

The Ellsworth Town Board met Friday, April 3, 2026 at 2:30 p.m. via a video conference call for a special board meeting. Present was Supervisors Brad Ristow and Gordon Borner and Clerk Russ Korpela. Chairman Billeter was not present with an excused absence. A meeting notice was posted at the Town Hall Garage, Ellsworth Post Office and Nilssen's Grocery Store.

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Supervisor Ristow called the meeting to order.

AMEND ORDINANCE

The culvert replacement project on Highway 65 near the Shady Grove is placing undue stress on some Town of Ellsworth roads as people seek alternate routes.

2024-2 – NO THRU
TRUCK ROUTES

As a result, we have been seeing higher levels of traffic on some roads including heavy truck traffic and there are already examples of road damage.

Town of Ellsworth Roads are currently on under Spring weight restrictions. The Town can also establish NO THRU TRUCK roads by ordinance.

The following road sections are seeing extra stress due to the Highway 65 project:

650th St from Cty Rd N to 610th Av

670th St from 580th Av to 610th Av

610th Av from 670th St to Highway 63

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M/S/C to add the listed road sections to the Town of Ellsworth Ordinance 2024-2 NO THRU TRUCK ROUTES. (Motion made by Gordon Borner, seconded by Brad Ristow)

Motion made by Borner to adjourn 2:55 pm