

**Drain:** Marion Blanton      **Drain #:** 9  
**Improvement/Arm:** Reconstruction Phase II  
**Operator:** SLM      **Date:** 5-19-04  
**Drain Classification:** Urban/Rural      **Year Installed:** 2003

### GIS Drain Input Checklist

- Pull Source Documents for Scanning      SLM
- Digitize & Attribute Tile Drains      N/A
- Digitize & Attribute Storm Drains      N/A
- Digitize & Attribute SSD      N/A
- Digitize & Attribute Open Ditch      SLM
- Stamp Plans      N/A
- Sum drain lengths & Validate      SLM
- Enter Improvements into Posse      SLM
- Enter Drain Age into Posse      SLM
- Sum drain length for Watershed in Posse      SLM
- Check Database entries for errors      SLM

**Gasb 34 Footages for Historical Cost  
Drain Length Log**

Drain-Improvement: MARION BLANTON - RECONSTRUCTION PHASE II

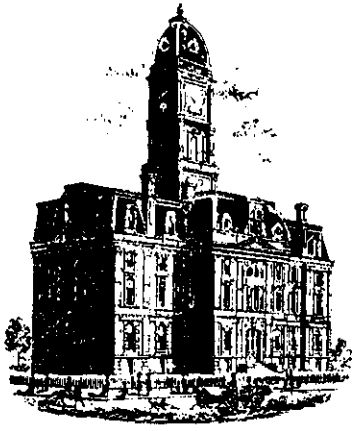
Drain Type:	Size:	Length ( )	Length (DB Query)	Length Reconcile	Price:	Cost:
OPEN DRAIN	—	624'	N/A			

Sum: 624' N/A 26308.50

Final Report: \*PENDING ←

Comments: PLUS CHANGE ORDER #1  
\* STA 60+07 - 66+31 ESTIMATED PROJECT COST ✓ TO BE ENTERED INTO PASSE IN THE "IMPROVEMENTS" TAB. CHANGES TO DRAIN IN THE GIS WILL NOT BE ENTERED UNTIL CONSTRUCTION HAS BEEN COMPLETED & INSPECTED AND A FINAL REPORT HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE DRAINAGE BOARD BY THE SURVEYOR.

\* Finalized 5-20-04 : adjusted paperwork - SIm -  
\* OFF of old Map - adjusted to match stationing of 1911 legal description.



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

# Hamilton County

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*  
Phone (317) 776-8495  
Fax (317) 776-9628

*Suite 188*  
*One Hamilton County Square*  
*Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230*

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

December 5, 2003

RE: Marion Blanton Drain # 9 Phase II Reconstruction  
Final Report - 2003 Reconstruction

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office has completed the inspection of the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II reconstruction by Van Horn Excavating. At this time the work has been found to be complete and acceptable.

The Surveyor's original reconstruction report dated July 5, 2002 was approved as presented at hearing by the Drainage Board on August 26, 2002 ( DRB-6, Page 423-425.) Estimated Cost per the July 5, 2002 report was \$25,395.00. The reconstruction was requested to be placed on hold by the board until verification that permits by the Army Corps of Engineers and DNR were not needed. This information was received on December 3, 2002 and presented to the drainage board on December 9, 2002. Bid quotes were requested and received on this project and opened at the December 9, 2002 meeting. Moon Excavating submitted a bid of \$41,580.00 and Van Horn Excavating submitted a bid of \$20,090.00. The contract was awarded to Van Horn Excavating on December 9, 2002 with a bid amount of \$20,090.00 ( DRB-6, Page 516 ).

The reconstruction project consisted of the clearing of woody vegetation, 624 feet of channel excavation, outlet protection placement and restoration, burial of assorted construction debris, installation of tile outlets, armoring and seeding.

During construction the need for additional excavation, placement of rip rap and straw blankets for stabilization of the banks not indicated on the original plan design was discovered. These improvements were approved by the board as Change Orders as listed below.

- Change Order # 1, in the amount of \$913.50 approved on March 10, 2003.
- Change Order # 2, in the amount of \$1,500.00 approved on October 27, 2003
- Change Order # 3, in the amount of \$2,186.25 approved on October 27, 2003.

The following is a breakdown of the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II reconstruction costs.

Contractor's Bid	\$ 20,090.00
Change Orders	<u>\$ 4,599.75</u>
Total Reconstruction Costs	\$24,689.75

The following is a breakdown of the claim payments paid to Van Horn Excavating for the reconstruction project.

Claim #1	Van Horn Excavating Invoice 4668 Includes Change Order #1 Approved by board on March 10, 2003 Paid: February 25, 2003 Check Number: 2007823	\$ 6,120.00
Claim #2	Van Horn Excavating Invoice 4852 Approved by board on March 10, 2003 Paid: March 25, 2003 Check Number: 2009081	\$ 6,726.47
Claim #3	Van Horn Excavating Invoices 3642 & 3644 Includes Change Orders # 2 , # 3 & Retainage Approved by board on October 27, 2003 Paid: November 12, 2003 Check Number: 2019087	\$ 11,843.28
Total Paid:		\$24,689.75

The Surveyor's Office received from Van Horn Excavating on October 15, 2003 the County's Form E-1 from the reconstruction contract per IC 36-9-27-82(b). The form stated that all expenses incurred for labor and materials on the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II Reconstruction project have been paid in full by Van Horn Excavating.

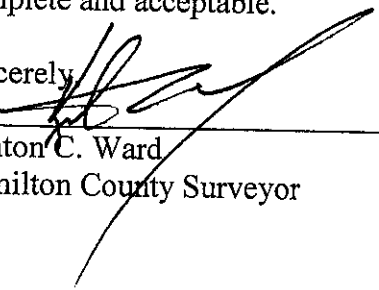
Reconstruction Cost Estimate	\$25,395.00
Total Contract Cost	<u>\$24,689.75</u>
Unexpended balance in reconstruction fund	\$ 705.25

Van Horn Excavating did not post a surety for the reconstruction project. Instead the Board received a letter from Wells Fargo Bank in Rochester, Indiana, stating Van Horn Excavating had a \$100,000.00 line of credit with the bank and as of September 26, 2002 had an available balance of \$80,000.00. This letter was presented to Mr. Howard the Drainage Board Attorney for review and found to be acceptable. Therefore, no surety needs to be released.

The current maintenance fund balance for the Marion Blanton Drain is in the red (\$1,913.52). The annual drain assessment is \$2,585.08. The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board place the unused reconstruction funds in the maintenance fund for this drain per IC 36-9-27-85(d).

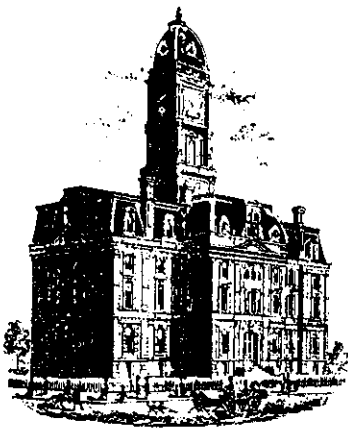
The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board approve the reconstruction of this drain as complete and acceptable.

Sincerely,



---

Kenton C. Ward  
Hamilton County Surveyor



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

# Hamilton County

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

*Phone (317) 776-8495*

*Fax (317) 776-9628*

*Suite 188*

*One Hamilton County Square  
Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230*

To: The Hamilton County Drainage Board

July 5, 2002

Re: Marion Blanton

Attached are plans, petition, drainage shed map and assessment schedules for the proposed reconstruction of a portion of the Marion Blanton Drain. This is Phase Two of the Marion Blanton Reconstruction which will involve replacing approximately 624 feet of existing tile drain with an open ditch and placing a debris guard on the tile exiting the gravel pit.

The Marion Blanton Drain is located in Jackson Township of Hamilton County and benefits properties in Sections 27,28,33 & 34, Township 20 North, Range 4 East and a portion of Section 4, Township 19 North, Range 4 East. The drain consists of tiles and open ditch totaling 26,707 feet in length. The total drainage shed equals 1,229.12 acres.

The proposed reconstruction shall begin at STA 60 + 07, which is upstream of the gravel pit located on the north line of tract 02-33-00-00-013.002, and terminate at the gravel pit being STA 66 + 31 on the same tract. The proposed open ditch shall replace the existing 18" field tile in its current location and elevation as close as practicable running South and Easterly to the gravel pit. The open ditch shall be constructed with a 4-foot wide bottom and 2:1 side slopes. Excavation shall begin at the existing west top of bank which is the approximate fence line between the Zimmerman and Wainscott properties. Filter strip 20 feet in width shall be placed along the top of bank on the east side of the open drain. Rip Rap armoring, a minimum of 18" thick underlain with filter fabric shall be placed at the point where the open ditch enters the pit to stabilize the area. A fabricated 30" CMP Tee shall be placed as a debris guard on the outlet to the pit STA 70 + 50. The area around this Tee shall be excavated and lined with Rip Rap per plan. Rip Rap shall be installed at the start of the open ditch too eliminate erosion and a sediment trap shall be installed and maintained during the reconstruction process. Any tiles found during the excavation process shall be properly outleted into the open channel per county standards.

The cost estimate for this work is as follows:

1.5 acres of Clearing @ \$4,000.00 per acre	\$ 6,000.00
624 ft of channel excavation @ \$20.00 per ft.	\$12,480.00
1 acre of seeding @ \$1,500.00 per acre	\$ 1,500.00
1-30"x30" CMP Tee debris guard installed @ \$500.00	\$ 500.00
80 ton of Rip Rap @ \$20.00 per ton installed	\$ 1,600.00
	<u>Sub Total \$ 22,080.00</u>
	15% cont. <u>\$ 3,312.00</u>
	Total == \$ 25,395.00

- Spreading of spoils and sediment trap to be included in the excavation costs.
- Clearing to include burning and bury.
- Seeding to include seedbed preparation and fertilizer for the filter strips, bank slopes and spoils area.
- Installation of CMP Tee to include excavation and placement of Rip Rap with anchor post for stabilization.

The drainage shed is based on that portion being upstream of Devaney Road at approximately STA 85 + 50 on the Blanton Drain. This shed consists of 858 acres. I recommend an assessment of \$ 29.59 per acre with a \$ 5.00 minimum. I believe that no damages will result to any property owner within the drainage area.

The board should set a hearing for this item for August 26,2002.

  
Kenton C. Ward  
Hamilton County Surveyor

KCW/sab

# Final Report Rough Draft.

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

December 5, 2003

RE: Marion Blanton Drain # 9 Phase II Reconstruction  
Final Report - 2003 Reconstruction

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office has completed the inspection of the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II reconstruction by Van Horn Excavating. At this time the work has been found to be complete and acceptable.

The Surveyor's original reconstruction report dated July 5, 2002 was approved as presented at hearing by the Drainage Board on August 26, 2002. Estimated Cost per the July 5, 2002 report was \$25,395.00. The reconstruction was requested to be placed on hold by the board until verification that permits by the Army Corps of Engineers and DNR were not needed. This information was received on December 3, 2002. The contract was awarded to Van Horn Excavating on December 9, 2002 with a bid amount of \$20,090.00.

(DRB 6, Page) 423-25

The reconstruction project consisted of the clearing of woody vegetation, 624 feet of channel excavation, outlet protection placement and restoration, burial of assorted construction debris, installation of tile outlets, armoring and seeding.

DELETED

The As-built drawings have been completed and are included with the final report.

During construction additional excavation, placement of rip rap and straw blankets for stabilization of the banks not indicated on the original plan design was discovered. These improvements were approved by the board as Change Order # 1, in the amount of \$913.50 on March 10, 2003. Change Order # 2, in the amount of \$1,500.00 and Change Order # 3, in the amount of \$2,186.25 on October 27, 2003.

#1 for 913.50 on March 10, 2003

The following is a breakdown of the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II reconstruction costs.

Contractor's Bid	\$ 20,090.00
Change Orders	\$ 4,599.75
Total Reconstruction Costs	\$24,689.75



The following is a breakdown of the claim payments paid to Van Horn Excavating for the reconstruction project.

Claim #1	Van Horn Excavating Invoice 4668 Includes Change Order #1 Approved by board on March 10, 2003 Paid: February 25, 2003	
Claim #2	Check Number: 2007823 Van Horn Excavating Invoice 4852 Approved by board on March 10, 2003 Paid: March 25, 2003	\$ 6,120.00
Claim #3	Check Number: 2009081 Van Horn Excavating Invoices 3642 & 3644 Includes Change Orders # 2 , # 3 & Retainage Approved by board on October 27, 2003 Paid: November 12, 2003	<u>\$ 6,726.47</u>
	Check Number: 2019087	\$ 11,843.28
Total Paid:		\$24,689.75

The Surveyor's Office received from Van Horn Excavating on October 15, 2003 the County's Form E-1 from the reconstruction contract per IC 36-9-27-82(b). The form stated that all expenses incurred for labor and materials on the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II Reconstruction project have been paid in full by Van Horn Excavating.

Reconstruction Cost Estimate	\$25,395.00
Total Contract Cost	<u>\$24,689.75</u>
Unexpended balance in reconstruction fund	\$ 705.25

Van Horn Excavating did not post a surety for the reconstruction project. Instead the Board received a letter from Wells Fargo Bank in Rochester, Indiana, stating Van Horn Excavating had a \$100,000.00 line of credit with the bank and as of September 26, 2002 had an available balance of \$80,000.00. Therefore, no surety needs to be released.

The current maintenance fund balance for the Marion Blanton Drain is in the red (\$1,913.52). The annual drain assessment is \$2,585.08. The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board place the unused reconstruction funds in the maintenance fund for this drain per IC 36-9-27-85(a).

The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board approve the reconstruction of this drain as complete and acceptable.

Submitted by. Sincerely ,

---

Kenton C. Ward  
Hamilton County Surveyor

Contract Bid	\$20,880.00
Change Orders	\$ 950.00
Total Reconstruction Costs	<u>\$21,830.00</u>

The following is a breakdown of the claim payments paid to Van Horn Excavating for the reconstruction project.

Claim #1 (Claim # 02-214)	Van Horn Excavating Invoices 4782 and 4856 Includes Change Order #1 and #2 Paid: October 29, 2002 Check Number: 2000533	\$18,555.50
Claim #2 (Claim # 03-011)	Retainage from Invoices 4782 and 4856 Paid: January 14, 2003 Check Number: 2004595	\$ 3,274.50
Total Paid:		<u>\$21,830.00</u>

On November 1, 2002, the Surveyor's Office received from Van Horn Excavating the County's Form E-1 from the reconstruction contract per IC 36-9-27-82(b). The form states that all expenses incurred for labor and materials on the A. J. Myers drain reconstruction project have been paid in full by Van Horn Excavating.

Reconstruction Cost Estimate	\$26,277.00
Total Contract Cost	<u>\$21,830.00</u>
Unexpended Balance in Reconstruction Fund	\$ 4,447.00

Van Horn Excavating did not post a surety for the reconstruction project. Instead the Board received a letter from Wells Fargo Bank in Rochester, Indiana, stating Van Horn Excavating had a \$100,000.00 line of credit with the bank and as of September 26, 2002 had an available balance of \$80,000.00. Therefore, no surety needs to be released with the acceptance and approval of this project.

The current maintenance fund balance for the A. J. Myers Drain is \$1,412.31. The current balance does not reflect the 2002 Fall Settlement which the Auditor's Office has not posted to the A. J. Myers Drain fund as of this date due to software problems in the Treasurer's Office. The drain's annual assessment is \$404.40. The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board place the unexpended reconstruction funds in the maintenance fund for this drain per IC 36-9-27-85(a).

