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## **NOTICE OF DRAIN MAINTENANCE**

**October 14, 2024**

This notice is to inform you that a maintenance contract has been approved for the **Buttermilk Drain**. The contractor will be starting work within the next three weeks.

The drain maintenance may include a **debris removal**. The contractor will grade and seed, if necessary, in all disturbed areas created as a result of the maintenance performed.

Please remove any fences, play sets or structures that are located within the drain easement as soon as possible. Also, make sure that any invisible dog fence, underground sprinkling, sump lines/tile outlet, property corner pins, etc. are marked. Care will be taken to avoid damage to anything within the drain easement; however, contractors will not be held responsible for something damaged that was not moved or marked.

During the inspection it was found that many homeowners have been pushing debris onto the banks of the drain. This practice will lead to the destabilization of your banks and discourages vegetation growth that helps prevent erosion. The debris that has been pushed down the bank can cause dams downstream and flooding issues. We are asking residents to cease this practice.

Your cooperation is always appreciated in these matters. Should you have any questions, concerns, or input that you would like us to consider, feel free to contact us at 616-994-4526 or email [waterresourcescommissioner@miottawa.org](mailto:waterresourcescommissioner@miottawa.org).

Thank You,

Emily Grasch  
Drain Inspector

cc: RTH Services (616) 218-6158  
City of Hudsonville



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550.7 Feet

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Legend

- OCWRC Storm Inlets
  - Double Catch Basin
  - Flared End Section
  - All Other Inlets
- OCWRC Storm Fittings
  - Bend
  - Cap
  - Coupling
  - Cross
  - Expansion Joint
  - Other
  - Over Under
  - Reducer: Reducing Cross: Reduction
  - Sleeve
  - Tap
  - Tee
  - Transition

Notes

Work will begin at Oak Street and will end by 3319 Hillcrest Rd and the ag field