The Rush County Drainage Board met on June 21, 2021 at 10:58 a.m. in the Commissioner’s Room of the Rush County Courthouse with the following present; Mark Bacon, Paul Wilkinson, and Ron Jarman members; Marvin L Rees, Surveyor, Ashley Perkins, Secretary and Leigh Morning, Attorney.

The minutes for the meeting held on June 7th, 2021 were approved and signed on motion by Jarman, 2nd by Wilkinson.

**RUSH COUNTY STORM DRAINAGE POLICY**

Surveyor presented a Drainage Waiver from Mark & Cheryl Highsmith. Waiver was approved and signed. Motion by Jarman, 2nd by Wilkinson. Motion carried.

Surveyor presented a Drainage Waiver from Doris Jean Wilson & Marcia Jarman et. al. Waiver was approved and signed. Motion by Bacon, 2nd by Wilkinson. Motion carried. Ron Jarman abstained.

Surveyor presented a Drainage Waiver from Jason & Carl Herbert. Waiver was approved and signed. Motion by Wilkinson, 2nd by Jarman. Motion carried.

Surveyor presented a Drainage Waiver from Eric & Samantha. Waiver was approved and signed. Motion by Wilkinson, 2nd by Jarman Motion carried.

**COUNTY FARM DRAIN**

Mark and the Surveyor met with Niedenthal on site Friday June 18th, 2021. The tile appears to be blocked some place. Niedenthal has installed a levy on the edge of the county’s property to keep water from crossing his property, which is the natural flow of the water. Attorney Morning said it is illegal to block the natural flow of water. This levy will need to be removed in order to find the blockage. Bacon and the Surveyor and Gettinger Excavating plan to meet with Niedenthal at 2:00 p.m. on June 21, 2021, this afternoon, to discuss a plan of action.

With nothing else to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned on motion by Wilkinson, 2nd by Jarman. Motion carried.

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Mark Bacon                  Paul Wilkinson                  Ron Jarman