The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board approve the reconstruction of this drain as complete and acceptable.

Submitted by

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kenton C. Ward  
 Hamilton County Surveyor

*Kent.*  
*PLEASE MARK UP*  
*LOOK OVER & RETURN.*  
*S. Baugh*

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

December 5, 2003

RE: Marion Blanton Drain # 9 Phase II Reconstruction  
Final Report - 2003 Reconstruction

*WHAT DATE?*  
*10-20-03*  
*9-16-03*  
*12-10-03*

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office has completed the inspection of the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II reconstruction by Van Horn Excavating. At this time the work has been found to be complete and acceptable.

The Surveyor's original reconstruction report dated July 5, 2002 was approved as presented at hearing by the Drainage Board on August 26, 2002 ( DRB-6, Page 423-425.) Estimated Cost per the July 5, 2002 report was \$25,395.00. The reconstruction was requested to be placed on hold by the board until verification that permits by the Army Corps of Engineers and DNR were not needed. This information was received on December 3, 2002. The contract was awarded to Van Horn Excavating on December 9, 2002 with a bid amount of \$20,090.00.

*WHAT DATE WERE THE BIDS OPEN?*  
*12-9-02*

*Board?*  
*\$ presented to the Bd on 12/9/02*

The reconstruction project consisted of the clearing of woody vegetation, 624 feet of channel excavation, outlet protection placement and restoration, burial of assorted construction debris, installation of tile outlets, armoring and seeding.

During construction, <sup>*THE NEED FOR*</sup> additional excavation, placement of rip rap and straw blankets for stabilization of the banks not indicated on the original plan design was discovered. These improvements were approved by the board as Change Orders *AS LISTED BELOW*

*SPACE*

Change Order # 1, in the amount of \$913.50 approved on March 10, 2003.  
Change Order # 2, in the amount of \$1,500.00 and Change Order # 3, in the amount of \$2,186.25 approved on October 27, 2003.

The following is a breakdown of the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II reconstruction costs.

Contractor's Bid	\$ 20,090.00
Change Orders	\$ 4,599.75
Total Reconstruction Costs	\$24,689.75

THIS MUST BE FILED W/ BOARD AFTER FINAL INSP.

The following is a breakdown of the claim payments paid to Van Horn Excavating for the reconstruction project.

THIS DATE MUST BE 60 DAYS AFTER FINAL INSP.

Claim #1	Van Horn Excavating Invoice 4668 Includes Change Order #1 Approved by board on March 10, 2003 Paid: February 25, 2003 Check Number: 2007823	\$ 6,120.00
Claim #2	Van Horn Excavating Invoice 4852 Approved by board on March 10, 2003 Paid: March 25, 2003 Check Number: 2009081	\$ 6,726.47
Claim #3	Van Horn Excavating Invoices 3642 & 3644 Includes Change Orders # 2, # 3 & Retainage Approved by board on October 27, 2003 Paid: November 12, 2003 Check Number: 2019087	\$ 11,843.28
Total Paid:		\$24,689.75

The Surveyor's Office received from Van Horn Excavating on October 15, 2003 the County's Form E-1 from the reconstruction contract per IC 36-9-27-82(b). The form stated that all expenses incurred for labor and materials on the Marion Blanton Drain Phase II Reconstruction project have been paid in full by Van Horn Excavating.

Reconstruction Cost Estimate	\$25,395.00
Total Contract Cost	\$24,689.75
Unexpended balance in reconstruction fund	\$ 705.25

Van Horn Excavating did not post a surety for the reconstruction project. Instead the Board received a letter from Wells Fargo Bank in Rochester, Indiana, stating Van Horn Excavating had a \$100,000.00 line of credit with the bank and as of September 26, 2002 had an available balance of \$80,000.00. Therefore, no surety needs to be released.

( WHEN WAS THIS ACCEPTED BY THE BOARD ? )

The current maintenance fund balance for the Marion Blanton Drain is in the red (\$1,913.52). The annual drain assessment is \$2,585.08. The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board place the unused reconstruction funds in the maintenance fund for this drain per IC 36-9-27-85(d).

The Surveyor's Office recommends the Board approve the reconstruction of this drain as complete and acceptable.

Sincerely,

Kenton C. Ward  
Hamilton County Surveyor



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
U.S. ARMY ENGINEER DISTRICT, LOUISVILLE  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
INDIANAPOLIS FIELD OFFICE  
9799 BILLINGS ROAD  
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46216-1055  
FAX: (317) 532-4228  
<http://www.lrl.usace.army.mil>

December 3, 2002

Operations Division  
Regulatory Branch (North)  
ID No. 200201194-aka

Mr. Kent Ward  
Hamilton County Drainage Board  
One Hamilton Square, Suite 188  
Noblesville, Indiana 46060

Dear Mr. Ward:

This is in regard to your application requesting authorization to excavate approximately 625 linear feet of the Marion Blanton Drain northwest of 236<sup>th</sup> Street and DeVaney Road near Noblesville, Hamilton County, Indiana. The project is located in Section 33, Township 20 North, Range 4 East. We have reviewed the information submitted to determine whether a Department of the Army (DA) permit would be required under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA).

Based on the information provided, we have determined that the proposed work will not require authorization from us. Changes in our regulations, effective July 9, 1998, allow for the removal of sediment and other obstructions, involving only the incidental fallback of dredged material. Therefore, a DA permit will not be required from us provided a one step removal method is used.

One step removal requires that the sediment and debris must be removed and immediately placed landward sufficiently enough to prevent the runoff water from the dredged material from re-entering the stream and that no additional dredged and/or fill material is placed below the ordinary high water mark of the stream or in wetlands. We recommend, however, that good management and conservation practices be used. For example:

a. The dredged (excavated) material should be placed sufficiently landward in a contained manner and immediately stabilized by spreading and seeding;

b. Straw or hay bale barriers or other approved berming methods for controlling and containing sediment should be used if the dredged material is discharged within close proximity to any "waters of the United States;"

c. All work, including the removal of vegetation, should be performed from one side of the channel leaving one side undisturbed; and

d. The side casting of dredged material into wetlands adjacent to the stream is **not allowed** under one step removal and would require authorization before the work is done. Based on a site inspection performed November 1, 2002, it appears that an emergent wetland may reside adjacent to the waterway on the west bank. Any proposed impacts to this wetland, to include mechanical clearing, may require authorization prior to construction.

Implementing best management practices will help to ensure that those one step removal activities being performed in "waters of the United States" that does not require authorization will not contribute to any significant degradation to the aquatic environment.

If you have any questions concerning this decision, please contact this office at the above address, ATTN: CELRL-OP-FN or call me at (317) 532-4198.

Sincerely,



Amy K. Sharp  
Project Manager  
Regulatory Branch

Sharp/OP-FN/onestep.wp.A1 *AS*



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
U.S. ARMY ENGINEER DISTRICT, LOUISVILLE  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
INDIANAPOLIS FIELD OFFICE  
9799 BILLINGS ROAD  
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46216-1055  
FAX: (317) 532-4228  
<http://www.lrl.usace.army.mil>

December 3, 2002

Operations Division  
Regulatory Branch (North)  
ID No. 200201194-aka

Mr. Kent Ward  
Hamilton County Drainage Board  
One Hamilton Square, Suite 188  
Noblesville, Indiana 46060

Dear Mr. Ward:

This is in regard to your application requesting authorization to excavate approximately 625 linear feet of the Marion Blanton Drain northwest of 236<sup>th</sup> Street and DeVaney Road near Noblesville, Hamilton County, Indiana. The project is located in Section 33, Township 20 North, Range 4 East. We have reviewed the information submitted to determine whether a Department of the Army (DA) permit would be required under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA).

Based on the information provided, we have determined that the proposed work will not require authorization from us. Changes in our regulations, effective July 9, 1998, allow for the removal of sediment and other obstructions, involving only the incidental fallback of dredged material. Therefore, a DA permit will not be required from us provided a one step removal method is used.

One step removal requires that the sediment and debris must be removed and immediately placed landward sufficiently enough to prevent the runoff water from the dredged material from re-entering the stream and that no additional dredged and/or fill material is placed below the ordinary high water mark of the stream or in wetlands. We recommend, however, that good management and conservation practices be used. For example:

a. The dredged (excavated) material should be placed sufficiently landward in a contained manner and immediately stabilized by spreading and seeding;

b. Straw or hay bale barriers or other approved berming methods for controlling and containing sediment should be used if the dredged material is discharged within close proximity to any "waters of the United States;"

c. All work, including the removal of vegetation, should be performed from one side of the channel leaving one side undisturbed; and



d. The side casting of dredged material into wetlands adjacent to the stream is **not allowed** under one step removal and would require authorization before the work is done. Based on a site inspection performed November 1, 2002, it appears that an emergent wetland may reside adjacent to the waterway on the west bank. Any proposed impacts to this wetland, to include mechanical clearing, may require authorization prior to construction.

Implementing best management practices will help to ensure that those one step removal activities being performed in "waters of the United States" that does not require authorization will not contribute to any significant degradation to the aquatic environment.

If you have any questions concerning this decision, please contact this office at the above address, ATTN: CELRL-OP-FN or call me at (317) 532-4198.

Sincerely,



Amy K. Sharp  
Project Manager  
Regulatory Branch

Sharp/OP-FN/onestep.wp.A1 *AS*



*ecological consultants & environmental engineers*

**J.F. New &  
Associates**

Office Locations:

Walkerton, Indiana  
Crete, Illinois  
Indianapolis, Indiana  
Grand Haven, Michigan  
Gaylord, Michigan  
Native Plant Nursery:  
Walkerton, Indiana

**Scott E. Fetters**

Senior Project Manager  
Restoration Management Division

128 Sunset Drive  
Walkerton, Indiana 46574  
Phone: 574.586.2412 Fax: 574.586.2718  
Mobile: 574.340.9666  
[www.jfnew.com](http://www.jfnew.com)

**Wise Growth Through Stewardship**

SEP 8 27-02

APPLICATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY PERMIT  
(33 CFR 325)

OMB APPROVAL NO. 0710-0003  
Expires June 30, 2000

The Public burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 10 hours per response, although the majority of applications should require 5 hours or less. This includes the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to Department of Defense, Washington Headquarters Service Directorate of Information Operations and Reports, 1215 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 1204, Arlington, VA 22202-4302; and to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0710-0003), Washington, DC 20503. Respondents should be aware that notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information if it does not display a currently valid OMB control number. Please DO NOT RETURN your form to either of those addresses. Completed applications must be submitted to the District Engineer having jurisdiction over the location of the proposed activity.

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

Authorities: Rivers and Harbors Act, Section 10, 33 USC 403; Clean Water Act, Section 404, 33 USC 1344; Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act, 33 USC 1413, Section 103. Principal Purpose: Information provided on this form will be used in evaluating the application for a permit. Routine Uses: This information may be shared with the Department of Justice and other federal, state, and local government agencies. Submission of requested information is voluntary, however, if information is not provided the permit application cannot be evaluated nor can a permit be issued. One set of original drawings or good reproducible copies which show the location and character of the proposed activity must be attached to this application (see sample drawings and instructions) and be submitted to the District Engineer having jurisdiction over the location of the proposed activity. An application that is not completed in full will be returned.

(ITEMS 1 THRU 4 TO BE FILLED BY THE CORPS)

1. APPLICATION NO.	2. FIELD OFFICE CODE	3. DATE RECEIVED	4. DATE APPLICATION COMPLETED
--------------------	----------------------	------------------	-------------------------------

(ITEMS BELOW TO BE FILLED BY APPLICANT)

5. APPLICANT'S NAME <u>Hamilton County Drainage Board</u>	8. AUTHORIZED AGENT'S NAME AND TITLE (an agent is not required)
6. APPLICANT'S ADDRESS <u>One Hamilton Square, Suite 188 Noblesville, IN 46060</u>	9. AGENT'S ADDRESS
7. APPLICANT'S PHONE NOS. W/AREA CODE a. Residence b. Business <u>317-776-8495</u>	10. AGENT'S PHONE NOS. W/AREA CODE a. Residence b. Business

STATEMENT OF AUTHORIZATION

I hereby authorize, \_\_\_\_\_ to act in my behalf as my agent in the processing of this application and to furnish, upon request, supplemental information in support of this permit application.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

NAME, LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT OR ACTIVITY

12. PROJECT NAME OR TITLE (see instructions) <u>Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction</u>	
13. NAME OF WATERBODY, IF KNOWN (if applicable) <u>Marion Blanton Regulated Drain</u>	14. PROJECT STREET ADDRESS (if applicable) <u>23848 DeVaney Road Cicero, IN 46034</u>
15. LOCATION OF PROJECT <u>Hamilton</u> COUNTY <u>Indiana</u> STATE	

16. OTHER LOCATION DESCRIPTIONS, IF KNOWN, (see instructions)  
Section 33, Township 20N, Range 4E of Jackson Twp. - parcel 02-33-00-00-013.002

17. DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE  
Go North of Indianapolis on US 31 to 236th Street, then east on 236th to DeVaney Road turn North on DeVaney Road approximately 3/8 of a mile. Area is on the West side of DeVaney Road.

18. Nature of Activity (Description of project, include all features)

Replace an existing 18" clay regulated drain tile with an open ditch and place a debris guard on an existing outlet.

19. Project Purpose (Describe the reason or purpose of the project, see instructions)

Restore flow to an existing regulated drain. Current conditions are disrupting farming practices and flooding county roads, creating safety issues.

USE BLOCKS 20-22 IF DREDGED AND/OR FILL MATERIAL IS TO BE DISCHARGED

20. Reason(s) for Discharge

Excavated materials to be place in upland areas.

21. Type(s) of Material Being Discharged and the Amount of Each Type in Cubic Yards

Excavated material which will be placed in upland area will be native spoil from new ditch excavation.

22. Surface Area in Acres of Wetlands or Other Waters Filled (see instructions)

-0-

23. Is Any Portion of the Work Already Complete? Yes  No  IF YES, DESCRIBE THE COMPLETED WORK

24. Addresses of Adjoining Property Owners, Lessees, Etc., Whose Property Adjoins the Waterbody (If more than can be entered here, please attach a supplemental list).

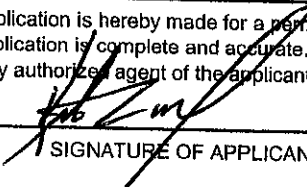
See Attached

25. List of Other Certifications or Approvals/Denials Received from other Federal, State or Local Agencies for Work Described in This Application.

AGENCY	TYPE APPROVAL*	IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	DATE APPLIED	DATE APPROVED	DATE DENIED
--------	----------------	-----------------------	--------------	---------------	-------------

\*Would include but is not restricted to zoning, building and flood plain permits

26. Application is hereby made for a permit or permits to authorize the work described in this application. I certify that the information in this application is complete and accurate. I further certify that I possess the authority to undertake the work described herein or am acting as the duly authorized agent of the applicant.


8-26-02

\_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE OF AGENT \_\_\_\_\_ DATE

The application must be signed by the person who desires to undertake the proposed activity (applicant) or it may be signed by a duly authorized agent if the statement in block 11 has been filled out and signed.

18 U.S.C. Section 1001 provides that: Whoever, in any manner within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States knowingly and willfully falsifies, conceals, or covers up any trick, scheme, or disguises a material fact or makes any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations or makes or uses any false writing or document knowing same to contain any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or entry, shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years or both.

**Instructions for Preparing a  
Department of the Army Permit Application**

**Blocks 1 through 4.** To be completed by Corps of Engineers.

**Block 5. Applicant's Name.** Enter the name of the responsible party or parties. If the responsible party is an agency, company, corporation or other organization, indicate the responsible officer and title. If more than one party is associated with the application, please attach a sheet with the necessary information marked **Block 5**.

