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Shingle recycling program could improve county roads

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

MONTROSE - The county and local landfill officials are in the early stages of possibly using recycled shingles to help better maintain gravel roads in the county.

At Tuesday's regular meeting of the Lee County Board of Supervisors, supervisors Gary Folluo and Ron Fedler said they had met with Great River Regional Waste Authority director Wade Hamm and County Engineer Ernie Steffensmeier about an idea to use recycled shingles mixed with rock to apply to gravel roads.

"We just in the very early investigative stages of this," Hamm said Thursday. "Nothing is written in stone, but it could help with our secondary roads."

Hamm said the county has been recycling shingles since 2014 in a program with Gray Quarries of Hamilton. The shingles are stockpiled and then taken over to the quarry where they are ground up and then eventually combined with hot mix and used with asphalt.

This would be a different program where the shingles would be mixed with gravel in a less intensive grind and laid down on gravel roads. Several other Iowa counties including Scott and Story counties are using a similar program. County officials will be taking a trip to Scott County in the near future to look at a test road.

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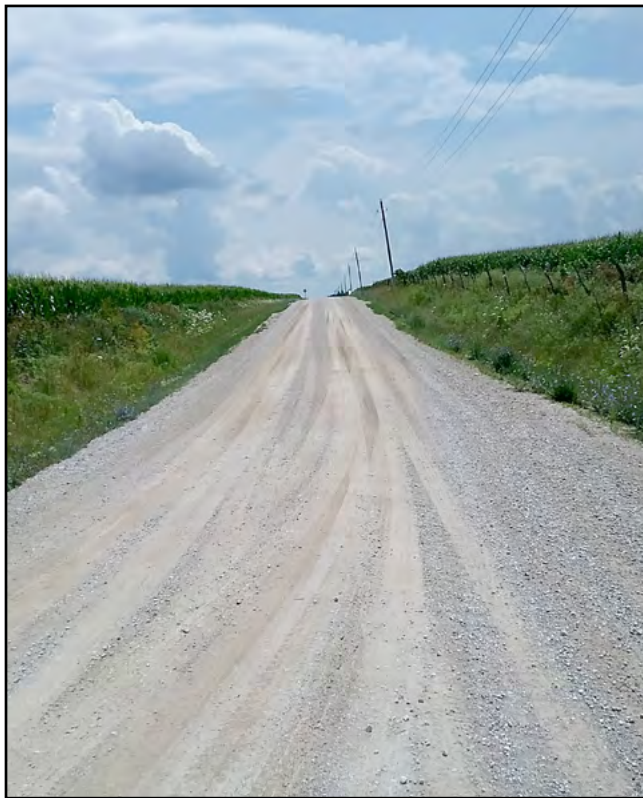


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Lee County roads could become part of a test program with Great River Regional Waste Authority and Lee County to use recycled shingles and a gravel mix to help with dust and water control.

THIS WEEKEND

RiverFest pre-party set for Sunday

BY PCC STAFF

FORT MADISON - A Riverfest Pre-Party has been set for Baxter Sports Complex on Sunday, July 16th from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Events include sand volleyball, bags, and KanJam tournaments. There will be lots of RiverFest giveaways including tickets. Anyone playing in any of the tournaments will be eligible for a 40-quart Grizzly cooler full of your favorite beverage on ice.

Keokuk's Trystan Grisham will be performing from 2 to 4 p.m. The team with the most creative name will win a round of drinks on RiverFest.

Browns, IFC sponsor city band Sunday

BY PCC STAFF

FORT MADISON - This Sunday the Ft. Madison City Band will once again be performing in Central Park at 7:30 pm.

This week's concert, sponsored by Lyle & Gwen Brown, and the Iowa Fertilizer Plant, will be featuring: Normany Beach Concert March; Big Band Polka; Selections from Oklahoma; Denbridge Way; On A Hymn-song of Philip Bliss; Leroy Anderson's Blue Tango; Brighton Beach Concert March; Captive; and more.

Bring a picnic, a lawn chair or enjoy the concert from one of the provided benches at 7:30 pm; let the kids enjoy the playground while listening to the City Band. Next Sunday, July 23rd, will be the final concert on the City Band's summer season.

The Nauvoo Pageant Bagpipe Band will be performing before the City Band Concert.

