Drainage Board Meeting June 4th, 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

Attest:

Brown made a motion to approve the minutes from May 8^{th} , 2019 as presented. Logsdon seconded the motion, motion was approved.

Surveyors Report

Faulkenberg reports all bid projects have been moved to the fall due to weather and cooperation with farmers in this unusual weather pattern.

Warrick County Surveyor reported to Faulkenberg that the jams on Pigeon Creek are completed by Aigner Construction at \$13,000.00. Spencer County will be billed for \$6,500.00, 50% of the project shared with Warrick County.

The massive jam on Anderson River has been completed today. SJCA Engineering and Midwestern Engineers are working on a proposal of creating watershed #4.

Faulkenberg states he is working on bid specifications for 2,184 feet of Ira Tower Drain in Hatfield. The ditch cleaning was awarded last month. This is the final stage where the ditch discharges into the McCoy Drain. It's the final 2,184 feet at the discharge point. Seiler made a motion to approve the bid process for the final 2,184 feet of Ira Tower Drain in Hatfield. Logsdon seconded the motion, motion was approved.

Faulkenberg instructed there are several areas on Lake Drain which is NE of Richland where the toe of the ditch has slid into flowline resulting in blockage of the ditch. This consists of an unstable sand seam at the bottom of the bank. The two small areas where we experimented on approximately 800 feet of the same situation, where we cut the ditch bank to 3 to 1 slope and placed rip rap on the lower half of the bank along with seeding and straw blanket on top half of the bank, have held 2 years. Faulkenberg stated he would like to try this in a larger area as a result of the success in the experimental area. He states he does not know at the time how many feet he would like to experiment on but would advise later.

Logsdon made a motion to adjourn. Seiler seconded the motion, motion approved. Meeting was adjourned at 1:28 P.M.