

September 23rd, 2025

The Hendricks County Drainage Board met in the Commissioners' Room on the first floor of the Hendricks County Government Center. Present were President Bob Gentry, Vice President Dennis W. Dawes, Members Brad Whicker, Jack Maloney, and Michael A. Hession; Hendricks County Surveyor David Gaston, Hendricks County Attorney Greg Steuerwald, Chief Deputy Surveyor Tiffany Dalton, Emily Cox, Tim Dombrosky, Joe Miller, and Jennifer Williams.

President Bob Gentry determined there was a quorum, led the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer for those who wished to participate. President Gentry then called for the first order of business.

RE: IN THE MATTER OF APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

President Gentry requested a motion regarding the minutes of the September 9th, 2025, Drainage Board meeting. Vice President Dennis Dawes moved to approve September 9th, 2025, Drainage Board meeting minutes. Member Jack Maloney seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed.

RE: IN THE MATTER OF BILLS TO BE PAID:

DRAIN MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Garvey Neal 400	\$ 1,524.75
	Acct Balance - \$285,902.62	
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Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Mary Gibbs 409	\$ 190.00
	Acct Balance - -\$102,309.14	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Roseboom 415 (Enos Keeney)	\$ 285.00
	Acct Balance - \$451,979.57	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Feeney 460	\$ 721.00
	Acct Balance - \$154,268.59	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Mercer 471	\$ 435.00
	Acct Balance - \$105,034.50	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Mary Wilson 489	\$ 260.00
	Acct Balance - \$268,898.77	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Timothy Quinn 490	\$ 650.00
	Acct Balance - \$523,222.62	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Arthur Powell 536	\$ 316.67
	Acct Balance - \$131,721.75	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Carter & Holtsclaw 542	\$ 250.00
	Acct Balance - -\$113,493.43	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Auburn Meadows 563	\$ 190.00
	Acct Balance - \$146,526.41	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Farmbrook 621	\$ 224.00
	Acct Balance - -\$148,833.64	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Avon Estates 567	\$ 190.00
	Acct Balance - \$22,453.12	

Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Beckoning Way 571	\$ 360.00
	Acct Balance - \$47,890.15	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Clermont Lakes 590	\$ 320.00
	Acct Balance - \$151,406.51	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Crosswind Estates 606	\$ 225.00
	Acct Balance - \$21,221.79	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Crystal Springs 608	\$ 260.00
	Acct Balance - \$26,226.20	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Deer Run 611	\$ 210.00
	Acct Balance - \$17,831.62	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Gailcrest 631	\$ 493.00
	Acct Balance - -\$1,935.68	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Gilbert Woods 632	\$ 215.00
	Acct Balance - \$31,766.82	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Glenbrook 634	\$ 320.00
	Acct Balance - \$59,863.22	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Liberty Meadows 662	\$ 225.00
	Acct Balance - \$14,797.51	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Linden Square 663	\$ 320.00
	Acct Balance - \$114,875.16	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Northern Acres 686	\$ 580.00
	Acct Balance - \$43,690.16	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Pleasant Vue Estates 698	\$ 215.00
	Acct Balance - \$814.68	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Rolling Hills 707	\$ 180.00
	Acct Balance - \$20,212.89	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Rudgate 709	\$ 190.00
	Acct Balance - \$37,729.62	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Starkey 717	\$ 190.00
	Acct Balance - \$23,771.05	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Verdant Acres 739	\$ 245.00
	Acct Balance - \$4,456.80	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – White Lick Creek Estates 752	\$ 580.00
	Acct Balance - \$24,928.75	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Willow Bend 756	\$ 260.00
	Acct Balance - \$994.34	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Danville Conservation Dam 766	\$ 645.00
	Acct Balance - \$17,899.23	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Cardinal Estates 768	\$ 190.00
	Acct Balance - \$23,320.56	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Dugan 404 (Austin Winds)	\$ 225.00
	Acct Balance - \$49,322.25	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Roseboom 415 (John McCord)	\$ 295.00
	Acct Balance - \$451,684.57	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Feeney 460	\$ 60.00
	Acct Balance - \$154,208.59	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program – Lingerman 497	\$ 330.00
	Acct Balance - \$101,408.70	

Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program - Branches 575	\$ 305.00
	Acct Balance - \$184,934.57	
Nature's Choice	Small Spray Program - Forest Lake Estates 626	\$ 50.00
	Acct Balance - \$5,571.64	
Williams Creek Mgmt.	Drain Maintenance - Nash Trucksess 483	\$ 1,770.00
	Acct Balance - \$120,310.16	
Murrain Excavating	Drain Maintenance -Hanna Crossing 639	\$ 39,800.00
	Acct Balance - \$26,091.49	

Total amount of claims to be paid from Regulated Drain Maintenance Funds: \$ 54,509.42

Member Brad Whicker moved to approve the Maintenance Fund bills in the amount of \$54,509.42. Vice President Dennis Dawes seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously passed.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

September 23rd 2025 Auditor's Report

Member Jack Maloney moved to accept the September 23rd, 2025, Auditor's Report as presented in the amount of \$54,509.42. Member Brad Whicker seconded the motion, which was unanimously passed.

RE: INTRODUCTION OF OTHER BUSINESS OR ADDITIONAL DISCUSSION BY COUNSEL, STAFF, OR PUBLIC:

None cited.

RE: HENDRICKS COUNTY ATTORNEY GREG STEUERWALD:

None cited.

RE: HENDRICKS COUNTY SURVEYOR DAVID GASTON:

Drain Assessments Suspensions for 2026

Mr. Gaston presented the Board with the Regulated Drain assessments suspensions list for 2026. Member Jack Maloney moved to approve the presented list for 2026. President Bob Gentry seconded the motion which was unanimously approved.

2026 Contractor Policy

Mr. Gaston presented the Board with the 2026 contractor policy. He informed the Board that the packet would be on the website. Member Jack Maloney moved to approve the 2026 contractor policy. Member Brad Whicker seconded the motion which was unanimously passed.

AIC

Mr. Gaston informed the Board he would be out next week for the AIC conference. The Board thanked him for the update.

RE: IN THE MATTER OF WISHES TO BE HEARD:

None cited.

RE: INTRODUCTION OF OTHER BUSINESS OR ADDITIONAL DISCUSSION BY BOARD MEMBERS:

Beechwood Construction

Mr. Gentry mentioned that Jim Williams of Beechwood Construction had contacted him to ask if he could move forward with the work on the Batz and John Green Regulated Drains instead of waiting until crops were out. Mr. Maloney commented that it would be a travesty to tear crops out when it is close to the end of the season and crops would be coming out soon. Mr. Hession stated that the quotes were approved based on waiting until crops are out and that it would change the scope of work, making it unfair for other contractors who bid on the projects. It was the consensus of the Board to deny the request.

Stutler Project

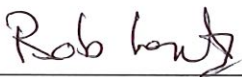
Mr. Maloney said he spoke to Dan Smith about the Stutler project and said he was approached to look at the set of plans to see if he could locate a benchmark on the plans. Mr. Maloney could not locate the benchmark. Mr. Gaston stated that they would need to work with Kruse Consulting who designed the project. Mr. Maloney said they were asking about the cost of the project and the County potentially paying for part of it. The Board stated that it is not going to cover any costs for that project. Dave said he would be happy to talk to Dale Kruse about this project.

ADJOURN:

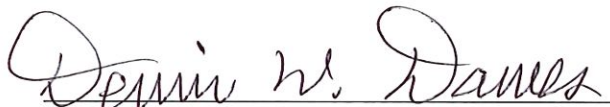
Seeing nothing further before the Board, Member Brad Whicker moved to adjourn the meeting. Member Jack Maloney seconded the motion, which was passed unanimously.

HENDRICKS COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD:

(Appointed members of the Drainage Board by the Hendricks County Commissioners {Per 36-9-27-5 § 5-14-9-1})



Bob Gentry, President,
(appointed as county executive)



Dennis W. Dawes, Vice President,
(appointed as county executive)



Brad Whicker, Member,
(appointed as county executive)



Jack P. Maloney, Member
(appointed 1/1/2023-12/31/2026)

Michael A. Hession, Member
(appointed 11/26/2024-12/31/2027)