**Block 6. Address of Applicant.** Please provide the full address of the party or parties responsible for the application. If more space is needed, attach an extra sheet of paper marked **Block 6**.

**Block 7. Applicant Telephone Number(s).** Please provide the number where you can usually be reached during normal business hours.

**Blocks 8 through 11.** To be completed if you choose to have an agent.

**Block 8. Authorized Agent's Name and Title.** Indicate name of individual or agency, designated by you, to represent you in this process. An agent can be an attorney, builder, contractor, engineer or any other person or organization. Note: An agent is not required.

**Blocks 9 and 10. Agent's Address and Telephone Number.** Please provide the complete mailing address of the agent, along with the telephone number where he/she can be reached during normal business hours.

**Block 11. Statement of Authorization.** To be completed by applicant if an agent is to be employed.

**Block 12. Proposed Project Name or Title.** Please provide name identifying the proposed project (i.e., Landmark Plaza, Burned Hills Subdivision or Edsall Commercial Center).

**Block 13. Name of Waterbody.** Please provide the name of any stream, lake, marsh or other waterway to be directly impacted by the activity. If it is a minor (no name) stream, identify the waterbody the minor stream enters.

**Block 14. Proposed Project Street Address.** If the proposed project is located at a site having a street address (not a box number), please enter here.

**Block 15. Location of Proposed Project.** Enter the county and state where the proposed project is located. If more space is required, please attach a sheet with the necessary information marked **Block 15**.

**Block 16. Other Location Descriptions.** If available, provide the Section, Township and Range of the site and/or the latitude and longitude. You may also provide description of the proposed project location, such as lot numbers, tract numbers or you may choose to locate the proposed project site from a known point (such as the right descending bank of Smith Creek, one mile down from the Highway 14 bridge). If a large river or stream, include the river mile of the proposed project site if known.

**Block 17. Directions to the Site.** Provide directions to the site from a known location or landmark. Include highway and street numbers as well as names. Also provide distances from known locations and any other information that would assist in locating the site.

**Block 18. Nature of Activity.** Describe the overall activity or project. Give appropriate dimensions of structures such as wingwalls, dikes (identify the materials to be used in construction, as well as the methods by which the work is to be done), or excavations (length, width, and height). Indicate whether discharge of dredged or fill material is involved. Also, identify any structure to be constructed on a fill, piles or float supported platforms.

The written descriptions and illustrations are an important part of the application. Please describe, in detail, what you wish to do. If more space is needed, attach an extra sheet of paper marked **Block 18**.

**Block 19. Proposed Project Purpose.** Describe the purpose and need for the proposed project. What will it be used for and why? Also include a brief description of any related activities to be developed as the result of the proposed project. Give the approximate dates you plan to both begin and complete all work.

**Block 20. Reason(s) for Discharge.** If the activity involves the discharge of dredged and/or fill material into a wetland or other waterbody, including the temporary placement of material, explain the specific purpose of the placement of the material (such as erosion control).

**Block 21. Type(s) of Material Being Discharged and the Amount of Each Type in Cubic Yards.** Describe the material to be discharged and amount of each material to be discharged within Corps jurisdiction. Please be sure this description will agree with your illustrations. Discharge material includes: rock, sand, clay, concrete, etc.

**Block 22. Surface Areas of Wetlands or Other Waters Filled.** Describe the area to be filled at each location. Specifically identify the surface areas, or part thereof, to be filled. Also include the means by which the discharge is to be done (backhoe, dragline, etc.). If dredged material is to be discharged on an upland site, identify the site and the steps to be taken (if necessary) to prevent runoff from the dredged material back into a waterbody. If more space is needed, attach an extra sheet of paper marked **Block 22**.

**Block 23. Is Any Portion of the Work Already Complete?** Provide any background on any part of the proposed project already completed. Describe the area already developed, structures completed, any dredged or fill material already discharged, the type of material, volume in cubic yards, acres filled, if a wetland or other waterbody (in acres or square feet). If the work was done under an existing Corps permit, identify the authorization if possible.

**Block 24. Names and Addresses of Adjoining Property Owners, Lessees, etc., Whose Property Adjoins the Project Site.** List complete names and full mailing addresses of the adjacent property owners (public and private) lessees, etc., whose property adjoins the waterbody or aquatic site where the work is being proposed so that they may be notified of the proposed activity (usually by public notice). If more space is needed, attach an extra sheet of paper marked **Block 24**.

Information regarding adjacent landowners is usually available through the office of the tax assessor in the county of counties where the project is to be developed.

**Block 25. Information about Approvals or Denials by Other Agencies.** You may need the approval of other Federal, state or local agencies for your project. Identify any applications you have submitted and the status, if any (approved or denied) of each application. You need not have obtained all other permits before applying for a Corps permit.

**Block 26. Signature of Applicant or Agent.** The application must be signed by the owner or other authorized party (agent). This signature shall be an affirmation that the party applying for the permit possesses the requisite property rights to undertake the activity applied for (including compliance with special conditions, mitigation, etc.).

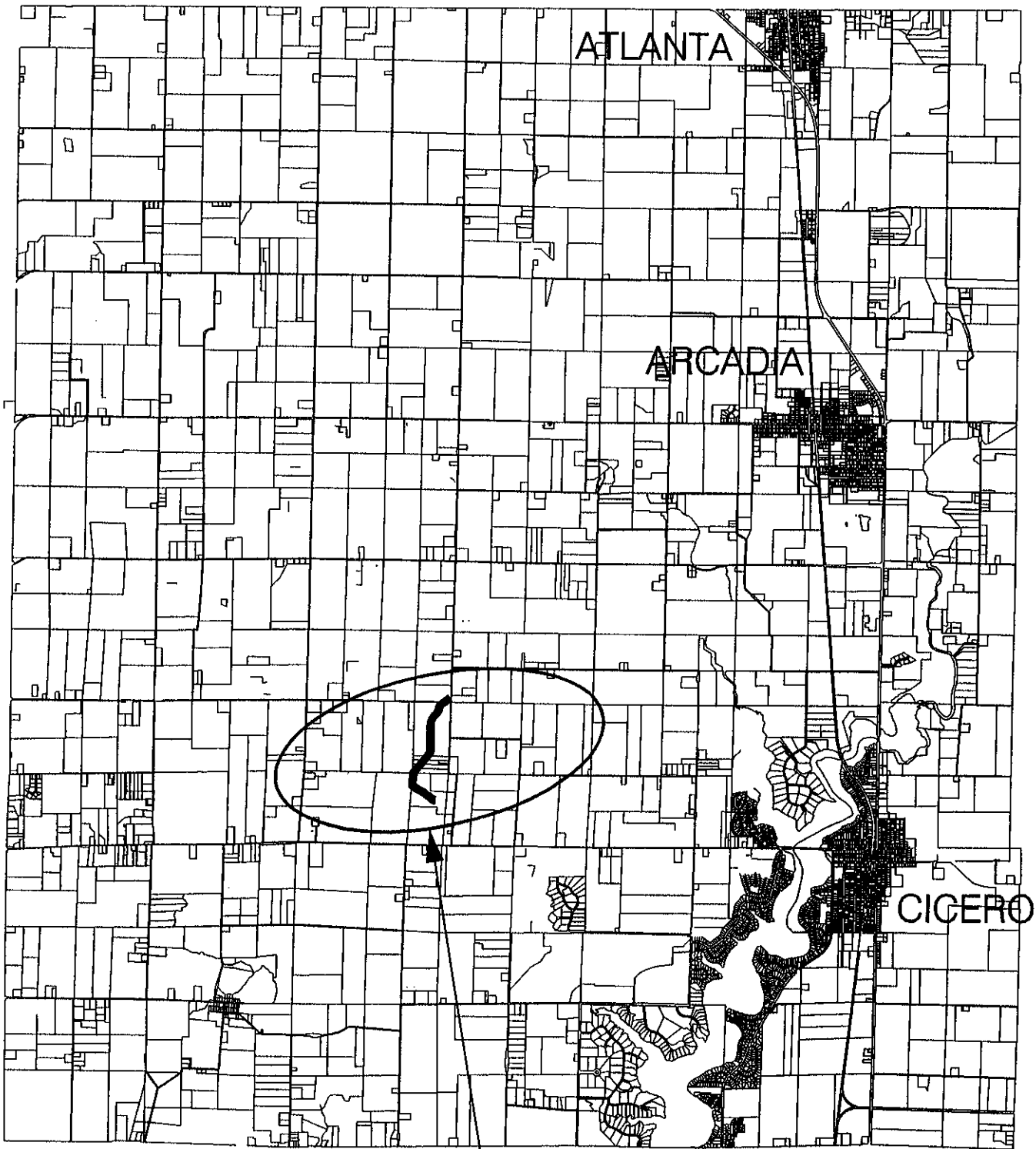
### DRAWINGS AND ILLUSTRATIONS

#### **General Information.**

Three types of illustrations are needed to properly depict the work to be undertaken. These illustrations or drawings are identified as a **Vicinity Map**, a **Plan View** or a **Typical Cross-Section Map**. Identify each illustration with a figure or attachment number.

Please submit one original, or good quality copy, of all drawings on 8 1/2x11 inch plain white paper (tracing paper or film may be substituted). Use the fewest number of sheets necessary for your drawings or illustrations.

Each illustration should identify the project, the applicant, and the type of illustration (vicinity map, plan view or cross-section). **While illustrations need not be professional (many small, private project illustrations are prepared by hand), they should be clear, accurate and contain all necessary information.**



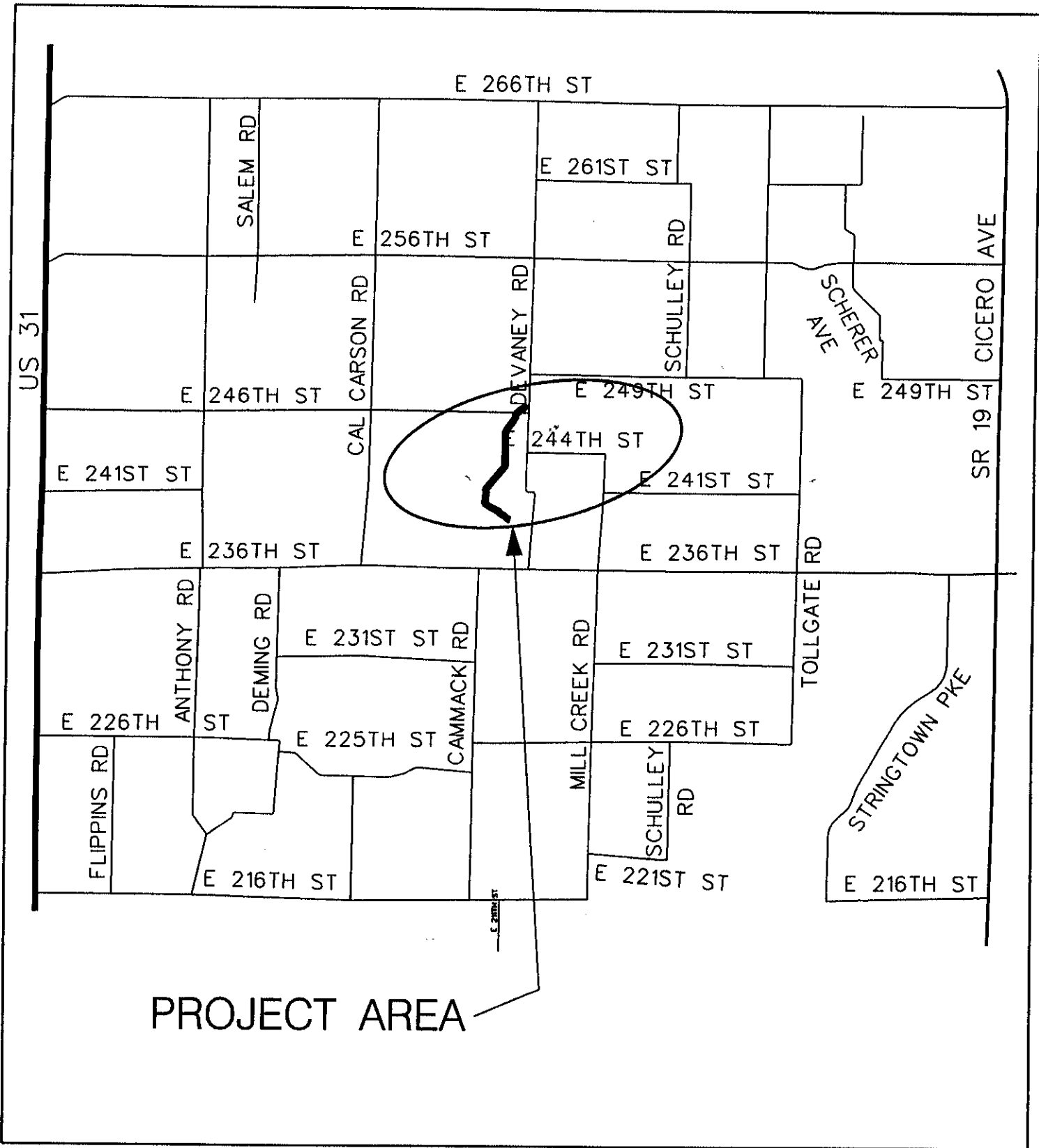
ATLANTA

ARCADIA

CIGERO

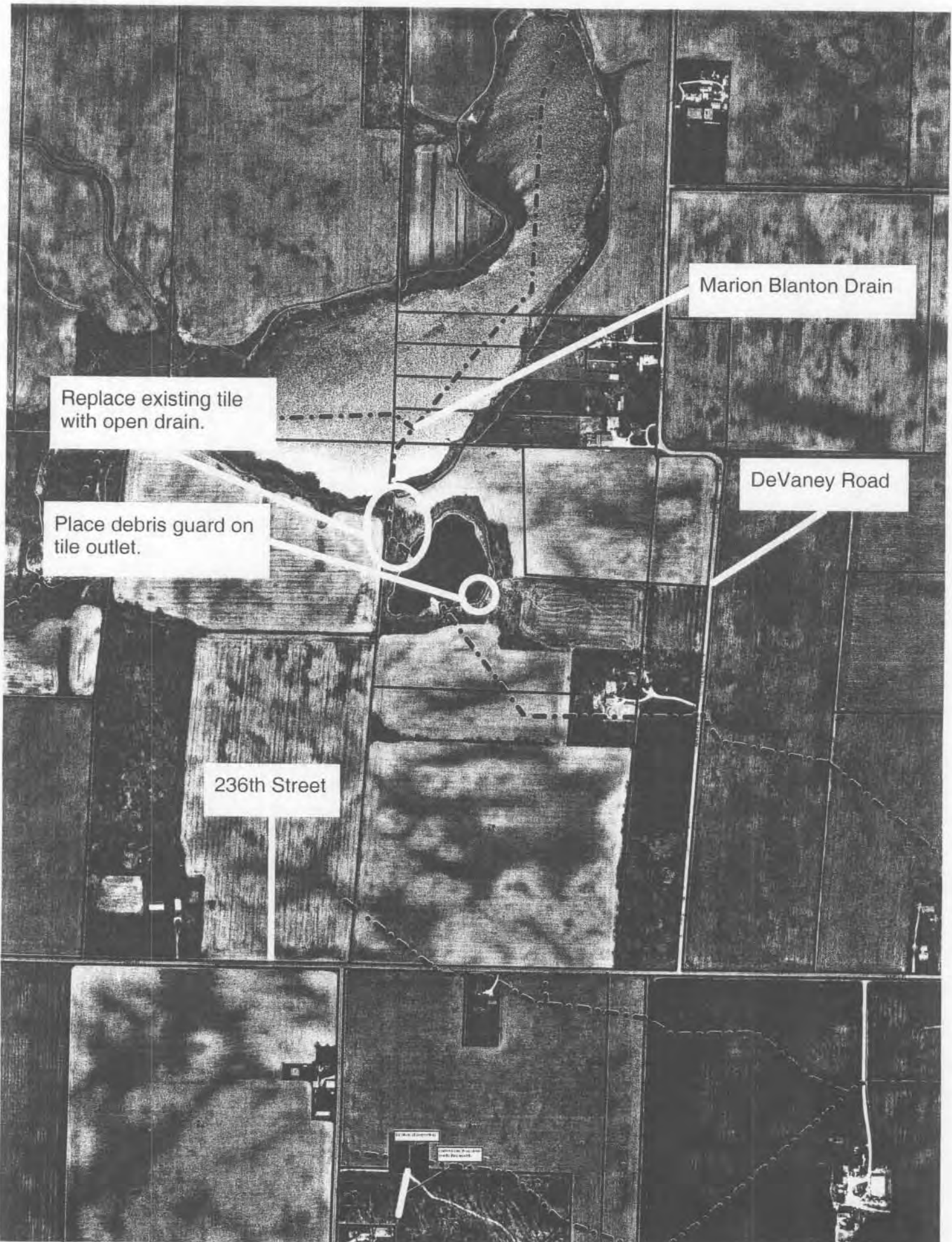
PROJECT AREA

JACKSON TOWNSHIP  
MARION BLANTON DRAIN



**SITE LOCATION MAP**  
**MARION BLANTION DRAIN**





Marion Blanton Drain

Replace existing tile with open drain.

