

**NOTICE OF LETTING DRAIN CONTRACT  
AND  
NOTICE OF DAY OF REVIEW OF DRAINAGE DISTRICT BOUNDARIES  
AND  
NOTICE OF DAY OF REVIEW OF APPORTIONMENTS**

**BOOTH & RICHFIELD DRAIN**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on **November 20, 2014**, I, Christine Kosmowski, Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, will receive construction bids from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. at the Office of the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, 315 West Green Street, Marshall, Michigan 49068. Bids will then be opened and publicly announced for the construction of a certain drain known and designated as the “Booth & Richfield Drain.”

Said Drain is let in one Section(s) as follows, each section having the length, average depth and width as set forth:

Open drain cleanout along the downstream end of the drain as shown on drawings, cuts of 0.5 to 1.5 feet, 3 to 6 feet in width, beginning at approximately Station 1+00 and ending at approximately Station 25+10. Also, open drain cleanout along the upstream portion of the drain as shown on drawings, cuts of 0.5 to 1.5 feet, 3 to 6 feet in width, beginning at approximately Station 57+27 and ending at approximately Station 58+62.

Enclosed storm drain construction as shown on the Drawings, cuts of 3 to 5 feet in depth beginning at approximately Station 25+10 and ending at approximately Station 37+20.

All stations are 100 feet apart.

In the construction of the Drain, the following quantities for tile or pipe will be necessary and contracts will be let for same. The following quantities are approximate and final payment will be made on measured quantities.

*Install 1,210 lineal feet of 18-inch Dual Wall Sock Wrapped HDPE Perf Storm Sewer, Install 2 2-foot Dia HDPE Tee Adaptors w/ Agri. Drain Grate, Install 2 HDPE Flared End Sections for 18-inch pipe w/ rodent guard, Remove/Salvage/Re-install 30 feet of 24-inch culvert, Install 65 square yards of Riprap Over Non Woven Geotextile Fabric, Install 2,800 lineal feet of Existing Open Channel Drain Cleanout, Install 100 square feet of Gravel Driveway MDOT 22A. Includes 7,500 square yards of Surface Restoration, Seed, and Mulch. Also includes storm sewer removal, tree removal, culvert cleanout, soil erosion and sedimentation control measures and traffic control.*

There will be no (0) bridges and one (1) culvert removed, salvaged and repaired in this contract.

There is one contract being let for all construction, which will include all material necessary to perform the work. This contract will be let in accordance with the Contract Documents now on file in the office of the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner and available to interested parties. Bid will be made and received in accordance with these documents.

Plans and Bidding Documents may be examined at the following locations:

Eng., Inc.  
4063 Grand Oak Drive, Suite A109  
Lansing, Michigan 48911  
(517) 887-1100

Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner's Office  
315 West Green Street  
Marshall, Michigan 49068  
(269) 781-0790

Copies of Bidding Documents may only be obtained at the office of Eng., Inc., the Project Engineer, at 4063 Grand Oak Drive, Suite A109, Lansing, Michigan 48911, upon payment of a \$40.00 dollars non-refundable deposit. An additional non-refundable charge of \$10.00 will be required for sending out Bidding Documents.

The date for the Substantial Completion of such contract is 90 Calendar Days, with the date for the Final Completion being 150 Calendar Days, upon receipt of the Notice to Proceed for the Contract. The terms of payment are contained in the contract specifications. The payments for the above-mentioned work will be made based upon completion of Unit Price work on a monthly basis as outlined in the Contract Documents

Any responsible person wanting to bid on the above-mentioned work will be required to deposit bid security in the amount specified in the bidding documents (5%) as a guarantee that they will enter into a contract and furnish the required bonds as prescribed by the contract specifications and applicable law. All bids shall remain open for 90 days after the day of the bid opening, but I reserve the right at my sole discretion to release any bid and bid security before that date.

Contracts will be entered into with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work and meeting all conditions represented in the Instructions to Bidders. I reserve the right to reject any and all bids, and to adjourn the letting to such time and place as I shall publicly announce.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER HEREBY GIVEN** that on **December 9, 2014**, the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner will hold a Day of Review of Drainage District Boundaries from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Office of the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, 315 West Green Street, Marshall, Michigan 49068, to hear the proofs and allegations and to carefully reconsider and review the description of lands comprising the Drainage Districts for the Booth & Richfield Drain, and determine whether the addition and/or deletion of lands will more accurately define the boundaries of the land benefitted by the Drain, and whether such addition and/or deletion of lands is just and equitable pursuant to Section 197 of Act No. 40, P.A. 1956, as amended.

A general description of the lands by section number proposed to be added or deleted as recommended by a licensed professional engineer or surveyor for the Drains is as follows:

<b>Drain Name</b>	<b>Municipalities</b>	<b>Portions of Sections Added</b>	<b>Portions of Sections Removed</b>
Booth & Richfield Drain	Eckford Township	27, 28	33

A map depicting the proposed revisions to the boundaries of the Drainage District is enclosed and can also be reviewed at: [www.calhouncountymi.gov/government/water\\_resources/](http://www.calhouncountymi.gov/government/water_resources/).

**You Are Further Notified** that persons aggrieved by the decision of the Water Resources Commissioner as to the addition and/or deletion of lands to the Drainage District may seek judicial review in the Calhoun County Circuit Court within ten (10) days of the decision.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER HEREBY GIVEN** that on **December 9, 2014**, the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner will also hold a Day of Review of Apportionments from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the Office of the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner, 315 West Green Street, Marshall, Michigan 49068, for benefits of land within the Booth & Richfield Drain Drainage District.

The computation of costs for the Drain will also be available for review. The Water Resources

Commissioner will have available to review the tentative apportionments against parcels and municipalities within the Drainage District. Drain assessments against land will be collected in the same manner as property taxes. If the collection period is greater than one year, the land owner may pay the assessments in full with any interest to date at any time and thereby avoid further interest charges.

Any property owner within the Drainage District, Road Commission representative, representative from the Michigan Department of Transportation, Township, City, Village or County wishing to be heard or wishing to inspect the computation of costs with respect to the special assessments may appear during the day and time specified.

***You Are Further Notified*** that persons aggrieved by the decisions of the Water Resources Commissioner as to the apportionment of benefits for the Drain may appeal to the Calhoun County Probate Court within ten (10) days of the decision.

Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the meetings should contact the Calhoun County Water Resources Commissioner’s Office at the number noted below (voice) or through the Michigan Relay Center at 1-800-649-3777 (TDD) at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of lands constituting the Special Assessment District of the Drain, as well as a list of any county, township, city, village and state department to be assessed at large:

Part of Sections 27, 28, 33 & 34, Township 3 South, Range 5 West, Eckford Township, Calhoun County, Michigan, more particularly described as:

Beginning at a point on the north line of Section 34, said point lying 1307 feet easterly more or less from the northwest corner of Section 34; thence N 00°41' E 851 feet; thence S 56°34' W 1578 feet; thence N 89°26' W 782 feet; thence S 47°38' W 614 feet; thence S 78°58' W 1074 feet; thence S 25°55' W 2107 feet; thence S 27°13' E 1229 feet; thence S 74°36' E 1256 feet; thence N 89°60' E 116 feet more or less to a point where the Booth & Richfield Drain meets with the Goose Pond Drain; thence N 22°46' E 1427 feet; thence S 89°49' E 774 feet; thence N 00°11' W 576 feet; thence N 46°57' E 1089 feet; thence S 89°32' E 511 feet; thence northerly 668 feet along the centerline of 21 ½ Mile Road; thence S 89°58' W 528 feet; thence N 34°54' E 800 feet more or less to a point on the north line of Section 34; thence S 89°20' E 69 feet more or less to the point of beginning of this description.

The basis of bearings used for this description was established from the Calhoun County base mapping system which assumes the north line of section 34 to bear S 89°19' E.

The Drainage District contains 249.50 acres more or less, comprising the following properties:

09-270-003-00	09-331-015-00
09-280-006-00	
09-330-003-00	09-340-006-00
09-330-003-01	09-340-006-01
09-330-009-00	09-340-006-02
09-330-018-00	09-340-012-00
09-330-018-02	09-340-030-01
09-330-027-00	09-340-030-02
09-331-003-00	09-340-033-00

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CALHOUN COUNTY AT LARGE

This notice is pursuant to Sections 154 and 197 of Public Act 40 of 1956, as amended, and Public Act 162 of 1962, as amended.

Dated: November 6, 2014

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