

## **AGENDA**

### **Weir Drain Drainage Board** Lapeer and Oakland Counties

**1:00 p.m., Thursday, July 21, 2022**

Brandon Township Library  
304 South Street  
Ortonville, MI 48462

1. Call meeting to order

Board Members:

Mike Gregg, Chair, Michigan Department of Agriculture & Rural Development  
Joseph Suma, Lapeer County Drain Commissioner  
James Nash, Oakland County Water Resources Commissioner

2. Approval of the meeting agenda for July 21, 2022
3. Approval of the Drainage District Board Meeting Minutes from May 5, 1987
4. Public Comment
5. Present Memorandum from Geoff S. Wilson, P.E., Assistant Chief Engineer and Ed Thick, Drain Maintenance Supervisor, dated July 21, 2022, requesting the Board to authorize the Oakland County Water Resources Commissioner to perform the inspection and necessary maintenance, as limited by the Michigan Drain Code, for 2023 and approve an assessment of \$5,000 for 2023
6. Other Business
7. Adjourn

**Agenda Item No. 3**

Board Meeting Minutes from  
May 5, 1987

Weir

May 5, 1987  
Weir Inter-county Drain Meeting  
Held Corner of Baldwin & Davison Lake Roads

Members Present:

Jeffrey Friedle, P.E. - Michigan Department of Agriculture  
David Snyder - Deputy and Chief Engineer Oakland County  
Donald Seames - Drain Maintenance Supervisor Lapeer County

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Non-members Present:

Norm Nicklas - Landowner  
George Bondi - Chief of Operation & Maintenance & Engineer  
Brandon Township Supervisor

Call to order at 10:00 A.M., at the corner of Baldwin and Davison Lake Roads, then moved to drain sight just west of Baldwin Road on Davison Lake Road north side of road.

Discussion of brushing and spraying. The brush has been pretty much cleared by the landowner on the Lapeer County side and Mr. Nicklas is planning to clear the brush on the Oakland County side, on his property.

Motion by Seames, seconded by Snyder that the Lapeer County drain office will furnish the spike, and that the landowner Mr. Norm Nicklas will apply. The cost is to be split between Oakland and Lapeer Counties at 60% Oakland and 40% Lapeer.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Norm Nicklas is to send this office a letter releasing the drainage district and the inter-county drain board of any responsibility as well as liability for the spreading of the spike.

Mr. Norm Nicklas is to notify the neighbors downstream at least 10 days prior to the spreading of the spike. Two (2) downstream neighbors having animals.

Mr. Norm Nicklas is also to send the Lapeer County Drain Commissioner a letter stating the number of rods to be treated with spike for the purpose of ordering spike.

No further business to come before this board for discussion.

Motion by Snyder, supported by Seames to adjourn.

Motion carried unanimously.

## **Agenda Item No. 4**

### **Public Comment**

**Agenda Item No. 5**

**Drain Maintenance Memorandum**

**OAKLAND COUNTY  
WATER RESOURCES COMMISSIONER**

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Michael Gregg - Chairperson of the Weir Inter-county Drain Drainage Board

**FROM:** Geoff S. Wilson, P.E. - Assistant Chief Engineer  
Ed Thick – Supervisor Drain Maintenance

**SUBJECT:** Weir Drain Maintenance

**DATE:** July 21, 2022

The Weir Drain was inspected in 2015 and the inspection yielded approximately \$5,000 worth of repairs. The repairs primarily consisted of downed tree removals. The drain was inspected again in 2018 and yielded approximately \$700 worth of repairs that consisted of removing downed trees. An inspection is scheduled for 2022 and is estimated to cost \$2,000.

One operational complaint was received in April 2022 and warranted beaver dam removal and several trips to the site to trap. The total cost of the effort was approximately \$1,400.

The maintenance account has a deficit balance of (\$9,557) as of March 31, 2022. The assessment length of the drain is two miles. The drain is apportioned to Oakland County 60% and to Lapeer County 40%.

**Requested Actions:**

Authorize the Oakland County Water Resources Commissioner to perform the inspection and necessary maintenance (as limited by the Michigan Drain Code) for 2023.

Approve an assessment of \$5,000 for 2023.





2017 Orthophotography  
**DRAIN QUARTER GRID(S)**  
 6 QUARTER SHEET(S)  
 BR1001, BR1002, BR1004,  
 OXT023, HAT143, HAT144

## WEIR DRAIN - INTER-COUNTY



**Oakland County**  
**Revenue and Expenditures - 8 year Comparison**  
**Fund: 25310 Weir Drain Ch 4**

	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
<b>Revenues</b>								
605572 Special Assessments	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
630966 Inspection Fees	50.00	90.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
655077 Accrued Interest Adjustments	(1.54)	0.50	(0.43)	(7.31)	(4.68)	(23.45)	12.93	13.55
655385 Income from Investments	(80.24)	1.49	(4.80)	(42.01)	(81.90)	(163.43)	(175.20)	(76.66)
695500 Transfers In	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>6,968.22</b>	<b>92.93</b>	<b>(5.23)</b>	<b>(49.32)</b>	<b>(86.58)</b>	<b>(186.88)</b>	<b>(162.27)</b>	<b>(63.11)</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>								
771638 Drain Equip Labor	152.77	1,528.11	35.44	4,169.07	1,790.88	497.80	0.00	0.00
771639 Drain Equipment	23.90	307.91	2.78	543.55	496.99	163.94	0.00	0.00
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>176.67</b>	<b>1,836.02</b>	<b>38.22</b>	<b>4,712.62</b>	<b>2,287.87</b>	<b>661.74</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>



## **Agenda Item No. 6**

Other Business

**Agenda Item No. 7**

Adjourn