Place debris guard on tile outlet.

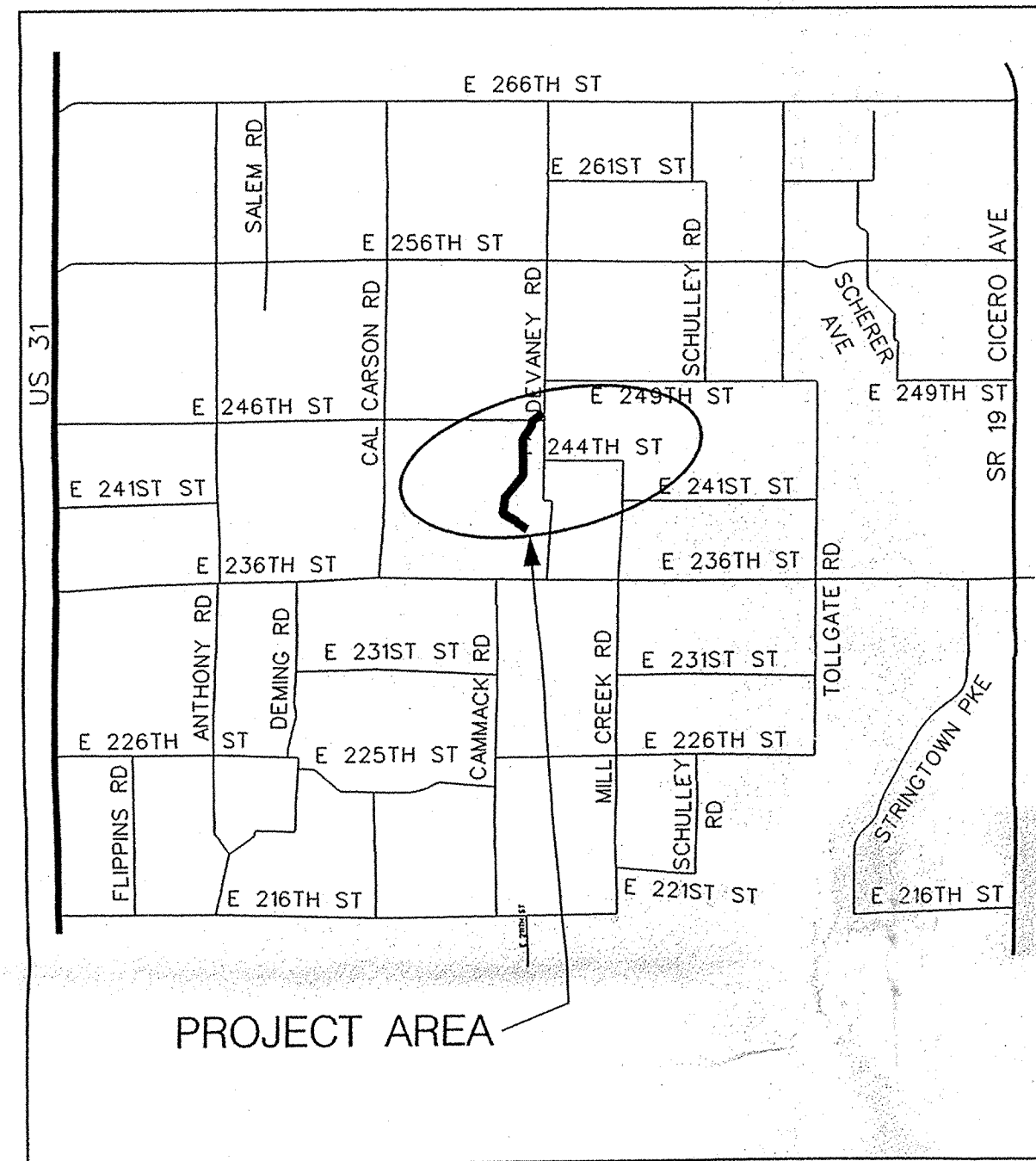
DeVaney Road

236th Street

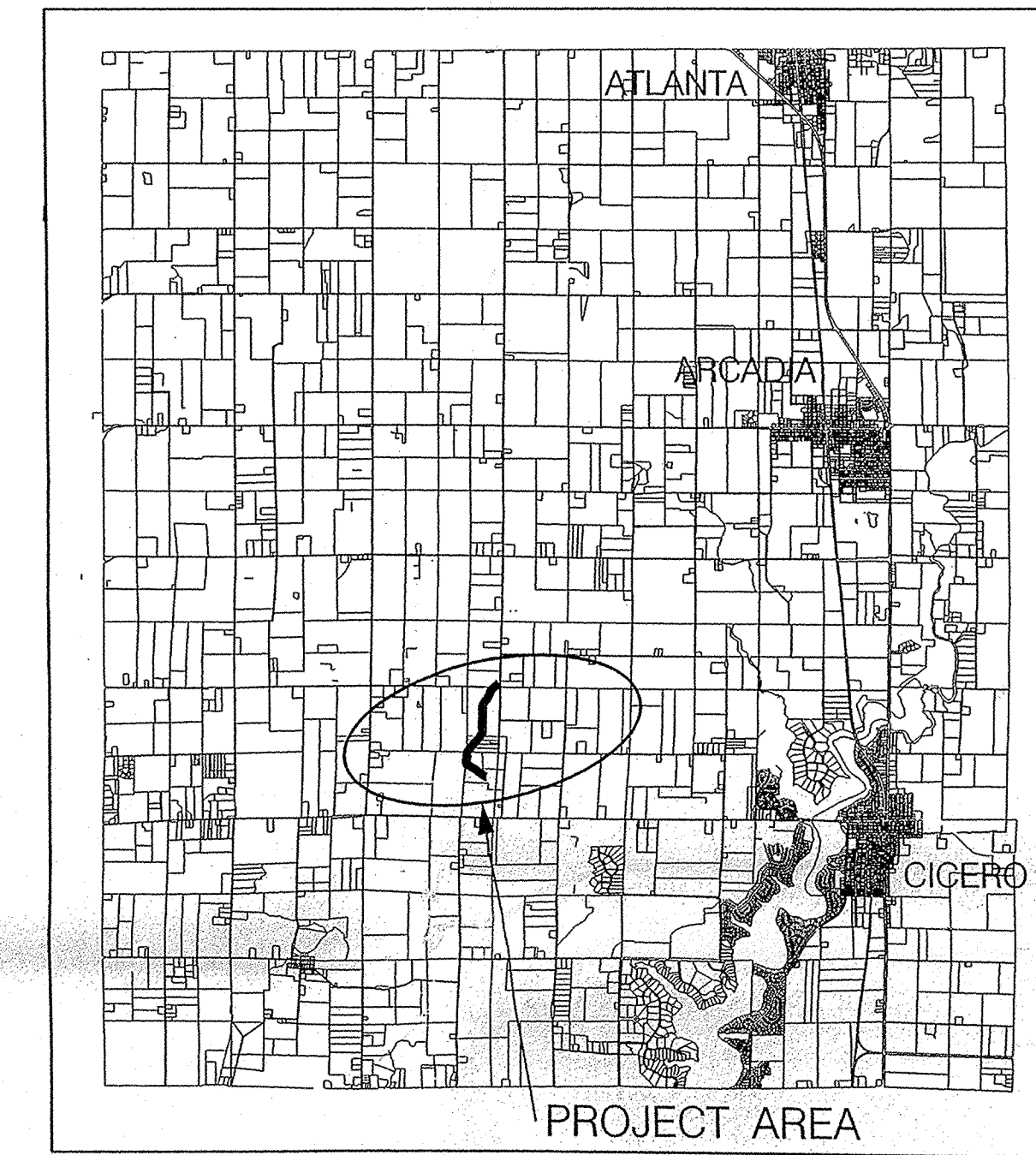
Small text box at the bottom center of the image, possibly containing a date or project name.

# HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

## MARION BLANTON DRAIN



SITE LOCATION MAP



JACKSON TOWNSHIP

INDEX	
SHEET NO.	Description
1	Title Sheet
2	Information /Detail Sheet
3	Plan & Profile, Cross Sections

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

---

KENTON C. WARD, COUNTY SURVEYOR

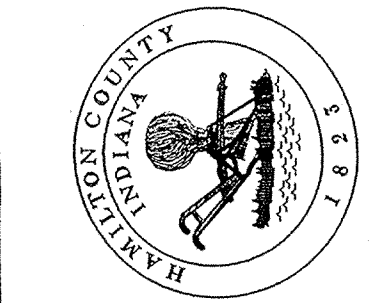
---

HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

---

STEVEN A. HOLT, PRESIDENT  
 STEVEN C. DILLINGER, MEMBER  
 SHARON R. CLARK, MEMBER

Operating Authorities	
Sanitary	Hamilton Co. Highway Dept. 1700 S. 10th Street Noblesville, Indiana 46060 (317) 773-7770
Cable	Gas
Water	Communication
Pipeline	Electrical



HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA  
 Hamilton County Surveyor's Office  
 Hamilton County Government and  
 Infrastructure Department  
 One Hamilton County Square, Suite 188  
 Noblesville, IN 46060  
 (O) 776-8495  
 (F) 776-9626  
 surveyor@co.hamilton.in.us

Project No:	Watershed No: 9
By:	Dgn Name: Blanton.dgn
Date:	Surveyed By: JW/FM&JF
Revisions:	Drawn By: JPP / DMW
	Checked By:
	Date: 09-08-2002

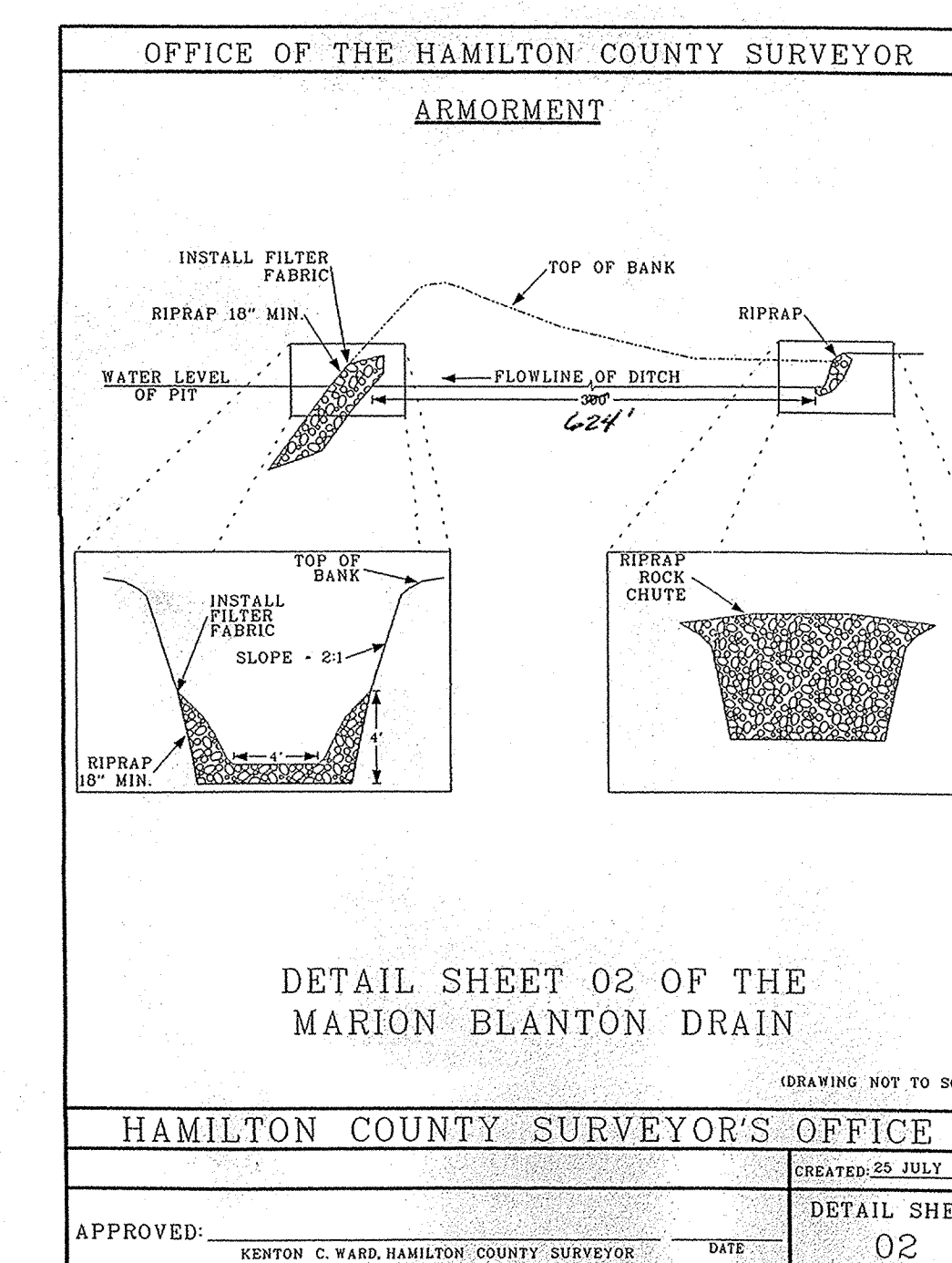
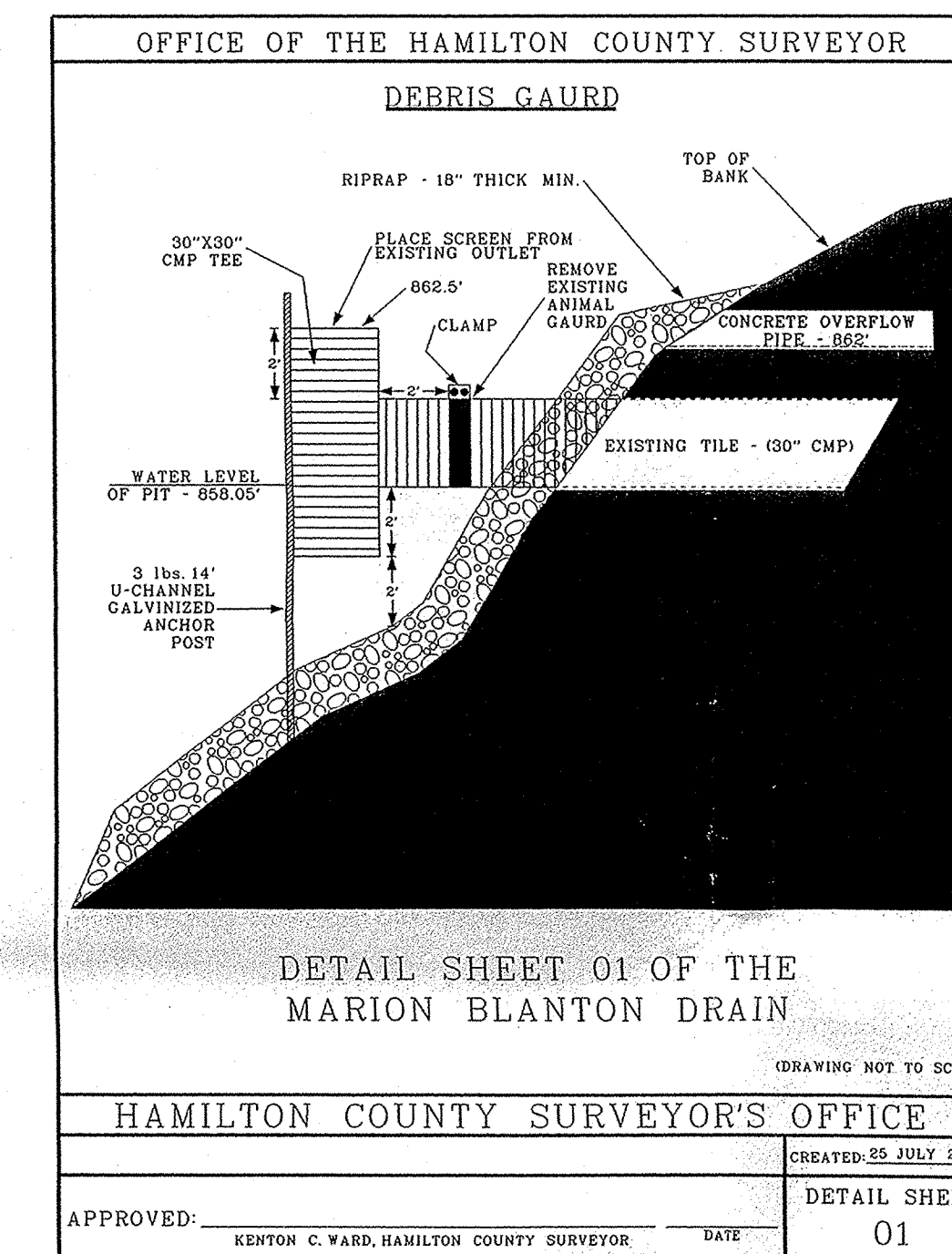
Certified By:

