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DIRECTOR

## Notice of Drainage Board Meeting For Determination of Necessity

### WHEELER INTERCOUNTY DRAIN (Shiawassee and Genesee Counties)

**DATE:** March 5, 2024  
**TIME:** 2:00 pm  
**LOCATION:** Gaines Township Hall  
9255 West Grand Blanc Road, Gaines, Michigan

The Wheeler Intercounty Drain Drainage Board will meet at the above date, time and location to hear all interested persons, receive evidence and determine whether the maintenance and improvement, as set forth in the petition dated March 2, 2009, is necessary and conducive to the public health, convenience, or welfare; pursuant to Chapter 8 of Public Act 40 of 1956, as amended.

Proceedings conducted at this public meeting will be subject to the provisions of the Michigan Open Meetings Act. Written comments may be submitted prior to the meeting, or additional information may be obtained from the following offices:

**Anthony Newman**  
Shiawassee County Drain Commissioner  
1024 North Shiawassee Street  
Corunna, Michigan  
989-743-2398

**Jeffrey Wright**  
Genesee County Drain Commissioner  
G-4608 Beecher Rd.  
Flint, Michigan  
810-732-1590

Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the meeting should contact the Drain Commissioner of their County at the number listed above or through the Michigan Relay Center at 7-1-1 (TDD) at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

Anyone aggrieved by the decision of the Intercounty Drain Drainage Board may seek judicial review pursuant to MCL 280.122a.

Dated: January 31, 2024

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Joseph P. Brezvai, Deputy  
For Dr. Tim Boring, Director  
Michigan Department of Agriculture and  
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February 5, 2024  
**CERTIFIED MAIL**

Mr. Anthony Newman  
Shiawassee County Drain Commissioner  
1024 N. Shiawassee St.  
Corunna, MI 48817

Mr. Jeffrey Wright  
Genesee County Drain Commissioner  
G-4608 Beecher Rd.  
Flint, MI 48532

**RE: Wheeler Intercounty Drain**

Dear Commissioners:

Enclosed is a Notice of Meeting of the Drainage Board to determine the necessity of the Chapter 8 petition to maintain and improve the **Wheeler Intercounty Drain**. Please retain a copy of the notice for your records.

Please follow the following instructions carefully. Notice of the meeting shall be served by each county, not less than 10 days before the meeting, as follows:

1. Publish the notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the drainage district.
2. Provide notice by personal service or certified mail to the county clerk and a member of the board of county road commissioners of each county, and to the supervisor of each township and clerk of each city and village in the drainage district. If there are state highways in the drainage district, we also recommend service on the director of the Michigan Department of Transportation by certified mail, even though this is not specifically required in Section 122.
3. Provide notice by first-class mail on each person whose name appears on the last city or township tax roll as owning land in the drainage district, at the address shown on the roll.
4. Post the notice in your office or your building where other such notices are posted. If your county maintains a website that is accessible to the public, the notice shall also be posted on the homepage or other webpage dedicated to public notices.

All expenses of notification shall be paid by the treasurer county of the Drainage Board.

**Genesee County**, please arrange for a court reporter to be present to take a transcript of the meeting.

Finally, **please provide this office with a copy of the Proof of Publication, Affidavit of Mailing, Affidavit of Posting, and Proof of Service for the drain**. If you have any questions regarding any of these requirements, please contact me at 517-284-5624.

Sincerely,

Joseph P. Brezvai  
Deputy for the Director

Enclosures