

**McPherson County Drainage Commission**  
**Minutes of Proceeding**  
**March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

The McPherson County drainage board met on Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Chairman Sid Feickert called the meeting to order at 10:30AM. Members present were: Mike Mardian, Neal Woehlhaff, Mark Opp and Jeff Neuharth. Also attending Highway Superintendent Glenn Spitzer.

Discussion was held on Drainage permit #25-D-02 submitted by Scott Schauer to tile approximately 175 acres with 3 outlets in the SW1/4 of Section 15 T127N-R67W. The plan also includes making the creek/grass waterway deeper where the 3 outlets will be. A possible impact to county infrastructure is noted at the intersection of 365<sup>th</sup> and 109<sup>th</sup>. The applicant does not want to bore the project and would prefer to open cut. The applicant offered \$20,000 for the county to allow open cut, and fix the road. Discussion was also held on the distance outside of the right of way for the outlets and the size of the pipe. Neuharth moved and Mardian seconded to approve permit #25-D-02 with the requirement that the applicant must bore under the road to cross 365<sup>th</sup> near the intersection of 109<sup>th</sup> and 365<sup>th</sup>. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

At 10:40AM Mardian moved and Neuharth seconded to adjourn the Drainage Commission meeting and resume meeting as the McPherson County Board of Commissioners. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Lindley Howard

McPherson County Auditor

Sid Feickert

Chairman of the Drainage Commission