Project Name: MARION BLANTON  
 TITLE SHEET  
 SHEET NO. 1 of 3  
 PLOT DATE: 8/14/2002

SYMBOL		LEGEND		
	EXISTING FL	CC	CATTLE CROSSING	
	PROPOSED FL	FB	FOOT BRIDGE	
	EXISTING TB	LB	LEFT BANK (DOWNSTREAM)	
	PROPOSED TB	RB	RIGHT BANK (DOWNSTREAM)	
	CLEARING LIMIT	ROW	RIGHT OF WAY	
	FENCE		TREE	
	WATER MAIN (EXISTING)		ARMOR	
	GAS MAIN (EXISTING)		PROPOSED RIP RAP	
	EASEMENT		FILTER STRIP	
	PIPE DROP SITE	LEVEL	COLOR	DESCRIPTION
	OUTLET	Level 1	3 Red	Edge of Pavement
	BREATHER	Level 2	0 White	Text
CMP	CORRUGATED METAL PIPE	Level 3	2 Bright Green	Fence
PVC	POLYVINYL CHLORIDE	Level 4	194 Green	TB
RCP	REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE	Level 5	1 Blue	FL
Clay Tile	CLAY	Level 6	182 Brown	TB1
PWP	POWER POLE	Level 7	38 Orange	Bridge
TP	TOP OF PIPE ELEVATION	Level 9	128 Gray	Scale
FL	FLOW LINE	Level 10	6 Orange	Woods
TB	TOP OF BANK ELEVATION	Level 11	159 AQUA	Land Owners
TS	TOE OF SLOPE	Level 12	0 White	Title Block
GS	GROUND SHOT	Level 13	68 Yellow & 13 Purple	Station Text
INV.	INVERT ELEVATION	Level 14	64 Gray	Profile
EXT.	EXISTING			
EP	EDGE OF PAVEMENT			
LJ	LOG JAM			
WO	WASHOUT			
	TREE DOWN			
FORD C.	FORD CROSSING			

SCALE  
UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED  
PROFILE VIEW  
HORIZONTAL SCALE 1" = 100'  
VERTICAL SCALE 1" = 5'

PLAN VIEW  
SCALE 1" = 100'  
CROSS - SECTIONS  
HORIZONTAL SCALE 1" = 10'  
VERTICAL SCALE 1" = 5'



HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA  
Hamilton County Surveyor's Office  
Hamilton County Government and  
Infrastructure Department  
One Hamilton County Square, Suite 188  
Hamilton, IN 46060  
(317) 776-8495  
surveyor@co.hamilton.in.us



Project No: 9  
Watershed No: 9  
Dgn Name: Blanton.dgn  
Surveyed By: JW,FM,&JP  
Drawn By: JPP,DMW  
Checked By:  
Date: 08-08-02

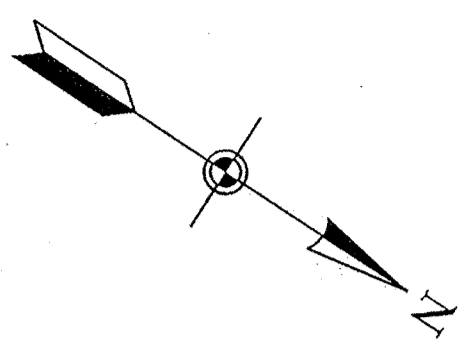
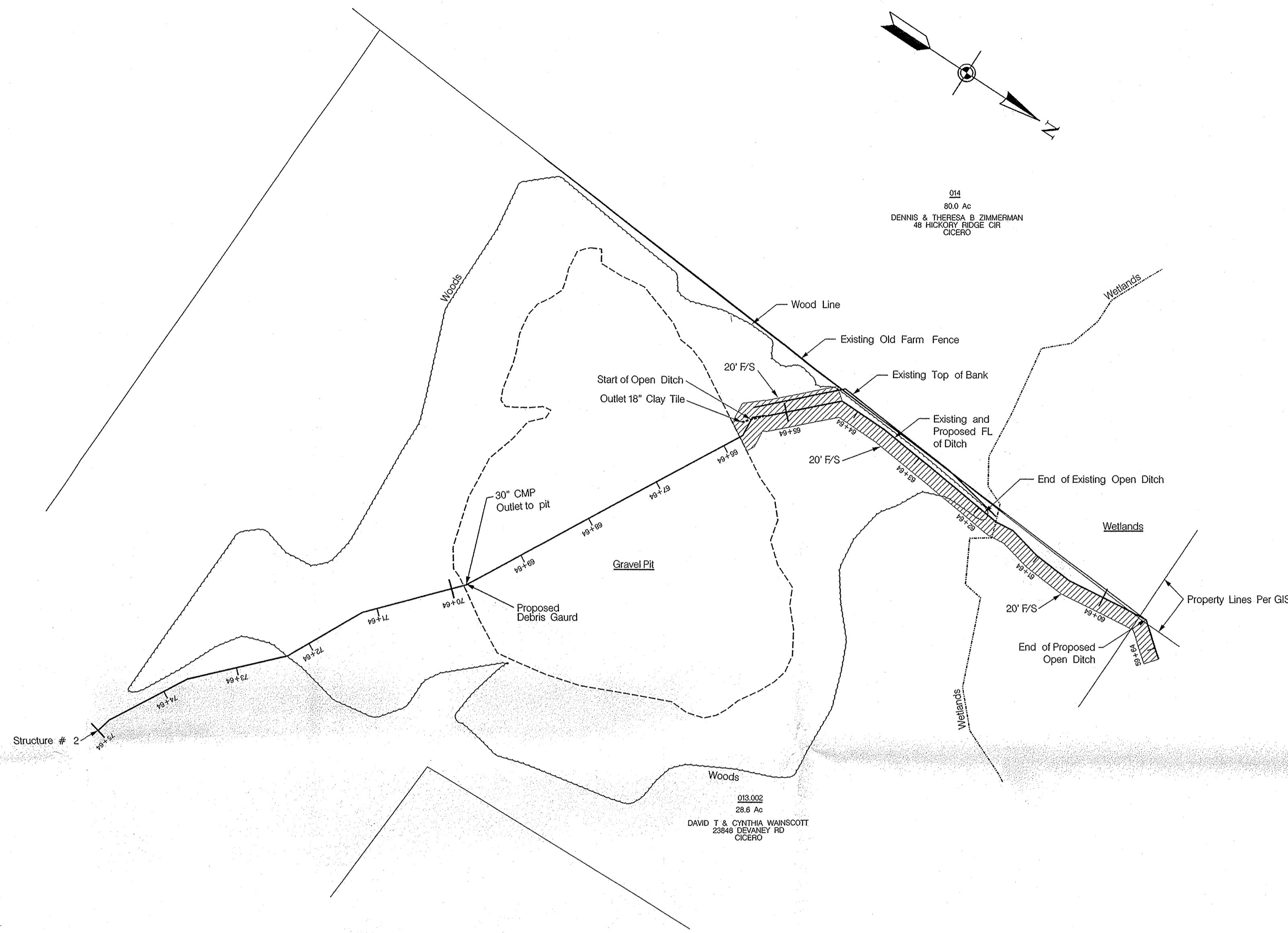
By:  
Date:

Revisions:  
DETAIL SHEET 01

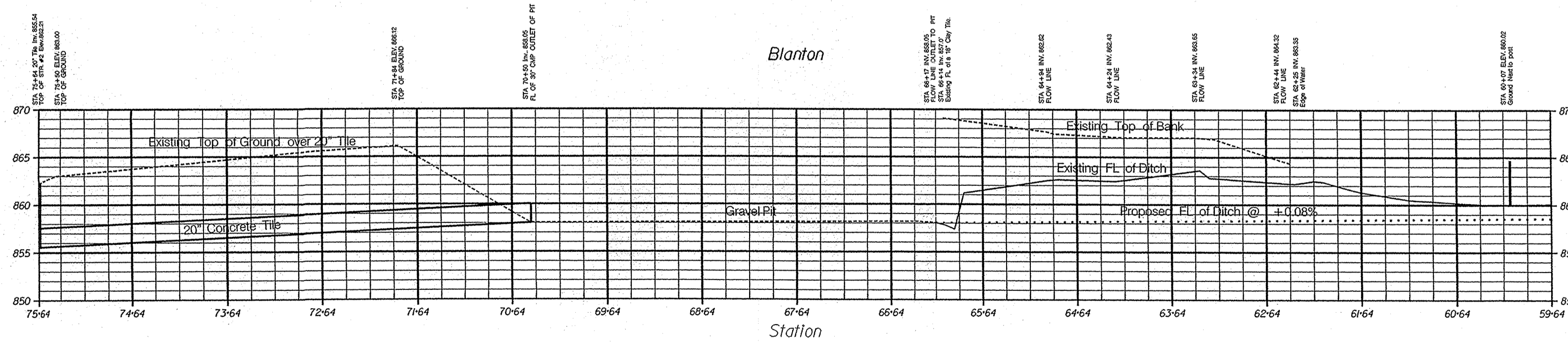
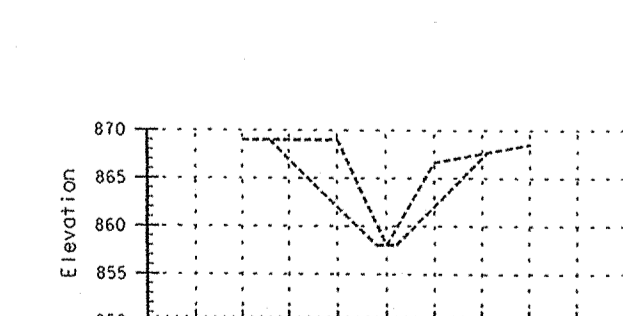
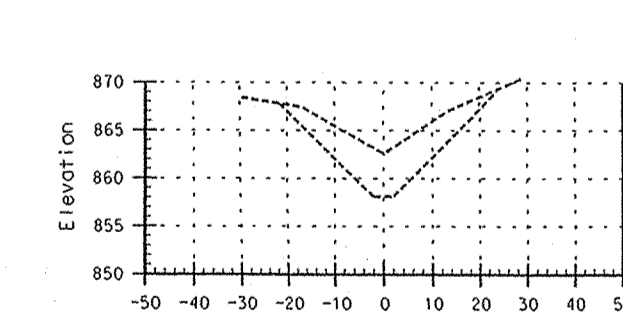
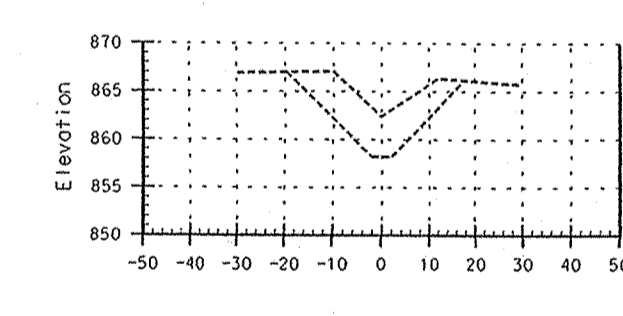
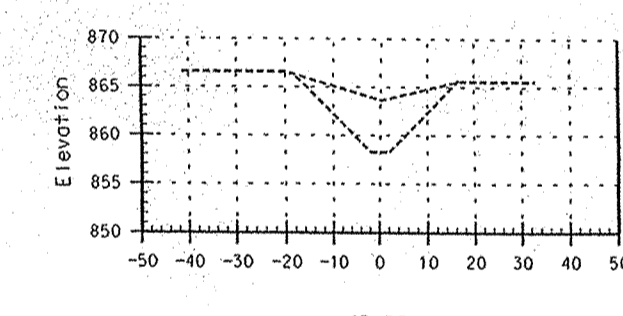
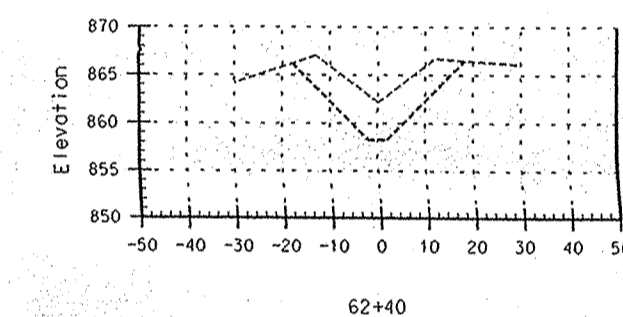
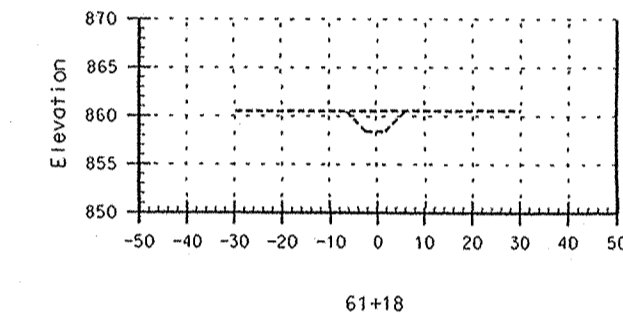
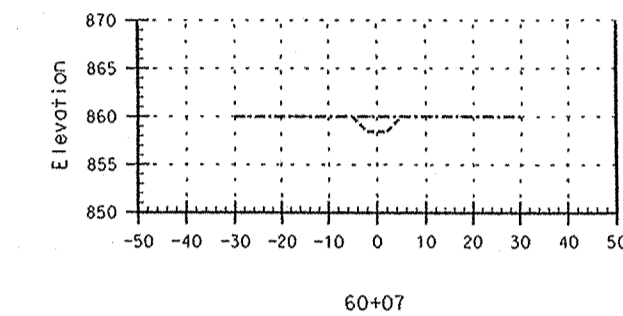
Certified By:

