

STATE OF MICHIGAN

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
Environmental Stewardship Division

Notice of Drainage Board Meeting  
To Determine the Necessity  
Of Maintenance and Improvement and  
Adding Lands to the Drainage District  
(In accordance with P.A. 40, of 1956, as amended)

MISTEGUAY CREEK INTERCOUNTY DRAIN

**Notice is hereby given**, that on April 13, 2010, a petition was filed with James Koski, then Saginaw County Public Works Commissioner, praying for the cleaning out, relocating, widening, deepening, straightening, tiling, extending or relocating along a highway, adding branches, and/or installing, maintaining or repairing structures or mechanical devices to the drain known and designated as the Misteguay Creek Intercounty Drain, and further, to determine whether it is necessary to add lands to the Drainage District pursuant to Section 197 of Act No. 40. P.A. 1956, as amended; and

**Whereas**, the Drainage District for the Misteguay Creek Intercounty Drain includes lands within the following counties and their respective municipalities: Genesee County: Clayton Charter, Flushing Charter, and Montrose Charter Townships, and City of Montrose and City of Swartz Creek; Saginaw County: Albee, James, Maple Grove, Spaulding, St. Charles, and Taymouth Townships; Shiawassee County: Caledonia Charter, Hazelton, New Haven, and Venice Townships, Village of Lennon, and Village of New Lothrop; and

**Whereas**, due notice of the filing of said petition and copy thereof was served upon Jeffrey Wright, Genesee County Drain Commissioner; Anthony Newman, Shiawassee County Drain Commissioner and Don Koivisto, then Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture; by James Koski, then Saginaw County Public Works Commissioner.

**Now therefore**, in accordance with P.A. 40, of 1956, as amended, a Drainage Board meeting of the Misteguay Creek Intercounty Drain will be held on **March 13, 2012 at 4:00 p.m.**, at the **Birch Run Expo Center, 11600 North Beyer Road**, in the City of Birch Run, Saginaw County, State of Michigan, to determine if maintenance and improvement to the drain is necessary for the good of the public health, convenience, or welfare and to determine the necessity of adding lands to the Misteguay Creek Intercounty Drainage District.

The Drain Code (P.A. 40, of 1956, as amended) provides that any person feeling aggrieved by the determination of the Intercounty Drainage Board may institute an action in the Circuit Court in the county in which they reside for a determination of necessity. This action must be filed within 10 days after the determination of necessity or no necessity by the Intercounty Drainage Board.

**Now therefore**, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits, or whose lands will be crossed by said drain, or any municipality affected, are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire. Public comment will be received at the meeting. If anyone wishes to submit written comments **prior** to the date of the meeting, or has any questions regarding this notice, they may contact the following County Drain/Public Works Commissioners' offices.

Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the meeting should contact the Drain/Public Works Commissioner in the county which they reside at the numbers noted below (voice) at least one week in advance of the meeting to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.

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Dated at Lansing, Michigan, February 3, 2012.

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