

PULASKI COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD MEETING
 March 16, 2026

The Pulaski County Drainage Board met in regular session on Monday, March 16, 2026, in the Courthouse Meeting Room. The meeting was called to order at 10:10 a.m. Those present were: Members Mike McClure, Jennifer Knebel, Don Street, Surveyor Jenny Keller, Board Secretary Lynn Wilder, Board Attorney Tim Murray, Jake Ballah/BF&S, Brandi Larkin, Nathan Origer, Josh Stamper, and Gary Kruger.

ED FRAIN TILE PROJECT UPDATE

Jake Ballah, BF&S Engineering, gave a brief update. The project is currently out for bid, with bids due in the Surveyor's Office by Friday, March 20th at 10:30am E.D.T. Bid opening will be immediately following the deadline in a special meeting to be held in the Courthouse Meeting Room. If during that meeting, the Board wishes to proceed, the next step would be to send out letters to the landowners informing them of a Public Hearing to be conducted during the regular Drainage Board meeting on April 20, 2026. The Surveyor was asked to contact the State Board of Accounts for their position as to the use of the General Drain Improvement Fund to fund for the project.

CURRENT DITCH PROJECTS UPDATE

The Stone Dilts Ditch cleaning is near completion. The portion of the Stone Dilts, south of 50N and to the river that is not maintained, had a blockage as a result of the cleaning done. The County Highway has agreed to take care of the blockage. The Lizenby Ditch is currently being dug, and the Lincoln Leach has been completed.

CLAIMS

PAYEE	AMOUNT	DITCH NAME/BUDGET LINE ITEM	APPROPRIATION #	FUND
Butler, Fairman & Seufert	\$ 5,860.00	Ed Frain - Per Contract	2700-50100-000	GDM
Beaver Excavating	\$ 4,495.00	Terry/Milo Br of Stone Dilts	2700-20100-000	GDM
Pulaski County Press	\$56.89	Ed Frain Pre-Bid Mtg Ad	1000-33200-063	Co. Gen
John Miller	\$ 395.00	Stout Hodge Ditch	2700-20100-000	GDM
Beaver Excavating	\$ 8,745.00	Stone Dilts /Partial Payment	2700-20100-000	GDM
Beaver Excavating	\$ 2,002.00	Trapp Br of Stone Dilts	2700-20100-000	GDM
Butler, Fairman & Seufert	\$ 6,090.00	Ed Frain - Per Contract	2700-20100-000	GDM
R & R Visual	\$ 1,200.00	Ed Frain -Video Inspection	2700-20100-000	GDM

Don motioned, Jennifer seconded, all in favor, motion carried to approve the claims.

MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 17, 2026

Jennifer motioned, Don seconded, all in favor, motion carried to approve the minutes from February 17, 2026 as presented.

OTHER BUSINESS

The Surveyor acknowledged the Board Members were in receipt of current amendments to the Unified Development Ordinance with regard to drainage. The issue of language pertaining to ground movement vs. construction was discussed and the Surveyor was asked to confer with the Building Inspector regarding that language. Also discussed was GPS Mapping. Get the mapping done before the project, instead of after completion.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Brandi Larkin urged the Board to consider utilizing a log or register to have the ability to search subjects/keywords for specific documentation and not having to rely on memory.

ADJOURNMENT

Don motioned, Jennifer seconded, meeting adjourned at 10:24am

PULASKI COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD


 MICHAEL MCCLURE-CHAIRMAN


 JENNIFER KNEBEL- VICE CHAIRMAN


 DONALD STREET - MEMBER

ATTEST:
 LYNETTE WILDER
 DRAINAGE BOARD SECRETARY