The Rush County Drainage Board met on December 6, 2021 at 9:55 a.m. in the Commissioner’s Room of the Rush County Courthouse with the following presents; Mark Bacon, Paul Wilkinson, and Ron Jarman members; Marvin L. Rees, Surveyor, Ashley Perkins, Secretary. Also present; James Ramsey, Jerry Stevens and Desmond Stevens.

The minutes for the meeting held on November 19th, 2021 were approved and signed on motion by Bacon, 2nd by Jarman.

GEISE/STEVENS

Surveyor mention to the Board that Geise has filed for Judicial Review.

Jerry and Desmond Stevens stated that they would have no problem delaying action on their petition to change designated of the drain till after judicial review is resolved.

JAMES S E HOLLIGOSS

Surveyor presented a picture to the Board of water standing on the land just south of SR 44 owned by Terry Ellis. The tenant has made several comments that the tile is off grade. James Ramsey, is the contractor that installed the tile, stated that he is positive that it is not off grade. He feels that there are springs in the area and that it could be the reason it is causing problems. After much discussion the Board decided to send a letter to the landowner explaining the situation. The County will take care of all the expenses. However, if in order to correct a problem more tiling is needed that will be at the landowner’s expense. Ramsey stated that his work is guaranteed for 3 years if anything is to go wrong with the County tile he will fix it.

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

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Mark Bacon               Paul Wilkinson               Ron Jarman