

Drainage Board

November 1, 2010 - 11:30 am

Meeting called to order by President Logsdon. Members Logsdon, Rininger, Gogel, Surveyor Herron and Attorney Robinson were present.

Minutes

10/05/2010 minutes; Rininger made a motion to approve. Gogel seconded. All in favor.

Drainage Report

Logsdon made the following drainage report:

The following is a report of work that has been completed this year and a financial report listing the amount received and spent from local funds and the amount spent from FEMA Funds:

A log jam was removed on Big Sandy by K & K at a total cost of \$1,900.00. The county portion of this project was \$475.00 and FEMA paid \$1,425.00

Several log jams were removed from Crooked Creek North by K & K at a cost of \$12,815.00. The county share of this project was \$3,203.75 and FEMA paid \$9,611.25.

Two log jams east of New Boston were removed from Anderson River by K & K at a cost of \$4,392.00. Spencer County paid the full amount.

A large number of small log jams were removed from Little Pigeon Creek by Biggie Construction Company at a cost \$9,750.00. The county portion of this project was \$2,437.50 and FEMA paid \$7,312.50.

A bid for removing 6 log jams on Anderson River from Huffman Mill Bridge Area to St. Meinrad was received and accepted from K & K in the amount of \$15,670.00. While the contractor was working in the vicinity of Huffman Mill Bridge, it was noticed that there were approximately 10 additional trees that needed to be cut and several logs removed from the creek bed to prevent a log jam from occurring. An additional expenditure of \$700.00 was incurred for this work. Total cost of this project is \$16,370.00.

A bid was received to remove log jams on Crooked Creek South in the amount of \$24,500.00 from K & K. The county portion of this project will be \$6,125.00 and the FEMA portion will be \$18,375.00.

A bid was accepted last year for work on the Isaac Wright Drain in the Vinton Wood Subdivision in the amount of \$5,184.00. Seventy per cent of the work was completed and \$3,627.00 was paid to the contractor in 2009. This project was not completed by the original contractor. K & K agreed to finish the project for a total of \$2,000.00. This caused the project cost to increase by a total of \$443.00

Bids were received and accepted for work on the Central Section of Crooked Creek in the amount of \$1,600.00. FEMA Funds pay \$1,200.00 and local funds pay \$400.00.

Bids were received and accepted by Warrick County for work on the second stage of Pigeon Creek in the amount of \$17,950.00. This is a joint venture with Spencer-Warrick Counties. Spencer County's share of this project is \$3,975.00; FEMA Funds pay \$6,731.25 and local funds pay \$2,243.75.

The surveyor sprayed for weed and brush control on drains that were improved in the Hatfield area. Cost of chemicals purchased from Miles Farm Supply was \$613.32.

The total cost for completing these projects amounted to \$82,915.32. FEMA Funds were used to pay \$44,655.00 of the total cost. Spencer County Funds were used to pay \$38,260.32. The Drainage Board requested and received an appropriation of \$50,000 at the beginning of 2010 to assist with these projects. A balance of \$11,739.68 remains in this fund.

Meetings have been held with representatives from the Corp of Engineers per approving drainage work on Garrett Creek from the Ohio River to Hwy 161. They have not rendered a decision on our request at this time.

**LEGAL DRAIN PROJECTS COMPLETED THIS YEAR:**

Work was completed on Hoople Drain at a cost of \$1,600.00 by Youngblood Farms. This is a legal drain and this expense was paid for by funds in that account.

Bids were received and accepted for work on a lateral of Pigeon Creek in the area south of Dale (Ballard Creek) in the amount of \$7,550.00. HighPoint was the contractor on this project. This work was paid for from legal drain funds.

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Bids were received and accepted for work on Huffman Drain in the area of Country Ridge Estates in the amount of \$9,800.00. Youngblood Farms is the contractor on this project. This work was paid for from legal drain funds.

Funding was requested from the Rainy Day Funds for the following projects in 2010:

Anderson River	\$ 17,500.00
Crooked Creek	\$ 22,000.00
Big Sandy Creek	\$ 6,500.00
Garrett Creek	\$ 30,000.00
Lake Drain	\$ 4,000.00
Pigeon Creek	\$ 20,000.00
Caney Creek	\$ 10,944.00
Chemicals	\$ 2,500.00
Balance of Isaac Wright Dr.	\$ 1,556.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$115,000.00</b>

Work Completed and Cost Incurred from Rainy Day Funds in 2010.

DRAIN	CONTRACTOR	SP. C. COST	FEMA	TOTAL
Big Sandy	K & K	\$ 475.00	\$ 1,425.00	\$ 1,900.00
Cr. Crk. N.	K & K	\$ 3,203.75	\$ 9,611.25	\$12,815.00
And. River NB	K & K	\$ 4,392.00		\$ 4,392.00
Lt Pigeon Crk.	Biggie	\$ 2,437.50	\$ 7,312.50	\$ 9,750.00
And. Riv. HM	K & K	\$16,370.00		\$16,370.00
Is. Wrt. Vn Wd	K & K	\$ 2,000.00		\$ 2,000.00
Cr. Crk. C.	K & K	\$ 400.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,600.00
Cr. Crk. S.	K & K	\$ 6,125.00	\$18,375.00	\$24,500.00
Lt. Pig Cr.	Warrick County	\$ 2,243.75	\$ 6,731.25	\$ 8,975.00
Chemicals	Miles Farm Sply	\$ 613.32		\$ 613.32
<b>Total Cost</b>		<b>\$38,260.32</b>	<b>\$44,655.00</b>	<b>\$82,915.32</b>

Work Completed and Cost Incurred from Legal Drain Funds in 2010:

DRAIN	CONTRACTOR	COST
Hoople Drain	Youngblood Farms	\$ 1,600.00
Lt. Pig. Bal. Crk.	High Point	\$ 7,550.00
Huffman Drain	Youngblood Farms	\$ 9,800.00
<b>Total Cost</b>		<b>\$18,950.00</b>

Yeager Property

Walter Yeager discussed drainage problems on and around his property in Luce Township.

Rininger made a motion to adjourn. Gogel seconded. All in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 12:11 pm.

Drainage Board,

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President

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Cindy Shelton, Auditor