Project Name: MARION BLANTON  
Information / Detail Sheet  
PLOT DATE: 8/14/2002

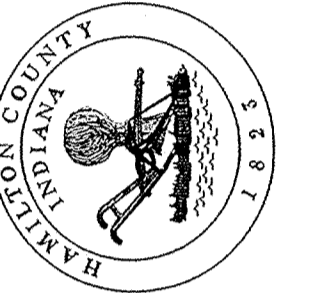
This copy printed from the Digital Archive of the Hamilton County Surveyor's Office, One Hamilton Co. Square, Ste. 188, Noblesville, IN 46060



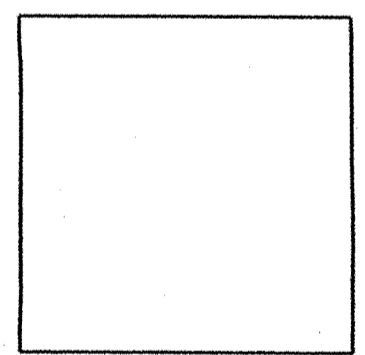
CROSS - SECTIONS  
 HORIZONTAL SCALE 1" = 10'  
 VERTICAL SCALE 1" = 5'



**HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA**  
 Hamilton County Surveyor's Office  
 Hamilton County Government and  
 Hamilton County Center  
 One Hamilton County Square, Suite 188  
 Noblesville, IN 48060  
 (O) 776-8495  
 (F) 776-9628  
 surveyor@co.hamilton.in.us



Project No:	Watershed No: 9
By:	Dgn Name: Blanton.dgn
Date:	Surveyed By: JW,FM,&JP
Revisions:	Drawn By: JPP /DMW
	Checked By:
	Date: 08-08-02

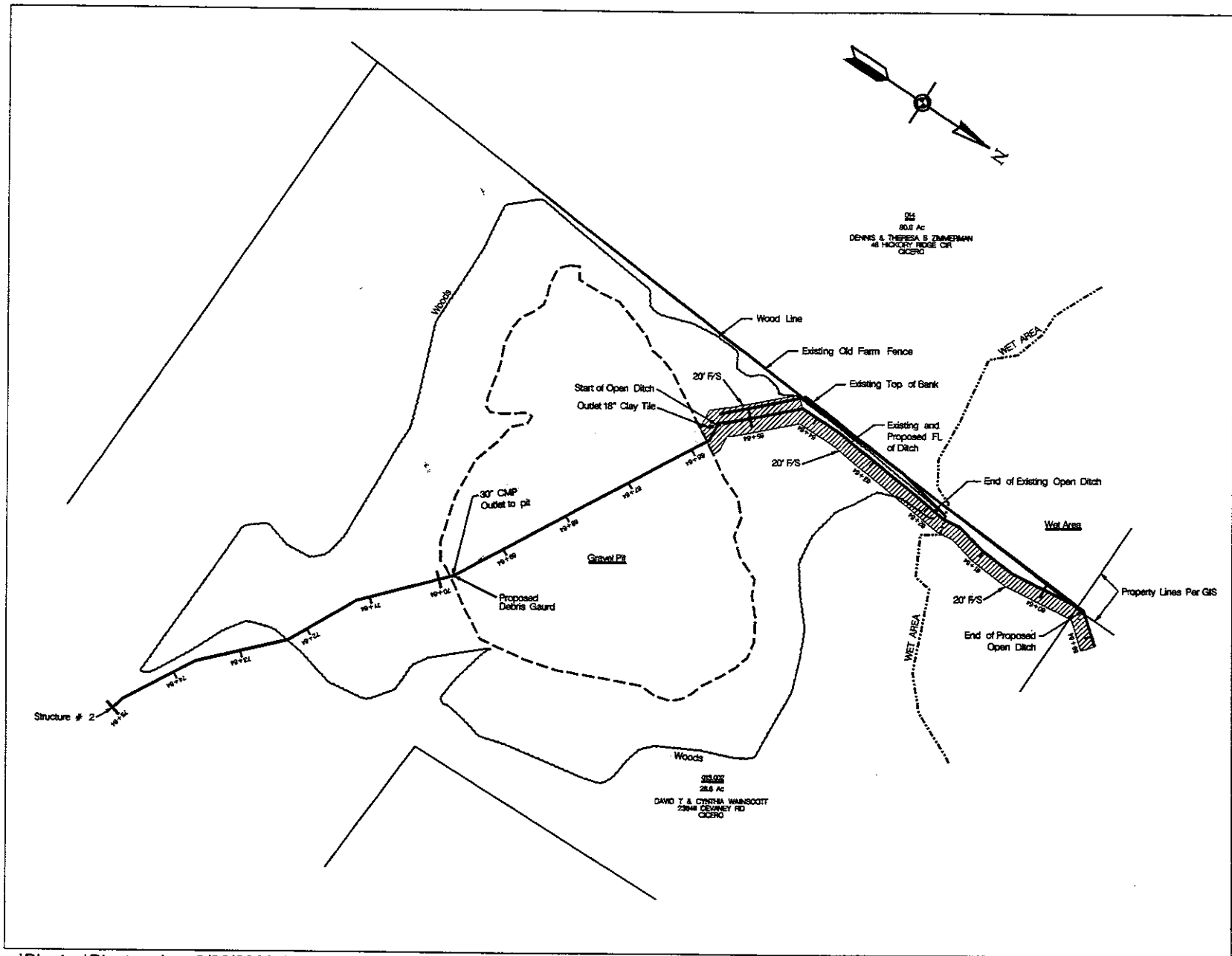


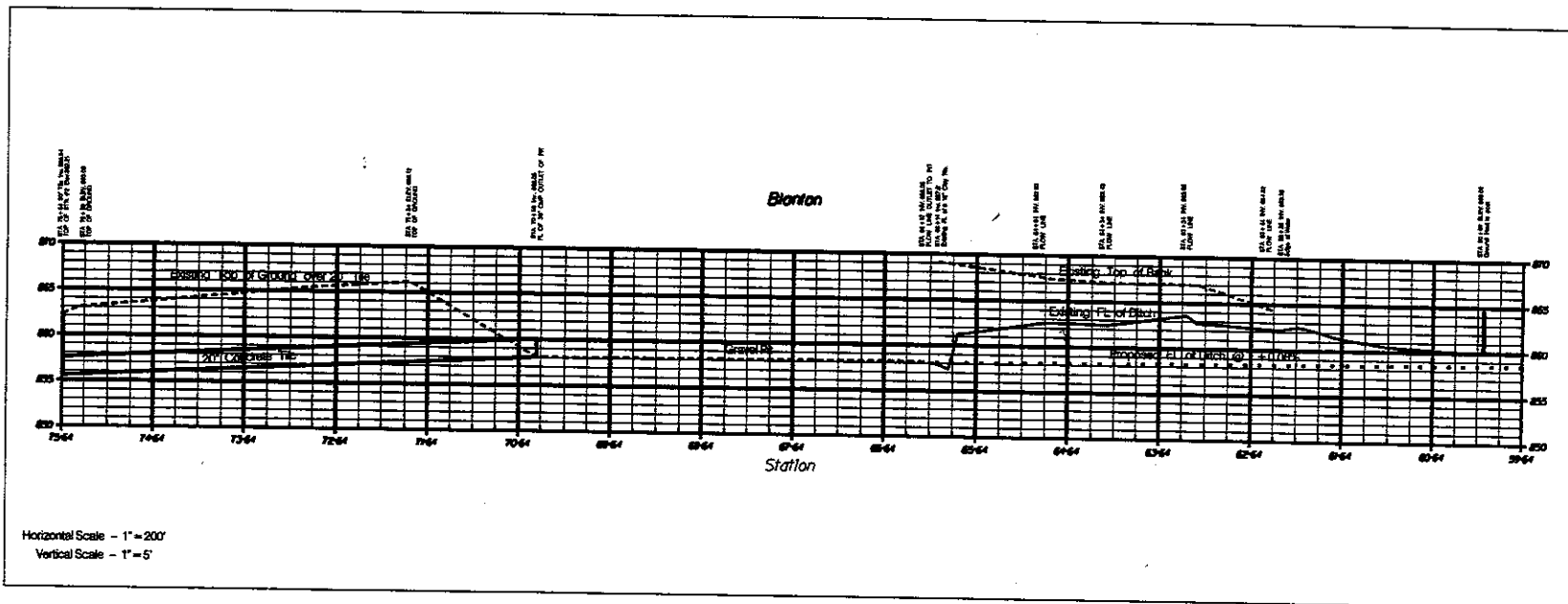
Certified By:

Project Name: **MARION BLANTON**  
 Profile Sheet

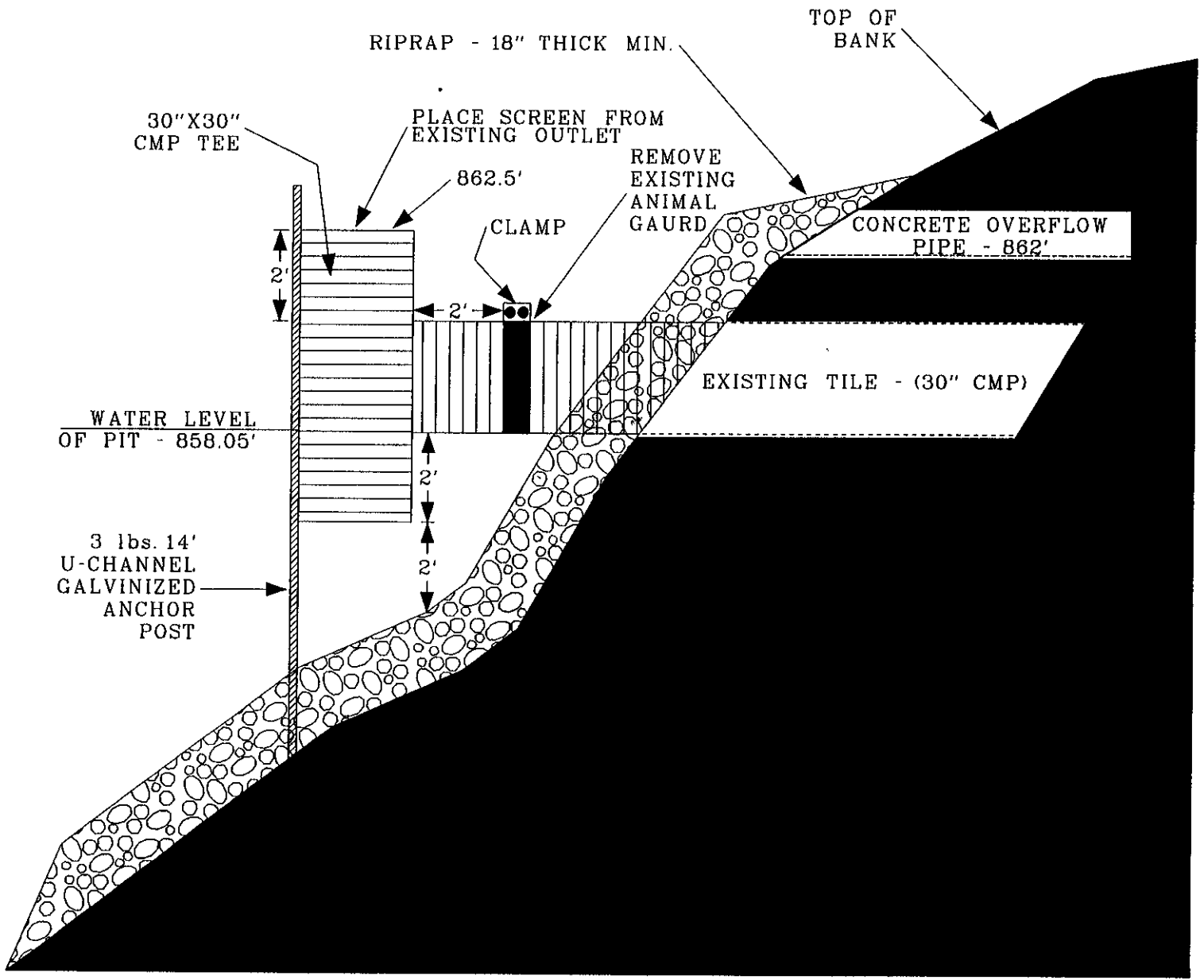
SHEET NO.  
**3 of 3**

PLOT DATE: 8/14/2002





OFFICE OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR



DETAIL SHEET 01 OF THE  
MARION BLANTON DRAIN

(DRAWING NOT TO SCALE)

