

May 6, 2010

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Re: Lost Creek Petitioned Ditch #1251, Amendment #3 and 3A
NOTICE: Reconvened Final Hearing

Dear Parcel Owner:

On March 17, 2010 at 1:30 p.m., a Final Public Hearing was conducted at the Allen County Fairgrounds in the Youth Activities Building on the Lost Creek Petitioned Ditch #1251. The Allen County Commissioners approved the Main Project, Amendment #1, and Amendment #4 for construction.

At the hearing significant testimony was received in regard to Amendment #3 filed by McNall/Wentz. This amendment involves 7 Parcels, 63.34 Acres, and 966.92 feet of drainage improvement. The commissioners found merit in the testimony by the petitioner; however, another parcel owner requested that the commissioners allow adequate time to coordinate the project privately as a cooperative effort. Upon completion, a Reconvened Final Hearing was to be conducted on June 16, 2010. However, after a series of meetings with parcel owners in the watershed, it has been determined that a private project is not feasible.

In addition, on April 29, 2010 Mr. Dennis King filed an additional amendment. This project has been designated as Lost Creek Petitioned Ditch #1251 Amendment #3A. The total length of this amendment is approximately 120 feet and consists of open ditch reconstruction. It outlets into Amendment #3.

As a result of the above details, we are prepared to schedule the Reconvened Final Hearing for this project.

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
Reconvened Final Hearing	May 26, 2010	10:00 am	Commissioners Meeting Room 3 rd Floor Allen County Courthouse

Reconvened Final Hearing (cont.)

This item shall be on the Wednesday, May 12, 2010 Commissioners' Agenda for discussion and approval. Discussing and approval of the project on the agenda does not accept or reject the amendments or approve for construction, it merely approves the date, time, and place for the Reconvened Final Hearing.

If there are any questions concerning the Lost Creek Petitioned Drainage Improvement, I can be contacted at 419.221.2605 ext. 15 or email ddegen@allencountyohio.com.

Respectfully Submitted:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. S. DEGEN', with a stylized flourish above the name.

Douglas S. Degen, MS, CEM
Drainage Engineer

Approved:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Timothy J. Piper', written in a cursive style.

Timothy J. Piper, P.E., P.S.
Allen County Engineer

Attachment: Watershed Map Illustrating Amendment #3 and #3A

- c. Kelli Singhaus, Clerk of Commissioners
Allen County Commissioners
- James F. Blair, Attorney for Dennis King
- John M. Leahy, Sr., Attorney for Ed Wentz