

Drainage Board met in their regular meeting place in the Rush County Courthouse on February 27, 2012 at 10:47 a.m. with the following present: Marvin L. Cole, T.H. Barnes, Ken Masters, members; Leigh Morning, Board attorney; Marvin L. Rees, Surveyor. Others present; Councilman, Bruce Levi.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved and signed by motion of Barnes, with a 2nd by Masters.

WILLIAM T. MOORE TILE

Surveyor presented the bill from Paul H. Rohe Co., Inc. for boring under SR 244. As per agreement INDOT will pay this whole bill. This bill was not a part of the loan for the project and Rees is asking to pay this bill from the General Drain Improvement Fund. Motion from Barnes, 2nd by Masters, motion carried to pay this bill.

Attorney Morning informed the Board that the paperwork for each loan will cost \$200.00. This will be taken care of in the next claim period. Assessments will need to be adjusted to cover this expense.

BLOUNT/FLETCHER DRAIN

The Surveyor updated the Board on the progress of this reconstruction.

WILLIAM CROSS WEST TILE

The Surveyor informed the Board that some landowners are investigating the possibilities of reconstructing the lower portion of this drain.

GEORGE YOUNG DRAIN

David Robertson was present and asked why nothing was being done with his request to repair this drain. Copies of the original documents of this drain were shown to Robertson as well as the viewpoints of his downstream neighbor. The possibility of vacating the drain was discussed. Robertson and the Surveyor will talk to NRCS to see if they have any help or suggestions for this area before a decision to vacate the drain will take place.

COUNTY HOME DRAIN

Surveyor reported this drain is in need of repair. The Board asked for estimates before the work is done.

RICHARD MILES OPEN

A landowner has requested this drain to be repaired. Surveyor would like to do this as a maintenance project.

TILE QUALITY

The Surveyor is to find the average difference in cost of tile that is made up of all virgin materials compared to tile that has re-cycled materials in it.

There being no further business to come before the Board a motion to adjourn was made by Masters, with a 2nd by Barnes. Motion carried.

Marvin L. Cole

Ken Masters

T.H. Barnes