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## NOTICE OF DRAIN MAINTENANCE

**November 11, 2023**

This notice is to inform you that a maintenance contract has been approved for the **Kooiman Drain** which runs through or near your property. The contractor will be starting work within the next six weeks. Contractor information including a map of the proposed drain cleanout area can be found on our website:

[http://www.miottawa.org/Departments/Drain/maintenance\\_projects.htm](http://www.miottawa.org/Departments/Drain/maintenance_projects.htm)

The drain maintenance may include **sediment removal**. If you would like the spoils removed or placed in specific areas, it is your responsibility to make arrangements with the contractor and pay the associated costs directly. The contractor will restore all disturbed areas created as a result of the maintenance performed.

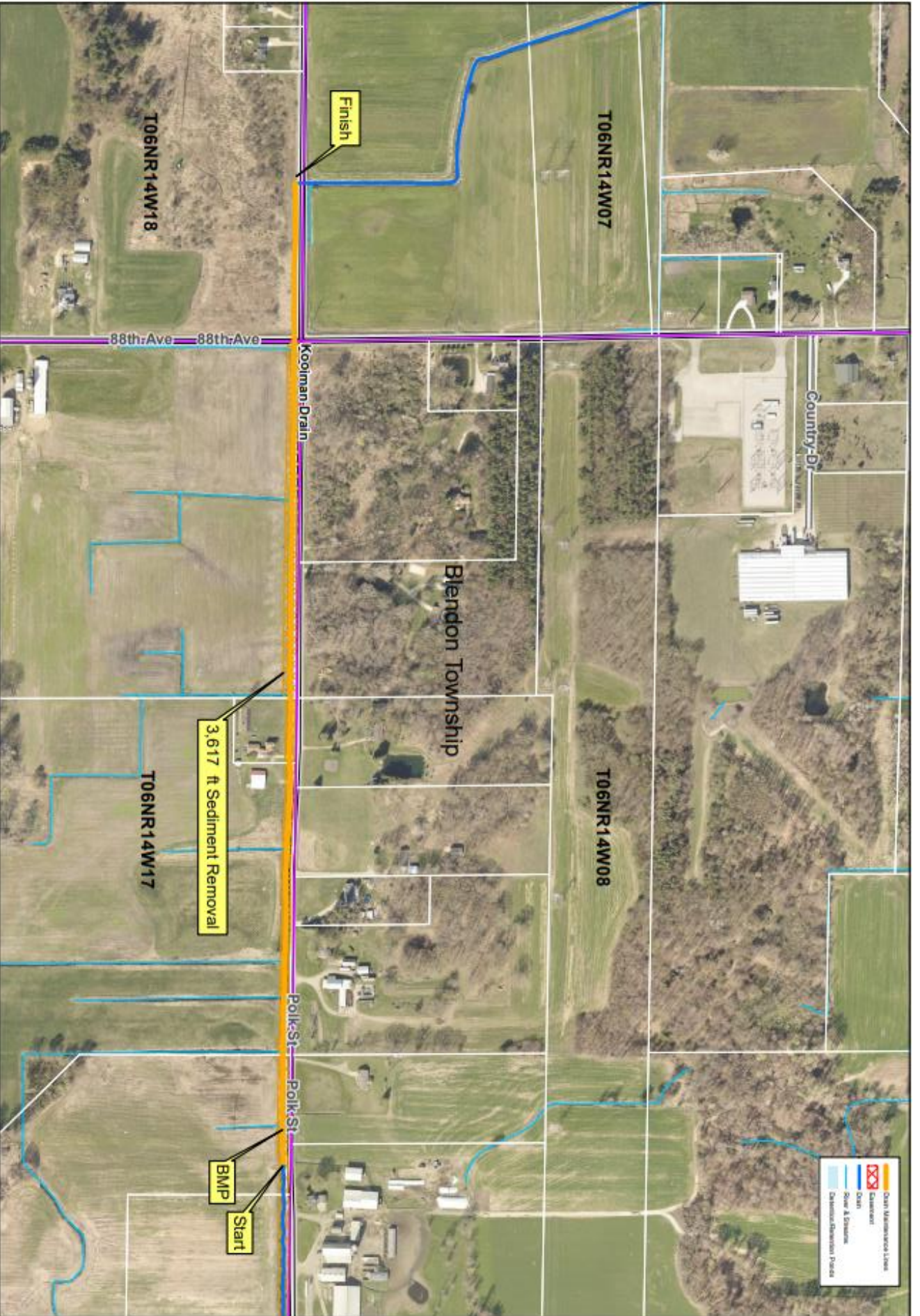
Please remove any fences, play sets or structures that are located within the drain easement as soon as possible. Also, make sure that any invisible dog fence, underground sprinkling, sump lines/tile outlet, property corner pins, etc. are marked. Care will be taken to avoid damage to anything within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

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 616-994-4530 or email [waterresourcescommissioner@miottawa.org](mailto:waterresourcescommissioner@miottawa.org).

Thank You,

Emily Grasch  
Drain Inspector

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**Ottawa County Water Resources  
Kooiman Drain Clean Out**

Section: Blendon Twp Sec 17 & 18  
Soil: loam fine sand  
Length: 3,617 ft Cleanout  
Drain length: 3.56 miles  
Easement: Roadside (ft)