



Lincoln Highway Heritage Byway  
Corridor Management Plan Meeting  
Cedar County Area

April 17, 2015  
3-30 Club, Lowden

Meeting Notes and Community Member Input

**How has the Lincoln Highway enhanced your community up until now? What assets does your community have?**

Historic & Cultural:

- Lincoln Hotel - Lowden
- Gas station - Lowden
- Gas station - Stanwood (last canopy station in Iowa?)
- Old stretch of road (needs a bridge over a stream, can make a walking trail?)
- Corner Café - Lowden
- Lehigh Restaurant in Clarence
- Wendt Realty - Clarence (was a gas station)
- Murals - Clarence (including a Grant Wood mural)
- Folsom Truck stop - East of Mechanicsville
- Cabins on north side of road - West of Mechanicsville
- Gas stations and cabins by Seedling Mile
- Furrow from Bloomington/Muscatine to Marion
- Squaw Creek Park
- Tipton Library - Grant Wood information there
- Cemeteries - between Tipton and Highway 30, honoring veterans
- One person buried away from cemetery because of smallpox
- Hoover Highway
- Hoover and Truman got off the train here
- Carnegie library

Natural:

- Wildlife area near the three Wheatland Bridges
- County Park on the Wapsie with church and river
- Indian Wells

Scenic:

- Tipton - garden
- West Branch
- Road "stair steps" outside Lowden

Archaeological:

- Cedar Valley Quarry
- Arrowheads found in the area

Recreational:

- 3-30 Golf Course
- Wapsie - fishing

**What could the Lincoln Highway mean to your community in the future? What ideas do you have?**

- Sites for kiosks: Stanwood by Highway Gardens, dance hall; Lowden by Lincoln Hotel; Joe Goodlove has worked on kiosk locations
- Scott County moviemakers
- How to get younger people involved in Lincoln Highway?
- *Alice's Drive* book
- Replace missing byway signs
- Three Wheatland bridges - new bridge for a car crusher site might block off older Lincoln Highway bridge - needs follow up. Other bridges may also be at risk