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FOUNTAIN COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD
JUNE 20, 2022
10:30 A.M.

The following Fountain County Drainage Board members were present at the meeting: Brenda Hardy and Tim Shumaker.

Also in attendance: Kent Minnette, Roger Azar, Colleen Chambers and Bonnie Nix.

McDonald Drain

Roger Azar gave an update on the McDonald Drain. It is imperative to start work on the drain once the permits are in place. They have a life span of 12 months. It was recommended that the location of the ditch be relocated. IDEM and DNR will need to be contacted for approval and permitting.

The drains in general need to be assessed properly and maintenance funds should be used to keep up the functionality.

A motion was made by Tim Shumaker and seconded by Brenda Hardy to allow Roger Azar to proceed with pursuing approval and permits for the McDonald Drain ditch relocation. Vote: 2-0

Tuggle Drain Petition

After reviewing all evidence, the board determined that the proposed drain is not practicable and will not adequately drain the affected land, the costs, damages and expenses of the proposed drain will be more than the benefits accruing to the owners of the land benefited by the drain. It will also not improve the public health, benefit the public highway in the county or street in the municipality.

A motion was made by Tim Shumaker and seconded by Brenda Hardy to dismiss the petition presented for Tuggle Drain. Vote: 2-0

A motion was made by Tim Shumaker and seconded by Brenda Hardy to adjourn the meeting. Vote: 2-0

Colleen Chambers
ATTEST

Brenda Hardy

Tim Shumaker