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## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

DR. TIM BORING DIRECTOR

## Notice of Drainage Board Meeting For Determination of Practicability and Adding a County to the Drainage District

## REXFORD LAKE INTERCOUNTY DRAIN

(Kent, Muskegon and Ottawa Counties)

DATE: November 14, 2023

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Tyrone Township Offices

28 E. Muskegon St., Kent City, Michigan

The Rexford Lake Intercounty Drain Drainage Board will meet at the above date, time and location to consider the petition, dated August 27, 2023, for maintenance and improvement of an intercounty drain, located in Casnovia Township in Muskegon County and Tyrone Township and Sparta Township in Kent County, pursuant to Chapter 8 of Public Act 40 of 1956, as amended, to determine the sufficiency of signatures on said petition, to go over the route of the intercounty drain, and to further determine whether the maintenance and improvement of the intercounty drain is practicable.

The Drainage Board will further consider any evidence offered and determine whether the addition of Ottawa County to the Rexford Lake Intercounty Drain Drainage District is just and equitable. All persons owning lands in the Drainage District or proposed revised Drainage District liable to assessment for benefits and any municipality affected may appear for or against the addition of the County.

Proceedings conducted at this public meeting will be subject to the provisions of the Michigan Open Meetings Act. Public comment will be received at the meeting from anyone owning lands liable to an assessment, or whose lands will be crossed by the drain, or any municipality affected. Written comments may be submitted prior to the meeting, or additional information may be obtained from the following offices:

Ken Yonker Kent County Drain Commissioner 775 Ball Ave. NE Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503 616-632-7910 Brenda Moore Muskegon County Drain Commissioner 141 E. Apple Ave. Muskegon, Michigan 49442 231-724-3480 Joe Bush Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner 12220 Fillmore St. West Olive, Michigan 49460 616-994-4530

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.

Dated: October 16, 2023

Brady Harrington, Deputy For Dr. Tim Boring, Director Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development