



### Dane County Drainage Board:

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## **Minutes Public Hearing August 1, 2024**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Paul Maly.

The minutes of the 2024 Annual meeting was read by Bill Ringelstetter. A motion was made by Nick Brattlie and seconded by Paul Maly to approve the minutes. Motion carried

Discussion to approve assessments for work:

- District 15
  - The need for the assessment for costs is for an engineering study to be completed, bringing the district maps up to current, and begin necessary maintenance and repair work
  - Nick moved to pass an assessment for costs in the amount of \$40,000, the motion was seconded by Bill Ringelstetter
  - The motion was passed
- District 21
  - The need for the assessment for costs is for the ongoing cleanout of the district drain.
  - Bill Ringelstetter moved to pass an assessment for costs in the amount of \$25,000, the motion was seconded by Nick Brattlie
  - The motion passed

A petition was submitted to the Board for consideration to remove residents from Carla Drive neighborhood of District 10 from the drainage district. The members from the housing development expressed that they do not receive benefits from being within the district. Ringelstetter and Maly inspected the housing development and district. It was observed that the parcels and subsequent landscaping directs storm water away from the home and directly to the district intakes. This creates a substantial adverse impact on the district, as the housing development does not have a retention area which would mitigate stress upon the district. The petition was denied based on the ongoing impact the housing development has upon the district.

The board approved the abandonment of an existing easement in Drainage District 29. A review of the associated parcels in connection to the district drain showed this easement was no longer necessary. Additionally, the board will be reaching out to the Town of Vienna to discuss sedimentation issues and other concerns from the replacement of a culvert on School Road.

The board will review lateral repair work in District 16 and determine cleanout activities based on available funds.

### Public Comment

- A discussion of district right-of-way when cleaning activities occur and property owner responsibilities

### Adjournment