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STATE OF MICHIGAN  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

DR. TIM BORING  
DIRECTOR

## Notice of Drainage Board Meeting

### BIG SWAMP INTERCOUNTY DRAIN

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Drainage Board for the said drain will be held at:

**10:00 a.m., Monday, May 1, 2023**  
**Elba Township Hall**  
**4717 Lippincott Road**  
**Lapeer, Michigan**

The purpose of this meeting is to conduct necessary and appropriate business of the drainage board (see attached agenda) and any other business that may come before the Board.

Proceedings conducted at this public meeting will be subject to the provisions of the Michigan Open Meetings Act.

Jeffrey Wright  
Genesee County Drain Commissioner  
G-4608 Beecher Road  
Flint, MI 48532  
810-732-1590

Joe Suma  
Lapeer County Drain Commissioner  
255 Clay Street, Room 305  
Lapeer, MI 48446  
810-667-0371

Those needing accommodations for effective participation in the meeting should contact the drain commissioner of their county at the number listed above or may use the Michigan Relay Center by calling 711 for deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired persons.

Dated on April 25, 2023.

Dr. Tim Boring, Director  
Michigan Department of  
Agriculture and Rural Development

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brady Harrington".

Brady Harrington  
Deputy for the Director  
517-284-5624



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April 25, 2023

**SENT VIA EMAIL**

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Mr. Joe Suma  
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RE: Big Swamp Intercounty Drain

Dear Commissioners:

Enclosed is a Notice of Meeting. If accessible, please post it in your office or in your building where other such notices are posted. Also, in accordance with P.A. 528 of the Public Acts of 2012, if your county maintains a website that is accessible to the public, **this notice and agenda** shall be posted on the homepage or on a separate webpage dedicated to public notices.

Also, please prepare an Affidavit of Posting and forward one copy to this office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brady Harrington".

Brady Harrington  
Environmental Stewardship Division

BLH:jm

Enclosure

# Agenda

## Big Swamp Intercounty Drain Drainage Board (Genesee and Lapeer Counties)

10:00 a.m., Monday, May 1, 2023

Elba Township Hall  
4717 Lippincott Road  
Lapeer, Michigan

1. Call to order and Introductions  
Board Members  
Brady Harrington, Chair, Michigan Dept. of Agriculture & Rural Development  
Jeffrey Wright, Genesee County Drain Commissioner  
Joe Suma, Lapeer County Drain Commissioner
2. Motion to elect a Secretary
3. Review and set the agenda
4. Approval of the October 4, 2016, meeting minutes
5. Communications and reports of board members, committees, and consultants
  - a. Receive legal opinion
  - b. Approve preliminary drainage district boundary, if available
  - c. Receive the Treasurer's Report
6. Approval of invoices
7. Other business
8. Public comment
9. Set the date, time, and location of the next meeting
10. Adjourn