**McPherson County Drainage Commission**

**Minutes of Proceeding**

**November 8th, 2018**

The McPherson County drainage board met in regular session on Thursday, November 8th, 2018. Sid Feickert called the meeting to order at 10:50AM. Members present were: Anthony Kunz, Delmar Metzger, Rick Beilke and Jeff Neuharth. Others present were: Scott Schauer, Dylan Lapka, Jerome Lapka, Glenn Spitzer and Lanette Butler.

Neuharth moved and Kunz seconded to approve drainage permit #18D-02 submitted by Scott Schauer to put a small boundary ditch along the west fence line in between the SW1/4 and the SE1/4 of 8-126N-67W with the understanding that if the project causes any problems to the roads or any downstream landowners the permit holder is responsible. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on permit #18D-01, a proposed small boundary ditch between the NW1/4 and the NE1/4 of 13-126N-68W, submitted by Scott Schauer on behalf of landowner Ruby Ketterling. Adjacent landowners and the county highway superintendent were present and voiced their concerns with the proposed project. Kunz moved and Neuharth seconded to deny permit #18D-01 due to the belief that it would force additional water onto the adjacent landowner’s property as well as the west side of the city of Leola and because the applicant failed to contact impacted neighbors for their input in the proposed application. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Schauer was advised by the board that before submitting drainage permits, he should discuss the proposed project with all adjacent landowners.

At 11:25PM Metzger moved and Beilke seconded to exit drainage board and resume meeting as the McPherson County Board of Commissioners. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Lindley Howard Sid Feickert   
McPherson County Deputy Auditor Chairman of the Drainage Commission