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

CREATED: 25 JULY 2002

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

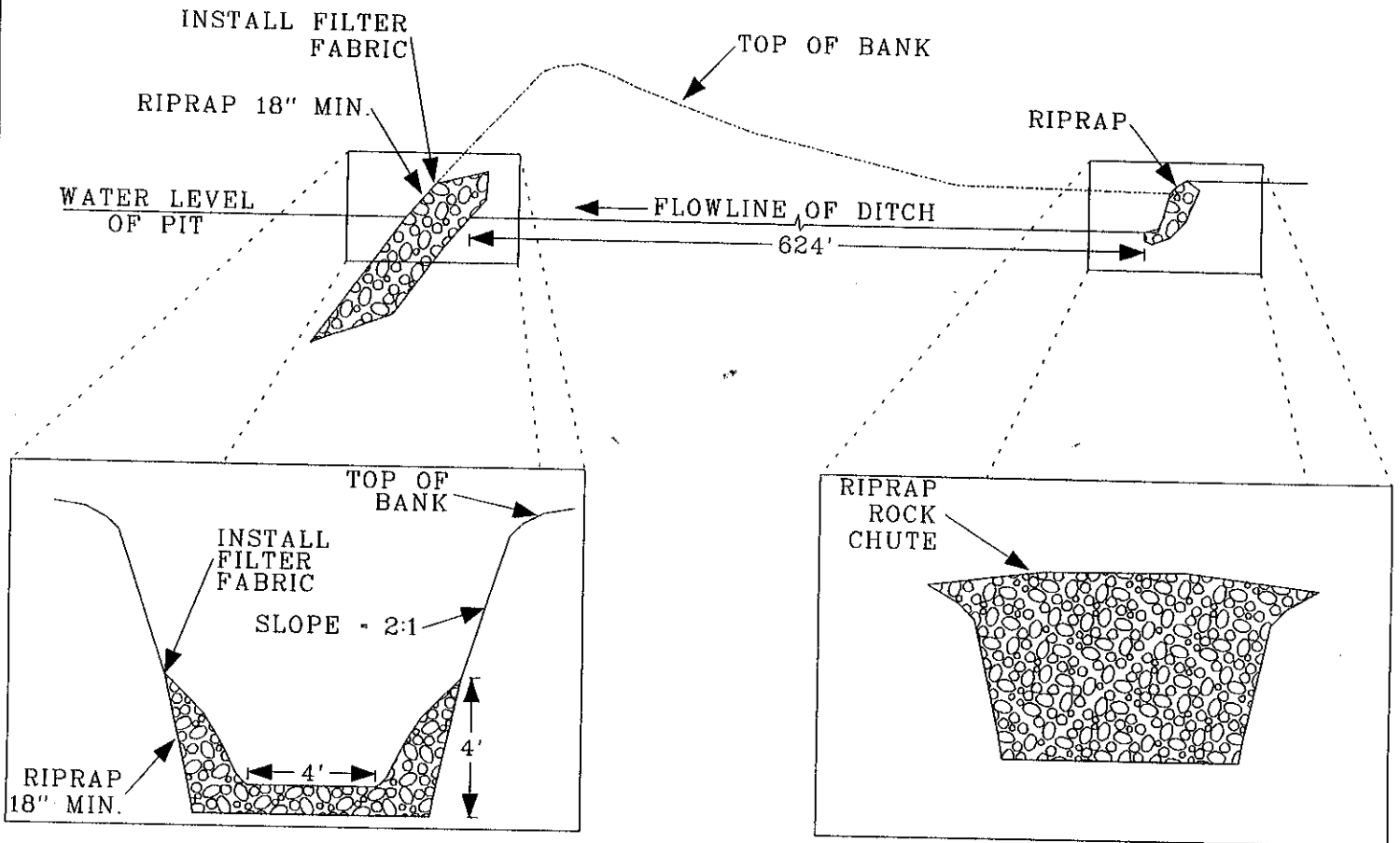
KENTON C. WARD, HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DETAIL SHEET

01

OFFICE OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR



DETAIL SHEET 02 OF THE  
MARION BLANTON DRAIN

(DRAWING NOT TO SCALE)

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

APPROVED:

*Kenton C. Ward*  
KENTON C. WARD, HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR

25JUL02  
DATE

CREATED: 25 JULY 2002

DETAIL SHEET  
02



03-02-28-00-00-010.000 Jackson  
0 246th St E Arcadia

LP [Thomas Family LP]  
2504 246th St E c/o Robert N Thomas Gm Cicero, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-006.000 Jackson  
4949 246th St E Arcadia

Cowan [J R & Nancy Cusick Cowan]  
4949 246th St E Arcadia, IN 46030 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-007.000 Jackson  
0 246th St E Arcadia

Waltz [Kelei D Waltz]  
2398 236th St E CICERO, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-009.000 Jackson  
0 246th Arcadia

Duxnorth Inc [Duxnorth Inc]  
7555 Central AVE Indianapolis, IN 46240 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-010.000 Jackson  
24252 Devaney Cicero

Gould [Richard Gould]  
24260 Devaney Rd Cicero, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-010.001 Jackson  
24202 Devaney Cicero

Hancock [Jon M & Pamela S Hancock]  
24495 Devaney Rd Cicero, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-010.002 Jackson  
23848 Devaney Cicero

Hartwick [George J & Sharon L Hartwick]  
24202 Devaney Rd Cicero, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-010.003 Jackson  
24270 Devaney Cicero

Moore [Kevin L & Jayne B Moore]  
24270 Devaney Rd Cicero, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-013.002 Jackson  
0 Nostreet Cicero

Wainscott [David T & Cynthia Wainscott]  
23848 Devaney RD Cicero, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

03-02-33-00-00-014.000 Jackson  
0 236th St E Cicero

Zimmerman [Dennis & Theresa B Zimmerman]  
48 Hickory Ridge CIR CICERO, IN 46034 (GNIDNR=)

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

MARION BLANTON RECONSTRUCTION

DATE: 2/6/03 TIME: 6:30 AM TEMPERATURE: 20°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: SNOW/light.

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

236<sup>th</sup> & DEVANNEY Rd (WAINSCOTT PROPERTY)

PURPOSE: CHECK ON VAN HORN'S PROGRESS.

FINDINGS: CLEARING STARTED & BEAVER DAM REMOVED  
Water flowing -

9:35 AM. REVISIT.

WATER @ TOP of CMP outlet & flowing  
Strong - VAN HORN starting to burn  
brush.

PERSONS PRESENT: S. REDMAN, DON VAN HORN & HELPER. MYSELF.

SUBMITTED BY: S. Baird DATE: 2-6-03

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Union Blanton Reconstruction

DATE: 2-6-03 TIME: 3:10 pm TEMPERATURE: 36°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Cold

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_\_ EAST

LOCATION:

N. of 236<sup>th</sup> on Westside of DeLong Rd.

PURPOSE: Mr. Waincott not happy - He thought the ditch would have 8:1 side slopes and filter strips along both sides.

FINDINGS: Showed Mr. Waincott the approved plans & Hrs from Army Corp of Eng. Mr. Waincott still not happy but agreed we should proceed. I will talk to the contractor about concerns.

PERSONS PRESENT:

Jerry Linton, Myself & Dave Waincott

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Duff

DATE:

2-6-03

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Blanton Reconstruction

DATE: 2-7-03 TIME: 8:30 am TEMPERATURE: 20°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Cold - light snow

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Mr. Waincott's Property @ pit.

PURPOSE:

Go over Mr Waincott's concerns with  
property owner.

FINDINGS:

Told Don to proceed as per plan.

PERSONS PRESENT:

Jeff Redman, Don Van Horn  
myself.

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baif

DATE: 2-7-03

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Mason Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

DATE: 2-10-05 TIME: 1:30 TEMPERATURE: 28°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Snow

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Whinscotts Property

PURPOSE:

Inspect progress

FINDINGS:

No Action - Burn pile has  
been buried

PERSONS PRESENT:

myself.

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baity

DATE: 2-10-05

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

DATE: 2-14-03 TIME: 2:00 pm TEMPERATURE: Cold - 20°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: windy - cold

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Whinscotts Pit Area

PURPOSE: Speak w/ Mr. Whinscott about project

FINDINGS: - Mr. Whinscott wants some kind of Stack piled near power poles - the best leveled between trees - movable!

PERSONS PRESENT: Dave Whinscott - myself.

SUBMITTED BY: S. Boitz DATE: 2-14-03

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Stanton - Phase II Recon.

DATE: 2/26/03 TIME: 1:30 pm TEMPERATURE: 20°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: cold - sunny

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Marion Stanton - Wincoth's Pit

PURPOSE:

check progress

FINDINGS: - Jeff of Van Horn was dredging old tile in flow line of new open ditch

PERSONS PRESENT:

Jeff - myself

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baird

DATE:

2-26-03

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Barton Phase IV

DATE: 2-27-03 TIME: 8:20 AM TEMPERATURE: 10°

11:00 pm

25°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_\_ EAST

LOCATION:

Barton @ Pit

PURPOSE:

check grade

FINDINGS:

@ or .1 to .2 blow grade

amount of dirt being excavated  
more than plans indicated.

PERSONS PRESENT:

(Am) Don, Scott, JEFF REDMAN, MYSELF.

(pm) Jeff Powell, Steve Leomin, myself

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baitz

DATE:

2-27-03



HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

DATE: 3-3-03 TIME: 2:00 pm TEMPERATURE: 37°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Cold

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Wainwright Property

PURPOSE:

Check progress

FINDINGS:

No Activity

PERSONS PRESENT:

Jeff Powell, S. Baiz

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baiz DATE: 3-3-03

RECORD OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION

Mr. Zimmerman  
Name

Marion Stanley RECOR.

Company or Agency

5/06/03  
Date

2:00 pm  
Time

Work

812-234-5437  
Phone Number

Re: \_\_\_\_\_

Message: Mr. Zimmerman OK with us taking a machine on him to pull slope of new open drain.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

They Will: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I Will: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

S. B.  
Initials

**CINDY ROWLAND**  
Customer Project  
Coordinator

Cinergy/PSI  
100 South Mill Creek Road  
Noblesville, IN 46060  
Tel 317.776.5341  
Fax 317.776.5330  
Pager 317.235.2310  
crowland@cinergy.com

**CINERGY.**  
PSI

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

DATE: 3-6-03 TIME: 9:00 AM TEMPERATURE: 28° Cold

WEATHER CONDITIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_\_ NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_\_ EAST

LOCATION:

When Cinergy power lines cross ditch  
on Wainsett Property.

PURPOSE:

FINDINGS:

Cinergy will bring a truck up  
to hold the pole, and then reset  
the anchor if needed.

They will call when truck is  
available.

PERSONS PRESENT:

Cindy Rowland, Don Van Horn  
Scott Van Horn, Myself.

SUBMITTED BY:

E. Burt DATE: 3-6-03

RECORD OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATION

David Waincott  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Company or Agency

3-13-03  
Date

9:45  
Time

984-2434  
Phone Number

Re: Marion Blanton Phase II Recon.

Message: Mr. Waincott wanted to know  
status of job. Informed we were  
on hold due to weather conditions.  
Cinergy to move guy wires  
Gave Mr. Waincott Cindy Rowlands  
# 776-5341.  
He will contact them.

They Will: \_\_\_\_\_

I Will: \_\_\_\_\_

S. Bait  
Initials

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Stanton Phase II Reconstruction

DATE: 3-17-08 TIME: 12:35 TEMPERATURE: 70°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: muddy

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Dave Wainwright's property

PURPOSE:

check condition of site

FINDINGS:

Cinergy reset guy wires. Placing large  
ruts in field.

water in pit over the TEE.

PERSONS PRESENT:

Myself

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baird

DATE: 3-17-08

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

DATE: 3-27-03 TIME: 7:45 am TEMPERATURE: 60°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: NICE

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

South of 246<sup>th</sup> & West of D'Arny Rd.

PURPOSE:

Investigate complaint of fish kill.  
By Max Turner & Linda

FINDINGS:

Some fish were dead lying around  
wet area. (SEE PHOTOS)  
No apparent SMELL.  
Water going down.  
Small beaver dam being built @ powerlines.

PERSONS PRESENT:

S. Baiz, Bob Thomas

SUBMITTED BY:

S. Baiz

DATE:

3-27-03

NOTE (Higher amount of dead fish @ MORSE  
LAKE NEAR BAIT SHOP) (SEE PHOTOS)

HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
FIELD REPORT

NAME OF DRAIN, DEVELOPMENT OR PROJECT:

Marion Blanton Phase II

DATE: 4-24-03 TIME: 2 to 5:30 TEMPERATURE: 65°

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Nice

SECTION \_\_\_\_, TOWNSHIP \_\_\_\_, NORTH, RANGE \_\_\_\_, EAST

LOCATION:

Wainscott Property

PURPOSE:

Inspect - talk to Van Horn.  
Dredge @ powerlines

FINDINGS:

Spoke with property owner about  
Project - Max & Janie.  
Told them to get together with other  
property owners and come up  
with a plan.

PERSONS PRESENT:

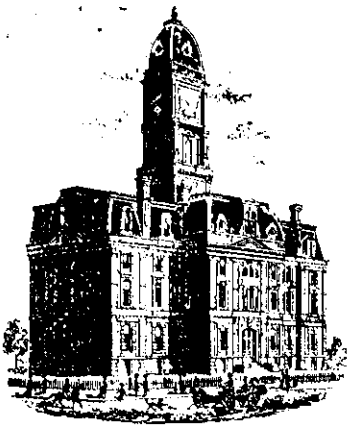
Scott VanHorn, Max, Janie, Myself

SUBMITTED BY:

S Britz

DATE: 4-24-03





SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

# Hamilton County

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*  
 Phone (317) 776-8495  
 Fax (317) 776-9628

Suite 188  
 One Hamilton County Square  
 Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230

October 20, 2003

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

RE: Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

ITEM: Pay Claim # 3

*APPROVED  
 Oct. 27, 2003*

Mr. Van Horn has submitted claims totaling **\$11,843.28**.

This claim covers the balance of the excavation & clearing, additional rip rap installation, extra excavation, and the placement of straw blankets as requested by the Surveyor. This also contains the claim for retainage withheld.

Change Order # 2 – Invoice # 3641	Straw blankets	<b>\$1,500.00</b>	Lump Sum
Change Order # 3 – Invoice # 3643	Extra Excavation/ Rip Rap	\$2,186.25	
15% withheld		- 327.94	
		<b>\$1,858.31</b>	
Claim#3 – Invoice # 3642	Contract bal., clearing/excavation/seed	\$5,890.00	
15% withheld		- 883.50	
		<b>\$5,006.50</b>	
Release of retainage withheld - Invoice # 3644		<b><u>\$3,478.47</u></b>	
<b>Pay Claim # 3 Total =</b>		<b>\$11,843.28</b>	

Approved Reconstruction Bid	\$20,090.00
Claim # 1	- 6,120.00
Contract Balance	\$13,970.00

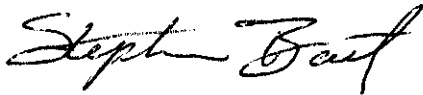
Balance brought forward.	\$13,970.00
Claim # 2	- 6,726.47
Contract Balance	\$ 7,243.53

Balance brought forward.	\$ 7,243.53
Claim# 3	- 11,843.28
Contract Balance	- \$4,599.75

Approved Reconstruction Estimate	\$25,395.00
Contract bid	<u>\$20,090.00</u>
	\$ 5,305.00
Difference	\$ 5,305.00
Change Orders	<u>-4,599.75</u>
Balance in fund at completion of reconstruction:	\$ 705.25

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office recommends approval of this claim and the placement of the reconstruction balance in the maintenance fund.

Sincerely,



Stephen Baitz

Remit To: PO. Box 2303, Dept. 122  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-2303

Phone (317) 326-3101  
Fax (317) 326-3105

# Aggregate Delivery Ticket

**imi**  
IRVING MATERIALS, INC.

Ticket Number	Truck	Plant		Time	Date	Customer No.
---------------	-------	-------	--	------	------	--------------

61080966	MR110	STONY CREEK STONE	Regula	13:55	10/13/03	18417
----------	-------	-------------------	--------	-------	----------	-------

Sold To	Driver	IMI Project No.
---------	--------	-----------------

VAN HORN EXCAVATING

Delivery Address	Weights	Purchase Order No.
------------------	---------	--------------------

DEVANEY RD. N. OF 236TH 37N TO 206TH ST. T/L TO SR19 T/R(N) TO LIGHT(236TH) T/L TO DEVANEY RD. T/R(N) 1/2 M TO HOUSE ON WEST SIDE(L) SOMEONE WILL MEET TRUCK	GROSS WGT 57140 lb TARE WGT 26240 lb NET WGT 30900 lb	
---	---	--

Job#: 8200  
Zone:

Load Quantity	Total	Product Description	Unit Price	Amount
---------------	-------	---------------------	------------	--------

15.45t	15.45	REVETMENT RIPRAP, LEDGES 7-14, 16-21		
--------	-------	--------------------------------------	--	--

### Aggregate:

ORDER #: 61124  
LOAD #: 1

Customer's Signature

X

Concrete-Sand-Gravel-Stone

**"We're Proud Of Our Work"**

Audit # A478975

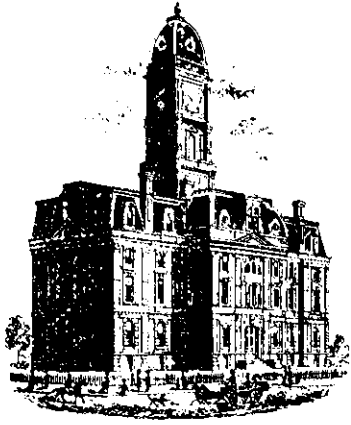
OFFICE COPY

Haul
Subtotal
Tax
Total

Reorder from WORBELL Corp. (317) 895-9708

57906

FM208 (S)



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

# Hamilton County

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

Phone (317) 776-8495

Fax (317) 776-9628

Suite 188

One Hamilton County Square

Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230

March 6, 2003

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

RE: Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

ITEM: Pay Claim # 2

*Approved  
3-10-2003*

Mr. Van Horn Has submitted a claim for \$7,000.00

This claim covers approximately 50% of the excavation, rip rap installation and the placement of the 30" Tee on pit outlet. The balance of the excavation costs will be submitted after the spoils have been leveled.

