

**DRAINAGE BOARD MEETING**

**February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

The Rush County Drainage Board met at 10:13a.m. February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026 with the following present: Ron Jarman, Jeff Wilson, Kenny Aulbach, Marvin L, Rees, Surveyor, Ashley Perkins, Secretary, Ryan Miller, Surveyor Apprentice and Grant Reeves, attorney. Also present Tom Mahan and Doug Hall.

The minutes of the meeting held on January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026 were approved on motion by Jarman, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wilson. Motion carried.

**JOHN GAHIMER TILE**

Surveyor stated to the Board that we need to look for different options on this project with speaking with local contractors and getting their input. Ryan stated he would contact a few and let the Board know. Doug stated he thought Richad Lyols would be someone good to speak with. Board made motion to speak with Richard Lyols by Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jarman. Motion carried.

**DAVID CANADY TILE**

Ryan stated to the Board that John Gray stopped into the office about this drain and was wanting to put a new waterway in. Ryan stated it needs to be reassessed. Ryan gave the Board NCRS maps of the drain. Ryan also stated about getting it done in the summer time. Board made motion to move forward by Jarman, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wilson. Motion carried.

**BIG FLATROCK RIVER OPEN**

Surveyor and Ryan brought to the Board on the joint board Henry, Fayette County on this drain and how they met with them a few times on how to go about reassessing the drain. Ryan stated that there is a new Watershed district commissions they came out with in 2024.

**SIGN SCHEDULE OF ASSESSMEMTS SAM TRABUE AND JOHN MCCARTY**

Board made motion to sign Sam Trabue Tile by Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jarman.

Board made motion to sign John McCarty Tile by Jarman, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Wilson.

Doug stated about meeting with other counties on summer projects. Ryan stated he would see what he can find out and let the Board know.

With nothing else to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned by Wilson, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Hall. Motion carried.

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Kenny Aulbach

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Jeff Wilson

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Ron Jarman

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Doug Hall

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