:** I am working on a standard road complaint/concern form for the Town Office staff instead of using sticky notes.
- **Poland Road Multi Plate:** Staying in contact with AE Hodsdon regarding the Stream Smart Poland Road grant request.
- **Poland Road Ditching:** Started ditching and resetting cross culverts from Rt.9 to Libby Rd.
- **Out of the office/work:** due to a death in my family from 12:00 Monday Sept 16 to Monday morning Sept 23 available by phone and email. Checked in with the crew, emails, texts and phone calls from home.
- **Review Truck 5 Replacement Quotes:** Rowe Ford has the most competitive quote. Trafford Supply in New Gloucester will outfit the truck with plow and warning lights. This is pending the special Town Meeting vote on September 25.
- **Contact with DOT on Chadsey Bridge Guardrail:** Pownal is responsible for repair on the guardrail. As we own the road I will be getting quotes for repairs. This is the final unfinished item to be addressed on this section of road.