

OTTAWA COUNTY WATER RESOURCES COMMISSIONER HIAWATHA DRAIN

NOTICE OF LETTING AND DAY OF REVIEW OF DRAINAGE DISTRICT BOUNDARIES AND REVIEW OF APPORTIONMENTS

NOTICE OF LETTING

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, July 25, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.

LOCATION: 12220 Fillmore, Room 141, West Olive, Michigan

QUESTIONS: (616) 994-4530

The Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner will meet on the above date, time and location to receive construction bids for the Hiawatha Drain. Bids will then be opened and publicly announced.

The Hiawatha Drain will be bid in section(s), each section having the length, average depth and width as set forth in the bid documents; briefly described as follows:

Work shown on the drawings and specified herein can be generally described as follows: The installation of 3.1 miles of new county drain including: selective clearing, excavation, topsoil and spoils management, rip-rap, erosion control, and seeding restoration. Three detention basins: 1.4 acre shallow dry basin, 1.6 seasonally wet basin with berm and island, and an embankment berm. Approximately 0.4 miles of 15" to 30" enclosed storm sewer, three county road 24"x38" culvert crossings, a new 30" outfall to Little Pigeon Creek, and restoration of county road crossings. Construction is largely through rural areas in county drainage easements and public rights-of-way. Approximately 2.1 miles of drain is located within the Ottawa County Hiawatha Park property including all three basins.

The Contractor shall furnish adequate material, equipment, labor, and supervision to complete the specified work, which also includes testing, inspection, placing the systems in operation and surface restoration in compliance with the standards of these specifications.

Plans and specifications are available for viewing at the office of the Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner, 12220 Fillmore, Room 141, West Olive, Michigan.

The Contract will be awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work and meeting all conditions represented in the Instructions to Bidders. The Contract completion date and the terms of payment will be announced at the time and place of letting. If no satisfactory bids are received, we reserve the right to reject any and all bids and to adjourn to a time and location as we shall announce.

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DATE & TIME:

August 1, 2017; 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

LOCATION:

12220 Fillmore, Room 141, West Olive, Michigan 49460

The Day of Review is an opportunity to review the Drain Drainage District boundary and apportionment of benefit with the Water Resources Commissioner and/or other staff. A map of the proposed Drainage District

boundary is enclosed and can be found on the Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner's website at: http://www.miottawa.org/Departments/Drain/

The following is a description of the lands constituting the Drainage District of said drain:

Grand Haven Township - Sections: 28, 33 & 34 Port Sheldon Township - Sections: 3 & 4

The Water Resources Commissioner and/or other staff will be available to assist individuals throughout the day. and make revisions if necessary. There is no need to schedule an appointment for a specific time on the Day of Review. The computation of costs for the Drain will also be available at the Day of Review. Drain assessments are collected in the same manner as property taxes and will appear on your winter tax bill. If drain assessments are being collected by installment, you may pay the assessment in full with any interest to date at any time and avoid further interest charges.

Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the Day of Review should contact the Water Resources Commissioner's Office at the number noted above (voice) or through the Michigan Relay Center at 7-1-1 (TDD) at least 24 hours in advance of the Day of Review to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

You may appeal the Water Resources Commissioner's decision to revise the district boundary to the Ottawa County Circuit Court, and you may also appeal the determination of apportionments to the Ottawa County Probate Court within ten (10) days of the Day of Review.

Dated: July 13, 2017

Joe Bush
Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner

