

**Drainage Board Meeting
November 6th, 2019**

**Present: Al Logsdon, Jim Seiler, Tom Brown, Surveyor David Faulkenberg, Elaine Jones,
Auditor Heidi Greene**

Meeting was called to order by President Tom Brown at 1:00 P.M.

Minutes

None presented.

Bid Opening-Thomas Strassel Drain

Laswell \$4900.00

Gruber Industries \$6500.00

Seiler made a motion to accept the Laswell bid of \$4900.00. Logsdon seconded the motion, motion approved.

Surveyors Report

Faulkenberg states that work has been started by Herron on the IRA Tower Drain in Hatfield. He also stated that Laswell has started work on Baker Creek McCoy Drain in Hatfield.

Faulkenberg stated all the letters have been mailed to the parcel owners that are affected by the extension of Muddy Creek as a regulated drain. The public hearing is scheduled for November 21st, 2019 at 6:00 P.M. at the courthouse.

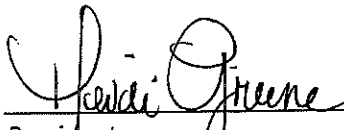
He states there have been several log jams on Anderson River near the Abbey in St. Meinrad. He presented pictures of the log jams.

He states that he has met with the Abbey officials and they are in agreement of using the contractor that had previously cleared the jam and that is Gutzsell Farms. They request that the board approves their quote for the job.

Faulkenberg states that he received permission from Major Partners to lower sandpit pipe to alleviate a portion of upstream water standing in ditch. Quotes from two contractors were included. This would be the first step in a three stage process to remedy the drainage problem in this area. This is not a complete solution to the problem. The two following steps would be to lower ditch from sandpit pipe to Railroad culvert. Third step would be to bore under railroad grade to lower drainage elevation under Railroad. To complete these steps will prove to be quite expensive in my opinion.

Faulkenberg states the only way he feels to fix the Ketcham drainage problem is to place 3 14" tile for approximately 30 feet. He states that this is Garrett Creek and there is not any funding at this time for Garrett Creek.

Logsdon made a motion to adjourn. Seiler seconded the motion, motion approved.
Meeting was adjourned at 1:26 P.M.



President
Attest:
