

## CASS COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD MEETING

February 3, 2020

The Cass County Drainage Board met at 1:55 P.M. in room 203 of the Cass County Government Building. Those in attendance were members: Ralph Anderson, Jim Sailors, Ryan Browning, Surveyor Josh LeDonne, Secretary Brena Pearson and Attorney Jeff Stanton.

Ryan Browning called the meeting to order.

### MINUTES

Jim Sailors made a motion to approve the minutes for January 6, 2020 meeting. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; Motion carried unanimously.

### EXPENSE CLAIMS

Jim Sailors made a motion to approve expense claims CCS-1298 –CCS-1303. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; Motion carried unanimously.

### NEW WORK ORDERS

(112) Noah Simmons Tile:

One large suck hole approx. 1000 ft. from the ditch, Surveyor LeDonne estimates around \$3000 to repair. Jim Sailors made a motion to do the repairs, with a public meeting to follow. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; motion carried unanimously.

(37) DeHaven Open & Tile:

Dredged last year, removed 3 feet of sediment, found pipes need replaced, they are washing the banks out. Surveyor LeDonne estimates \$3000-\$4000 to repair 8 pipes. Jim Sailors made a motion to do the repairs. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; motion carried unanimously.

(28) Kennell Berkshire Open:

Surveyor LeDonne reported that the ditch needs brush removed and log jams removed, he estimates \$ 12,000 to clear. Jim Sailors made a motion to clear the ditch. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; motion carried unanimously.

(12) Henderson Tile:

Surveyor LeDonne reported that there are 2-3 holes in the tile that need repaired. Jim Sailors made a motion to get prices, Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; motion carried unanimously.

(45) Whipperman Open & Tile:

This open needs dipped out and cleaned. Jim Sailors made a motion to dip and clean the ditch. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; motion carried unanimously.

### CURRENT PROJECT UPDATES

i.(2) Sylvester Maroney Open:

Work hasn't started yet.

ii(94).Dykeman Tile:

Josh reported to the board the work started last Friday.

iii.(71) Keren Neff Open:

Work hasn't started yet.

### OTHER BUSINESS.

Drainage Study- - Rehwalt Drain

No problems.

### PUBLIC COMMENT

Paul Slusser(contractor) 476W.700 S. Rochester, IN.

The Tile in the Gary Miller Tile has 11 suck holes in a 1000 foot span. The tile is really shallow, has 6 inches of dirt on top of it. Need to reroute the tile 150 ft. in either direction, to get it under the ground further and apply more cover on it to protect it. Need to replace about 1000 feet to eliminate all the issues. The cost will be roughly \$ 25-\$30,000. Jim Sailors made a motion to hold a public meeting. Ralph Anderson 2<sup>nd</sup>; motion carried unanimously.

### ADJOURNMENT.