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Former Michigan State Representative O’Malley honored with Distinguished Service Highway Industry Award

LANSING, MI – Benzie County resident and former State Representative Jack O’Malley was honored by the County Road Association (CRA) of Michigan with a Distinguished Service Highway Industry Award at CRA’s 2023 Highway Conference on March 22.

The Distinguished Service Highway Industry Award recognizes those individuals that do not work at road commissions or departments but who have dedicated their time, talent and service to the advancement of the local road system.

“Representative O’Malley has played an integral role in improving transportation for drivers all across the state of Michigan,” said Denise Donohue, CRA CEO. “His contributions are highly appreciated, and CRA is grateful for being able to work with him throughout his many years of service.”

Rep. O’Malley served as a member of the Tax Policy Committee, Education Committee and Energy Committee and—importantly—he always gave CRA a fair listening ear. He has helped county roads in many ways as chair of the Michigan House Transportation Committee.

The 83 members of the County Road Association of Michigan represent the unified voice for a safe and efficient county transportation infrastructure system in Michigan, including appropriate stewardship of the public’s right-of-way in rural and urban Michigan. Collectively, Michigan’s county road agencies manage 75% of all roads in the state, including 90,000 miles of roads and 5,700 bridges. County road agencies also maintain the state’s highway system in 63 counties. Michigan has the nation’s fourth-largest local road system.



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