

Genesee County Horizontal Curve Sign Study

Executive Summary

March 2013

The purpose of the Study was to assess the current traffic control devices associated with the horizontal curves on the 268 miles of Genesee County roadways. The County will utilize the findings of this study to confirm proper current traffic control devices and to implement additional traffic control devices if necessary.

Genesee County issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) in July 2012 to determine the existing and required signage needed to adequately identify the horizontal curves along Genesee County Roads. Several proposals were reviewed by Genesee County during this process. The selected consultant, Hunt Engineers, was chosen for their past experience and expertise with similar studies.

The Study included the surveying of County centerline mileage for horizontal curves and providing recommendations for appropriate signage based on the latest Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Device (MUTCD). The Genesee County Legislature awarded a contract to Hunt Engineers on October 24, 2012 in an amount not to exceed \$35,989.

Hunt Engineers performed the Horizontal Curve Study during November and December 2012 and Genesee County reviewed a draft report and added traffic count data into the report in February 2013. Data collected and recommendations were made in the final report and deliverables to Genesee County in March 2013. Genesee County was invoiced for work and Hunt Engineers was paid in full by Genesee County on March 20, 2013 in the total amount of \$35,530.57. Hunt Engineers was easy to work with and produced a quality report that will allow Genesee County to develop a plan to upgrade the signage at horizontal curves throughout the county.