

The Rush County Drainage Board met in the Commissioner’s Room of the courthouse on October 30, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. with the following present: Mark Bacon, Paul Wilkinson, Bruce W. Levi, members; Leigh Morning, Board attorney; Marvin L. Rees, Surveyor, Shelle Hendrix, secretary. Don Biehl, landowner was also present.

A motion was made by Wilkinson to approve the minutes from the previous Board meeting with a 2nd by Levi and were approved and signed.

CANADY TILE

Mr. Biehl showed pictures of holes in Canady Tile that need to be repaired. He would like to see this portion of the tile reconstructed. The Surveyor stated that it was in need of reconstruction but there are three other drain reconstruction projects in line ahead of this one. Mr. Biehl also said Milco Dairy had pumped water onto his property. The dairy said that IDEM gave them a permit to do this. Attorney Morning stated the dairy needed an easement to pump water onto another person’s property. The Board asked the Surveyor to get a copy of this permit if possible.

JAMES ALEXANDER TILE

The Surveyor presented photographs and stated the waterway is in. He further stated they are waiting for Gordons to finish getting their crops in before work is resumed.

CARR/STANLEY TILE

Attorney Morning reported she had not had a chance to talk to Henry County. The Surveyor asked permission to speak to Wesslers and was told he could do so.

HH ELLIOT DRAIN

The Surveyor reported the drain has received major work from 44 to the outlet. Part of the watershed is in Fayette County. The current indebtedness is -\$16,657.15 and he suggested \$2 per acre and \$20.00 minimum. This will bring in \$3,938.00. It was decided to hold a hearing on November 27 at 10:30 a.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board a motion to adjourn was made by Levi, with a 2nd by Bacon. Motion carried.

Mark Bacon	Paul Wilkinson	Bruce W. Levi