Fishing tourney Saturday

BY PCC STAFF

FORT MADISON - A youth fishing derby will be held at Riverview Park in Fort Madison on Saturday morning

Registration will start at 7:30 a.m. and the tournament will run from 8:00-11:00 a.m. Kids do not need to attend all Lee County tournaments to qualify for the finals. The top two from each age group will participate in a finals tournament held in August. Each individual tournament will include a lunch, medals, and big and little fish prizes.

The 2017 fishing tournaments are sponsored by Lee County Conservation, Three Rivers Conservation Foundation, Jim Queisner Memorial, Illinois Junior Fishing Association, Pheasants Forever, Quail Forever, and other local businesses.



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Cones, barricades, and the familiar Schickedanz construction trailer near the Old Lee County Bank building on Tuesday indicate long-awaited work on the upper apartment buildings in several downtown locations is set to begin shortly.

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Sports/Classifieds

New program has many applications

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"This will help prevent washboarding (the heavy bumping that takes place when a vehicle comes to intersections of gravel roads), it's awesome dust control and it makes water run off so it doesn't seep into the base," Hamm said. "It's a little more expensive to put it on, but there is less wear and tear on equipment with this process. We're looking at doing some test spots, but we're gonna go up to Scott County so Ernie and Ben (Hull, the assistant county engineer) can actually see it and then we'll go from there."

Hamm said this mix doesn't require any oil. Trucks would lay it down and then the vehicles driving over the mix and the natural heat causes everything to stick together.

Fedler said the county is just gathering information at this stage.

"But it sounds good," Fedler said Tuesday. "It's probably worth a trip up there just to see one of those roads. Story county has been doing it for three years and we want to find out their results to see if that's a problem. You don't want to be the first and you don't

want to be the last."

Folluo said there are several ways the county could use the recycled product.

"I think they got a lot of work to do yet - investigative stuff for a different application for our roads that may help with dust control and keep rock on the road," Folluo said. "There's a couple different applications. Where you come from a gravel road to a paved road, and then light applications and heavy applications."

Hamm said recycling shingles for asphalt requires a certain specification on the grind, but this program would not be so intensive. The systems also uses large magnets to pull metal nails out during the grind and aluminum nails are ground up in the process so tire punctures shouldn't be a big concern.

He also said keeping shingles out of the landfill helps prolong the life of the landfill.

"We don't want them in the landfill. We want them out so they can be reused for something. If we can do this program it would be win-win for everyone."

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OBITUARIES

RAMONA MAE LEWISTON

Ramona Mae Lewiston, 88 years, of Montrose, Iowa died at 6:30 am Thursday, July 13, 2017 at the Fort Madison Community Hospital, Fort Madison. She was born on March 25, 1929 in Clio, Iowa, daughter of Theodore M. and Mamie Emily (Beaman) Cook. She married James Philip "Phil" Lewiston Sr. on March 12, 1948 in Perry, Iowa. He preceded her in death on October 22, 1994.



LEWISTON

Mrs. Lewiston was a school teacher and taught for 28 years at Central Lee Schools. She was a member of Calvary First Assembly of God Church and read her Bible daily. She enjoyed gardening, taking care of her many house plants, and doing crossword puzzles. She was deeply devoted to her family, former students, and friends.

She is survived by three sons: James P. (Christal) Lewiston Jr, of Montrose; Ted (China) Lewiston, of Bellevue, Nebraska; and Tom (Teri) Lewiston, of Bellevue, Nebraska; eight grandchildren, seven great grandchildren, and a special friend, Marsha Hayes. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, one daughter Linda Grover, and one brother T. Robert Cook.

Visitation will be held from 1:00 - 2:00 pm Sunday, July 16, 2017 at the Barr Memorial Chapel, Fort Madison. A funeral will follow and begin at 2:00 pm Sunday, July 16, 2017 at the Barr Memorial Chapel with Reverend Scott Gruening officiating. Burial will be at Montrose Cemetery, Montrose, Iowa. A memorial is established for the Calvary First Assembly of God Church and/or PAWS. Online condolences to the Lewiston family may be made at the Barr Memorial Chapel website, www.barrmemorialchapel.com.

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- Avoid over-packaged & disposable goods
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