Claim#2 –Invoice # 4852	\$7,000.00
15% with held	<u>\$1,050.00</u>
Total paid on Claim #2	\$5,950.00
Approved Reconstruction Estimate	\$25,395.00
Approved Reconstruction Bid	\$20,090.00
Claim # 1	<u>\$ 6,120.00</u>
Balance	\$13,970.00
Balance	\$13,970.00
Claim # 2	<u>5,950.00</u>
Contract Balance	8,020.00

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office recommends approval of this Claim.

Sincerely,

*Stephen Baitz*  
Stephen Baitz

Remit To: P.O. Box 2303, Dept. 122  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-2303

Phone (317) 326-3101  
Fax (317) 326-3105

# Aggregate Delivery Ticket

**imi**  
IRVING MATERIALS INC.

Ticket Number	Truck	Plant	Time	Date	Customer No.
61050239	DC053	STONY CREEK STONE	Charge 09:54	02/13/03	18417

Sold To	Driver	IMI Project No.
VAN HORN EXCAVAT	Ronald Braen #53	

Delivery Address	Weights	Purchase Order No.
19N TO 236TH T/L T/R (N) 1/4 MILE	GROSS WGT 72480 lb TARE WGT 27020 lb NET WGT 45460 lb	

EVANEY RD  
HS ON LEF

RIP RAP LOADS

Job#: DEVANAY RD  
Zone: 410

Load Quantity	Total	Product Description	Unit Price	Amount
22.73	22.73	REVETMENT RIPRAP, LEDGES 7-14, 16-21		

Aggregate:

ORDER #: 61005  
LOAD #: 1

Customer's Signature  
*[Signature]*

**"We're Proud Of Our Work"**

Audit # A215590

CUSTOMER COPY

Haul
Subtotal
Tax
<b>Total</b>

Remit To: P.O. Box 2303, Dept. 122  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-2303

Phone (317) 326-3101  
Fax (317) 326-3105

# Aggregate Delivery Ticket



Ticket Number	Truck	Plant	Charge	Time	Date	Customer No.
61050245	DL056	STONY CREEK STONE		10:50	02/13/03	18417

Sold To	Driver	IMI Project No.
---------	--------	-----------------

VAN HORN EXCAVATING

Delivery Address	Weights	Purchase Order No.
------------------	---------	--------------------

19N TO 236TH T/L TO DEVANEY RD  
T/R (N) 1/4 MILE -- 2ND HS ON LEF

GROSS WGT 73200 lb  
TARE WGT 27560 lb  
NET WGT 45640 lb

RIP RAP LOADS

Job#: DEVANEY RD  
Zone: 410

Load Quantity	Total	Product Description	Unit Price	Amount
---------------	-------	---------------------	------------	--------

22.82t 45.55 REVETMENT RIPRAP, LEDGES 7-14, 16-21

**Aggregate:**

ORDER #: 61005  
LOAD #:

Customer's Signature

X

**Concrete-Sand-Gravel-Stone**

**"We're Proud Of Our Work"**

Audit # A215596

CUSTOMER COPY

Haul  
Subtotal  
Tax  
Total

Remit To: P.O. Box 2303, Dept. 122  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-2303

Phone (317) 326-3101  
Fax (317) 326-3105

# Aggregate Delivery Ticket

**imi**  
IRVING MATERIALS INC.

Ticket Number	Truck	Plant	Time	Date	Customer No.
61050246	DC053	STONY CREEK STONE	Charge 11:02	02/13/03	18417

Sold To VAN HORN EXCAVATING	Driver <i>Rosell Green #55</i>	IMI Project No.
--------------------------------	-----------------------------------	-----------------

Delivery Address 19N TO 236TH T/L TO DEVANEY RD T/R (N) 1/4 MILE --END HS ON LEF	Weights GROSS WGT 74180 lb TARE WGT 27020 lb NET WGT 47160 lb	Purchase Order No.
RIP RAP LOADS		Job#: DEVANEY RD Zone: 410

Load Quantity	Total	Product Description	Unit Price	Amount
23.58t	69.13	REVTMENT RIPRAP, LEDGES 7-14, 16-21		

**Aggregate:**

ORDER # 610205  
DATE # 13

Customer's Signature

X

**"We're Proud Of Our Work"**

**Concrete-Sand-Gravel-Stone**

Audit # **A215597**

CUSTOMER COPY

Haul  
Subtotal  
Tax  
Total

Remit To: P.O. Box 2303, Dept. 122  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-2303

Phone (317) 326-3101  
Fax (317) 326-3105

# Aggregate Delivery Ticket



Ticket Number	Truck	Plant	Charge	Time	Date	Customer No.
61050255	DC056	STONY CREEK STONE		12:18	02/13/03	18417

Sold To	Driver	IMI Project No.
---------	--------	-----------------

VAN HORN EXCAVATING

Delivery Address	Weights	Purchase Order No.
------------------	---------	--------------------

19N TO 236TH T/L TO DEVANEY RD GROSS WGT 74860 lb  
T/R (N) 1/4 MILE --2ND HS ON LEF TARE WGT 27560 lb  
NET WGT 47300 lb

RIP RAP LOADS

Job#: DEVANEY RD  
Zone: 410

Load Quantity	Total	Product Description	Unit Price	Amount
---------------	-------	---------------------	------------	--------

23.65t 92.78 REVETMENT RIPRAP, LEDGES 7-14, 16-21

Aggregate:

ORDER #: 61005  
LOAD #: 4

Customer's Signature

X

"We're Proud Of Our Work"

Concrete-Sand-Gravel-Stone

Audit # A215605

CUSTOMER COPY

Haul  
Subtotal  
Tax  
Total



Remit To: P.O. Box 2303, Dept. 122  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-2303

Phone (317) 326-3101  
Fax (317) 326-3105

# Aggregate Delivery Ticket

**imi**  
IRVING MATERIALS INC.

Ticket Number	Truck	Plant	Time	Date	Customer No.
61050256	DL053	STONY CREEK STONE	Charge	12:20	02/13/03 18417

Sold To	Driver	IMI Project No.
---------	--------	-----------------

VAN HORN EXCAVATING

*Roaded Iron #53*

Delivery Address	Weights	Purchase Order No.
------------------	---------	--------------------

19N TO 236TH T/L TO DEVANEY RD  
T/R (N) 1/4 MILE --2ND HS ON LEF

GROSS WGT 74540 1b  
TARE WGT 27020 1b  
NET WGT 47520 1b

RIP RAP LOADS

Job#: DEVANEY RD  
Zone: 410

Load Quantity	Total	Product Description	Unit Price	Amount
---------------	-------	---------------------	------------	--------

23.76t      116.54      REVETMENT RIPRAP, LEDGES 7-14, 16-21

**Aggregate:**

ORDER #: 61005  
LOAD #10

Customer's Signature

X

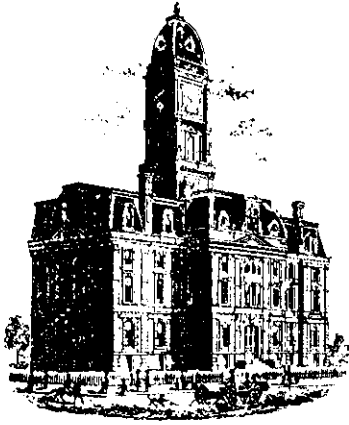
**"We're Proud Of Our Work"**

**Concrete-Sand-Gravel-Stone**

Audit # A215606

CUSTOMER COPY

Haul  
Subtotal  
Tax  
**Total**



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

# Hamilton County

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

Phone (317) 776-8495

Fax (317) 776-9628

Suite 188

One Hamilton County Square

Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

March 6, 2003

RE: Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

*APPROVED  
3-10-03*

Item: Change Order # 1

- The placement of additional Rip Rap to the regulated drain for stabilization.

During the excavation process additional Rip Rap was needed to stabilize the off bank toe of slope. The additional amount was 36.54 tons. Mr. Van Horns bid price was \$25.00 per ton installed.

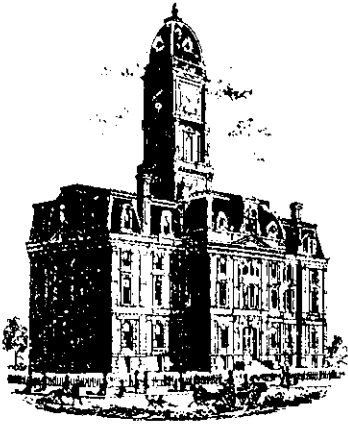
Mr. Van Horn has submitted a cost for this work to be \$913.50

Approved Reconstruction Estimate	\$ 25,395.00
Approved Reconstruction Bid	- \$ 20,090.00
Difference	\$ 5,305.00
Change Order #1 – Cost	\$ 913.50
15% with held	- \$ 137.00
Amount paid this claim	\$ 766.50
	\$ 5,305.00
Amount paid this claim	- \$ 766.50
	\$ 4,538.50

Approved Estimated Reconstruction Costs	\$ 25,395.00
Total Estimated Reconstruction Costs to date	- \$ 21,003.50
Balance in Reconstruction fund	\$ 4,391.50

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office recommends approval of this Change Order.

Submitted by: Stephen Baitz



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE

# Hamilton County

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

Phone (317) 776-8495

Fax (317) 776-9628

Suite 188

One Hamilton County Square  
Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230

February 7, 2003

TO: Hamilton County Drainage Board

RE: Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction

ITEM: Pay Claim # 1

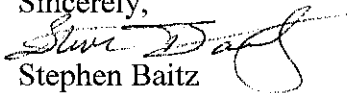
Mr. Van Horn Has submitted a claim for \$7,200.00

This claim covers 80% of the clearing. The trees and brush have been cut and burned. The 20% balance will be submitted after the debris from clearing is collected and buried.

Claim#1 –Invoice # 4668	\$7,200.00
15% with held	<u>\$1,080.00</u>
Total paid on Claim #1	\$6,120.00
 Approved Reconstruction Estimate	 \$25,395.00
 Approved Reconstruction Bid	 \$20,090.00
Claim # 1	<u>\$ 6,120.00</u>
Contract Balance	\$13,970.00

The Hamilton County Surveyor's Office recommends approval of this Claim.

Sincerely,

  
Stephen Baitz

*Approved  
2-10-03*

## DRAIN RECONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT by and between the HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD, hereinafter referred to as "BOARD" and Van Horn Excavating, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR".

WITNESSETH:

THAT WHEREAS, Contractor is the successful bidder for the reconstruction of the Marion Blanton Drain, Phase II as ordered by the Board, it is now agreed by and between the Parties as follows:

1. The Contractor agrees to perform the work under the supervision of the Surveyor or his representative, in accordance with the plans, Instructions to Bidder, General Provisions, Special Instructions, profile and cross sections made by the Board, which are incorporated herein by reference as fully as if the same were set out.

2. The Board agrees to pay Contractor the agreed sum of \$20,090.00 payment to be made according to law.

3. The Contractor agrees that all work under this contract shall be completed on or before the completion date set out in the General Provisions.

4. It is understood and agreed that fifteen Percent (15%) of the contract price herein shall be withheld by the Board for a period of sixty (60) days after the completion of the work for the purpose of securing payment of material men, laborers and sub-contractors.

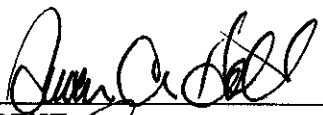
5. The Contractor agrees and binds itself to pay all bill for labor, materials and all services whatsoever that shall be used in this reconstruction or otherwise incorporated in this work and to save the Board and the landowners affected harmless from all such bills.


6. This contract also incorporates by reference a certain contractor's bid dated September 30, 2002 as fully as if the same were set out completely herein.

7. It is understood that the Board contracts in its official capacity and that the members thereof shall not in any event be personally liable under this agreement.

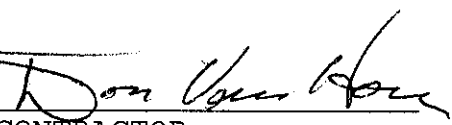
IN WITNESS WHEREOF THE PARTIES HAVE SET THEIR HANDS THIS  
9<sup>th</sup> DAY OF December 2002.

HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
PRESIDENT

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
MEMBER

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
MEMBER

BY   
\_\_\_\_\_  
CONTRACTOR

TO: HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

The following is for the Reconstruction of the Marion Blanton Phase II Drain:

Item Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Cost	Total Cost
Clearing	1.5	Acre	<del>6,000.00</del>	<del>9,000.00</del>
Excavation	624	Ft	10.00	6,240.00
Seeding	1	Acre	850.00	850.00
Rip Rap	80	Ton	25.00	2,000.00
30" x 30" CMP Tee Debris Guard	1	Lump Sum		2,000.00
			TOTAL	<del>22,090.00</del>

CONCRETE OR CLAY TILE PER LINEAL FOOT INSTALLED

4 inch	<u>3.80</u>	18 inch	<u>16.70</u>
5 inch	<u>4.00</u>	22 inch	<u>19.75</u>
6 inch	<u>4.10</u>	24 inch	<u>21.00</u>
8 inch	<u>5.85</u>	27 inch	<u>28.75</u>
10 inch	<u>10.80</u>	30 inch	<u>40.00</u>
12 inch	<u>13.80</u>	36 inch	<u>43.00</u>
14 inch	<u>14.30</u>		
16 inch	<u>15.40</u>		

CORRUGATED METAL PIPE PER LINEAL FOOT INSTALLED

		BAND/CONN.	Animal Guard	
6 INCH	<u>9.80</u>	<u>12.00</u>	<u>8.90</u>	
8 INCH	<u>10.50</u>	<u>14.00</u>	<u>10.75</u>	
10 INCH	<u>12.50</u>	<u>15.00</u>	<u>15.75</u>	
12 INCH	<u>12.90</u>	<u>19.00</u>	<u>18.00</u>	
18 INCH	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	
21 INCH	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	
24 INCH	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	
30 INCH	<u>22.00</u>	<u>35.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	
36 INCH	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	

PLASTIC PIPE PER LINEAL FOOT INSTALLED

4 INCH	<u>2.35</u>	8 INCH	<u>7.50</u>
5 INCH	<u>2.60</u>	10 INCH	<u>4.60</u>
6 INCH	<u>2.75</u>	12 INCH	<u>6.40</u>

CONCRETE PER CUBIC YARD DELIVERED N/A

7" OR 9" GRADED RIP RAP PER TON INSTALLED 25.00

DIRT FILL PER CUBIC YARD DELIVERED N/A

GRAVEL FILL PER TON DELIVERED N/A

MACHINE PRICE-PER HOUR WITH OPERATOR \$

HYDRAULIC EXCAVATOR 140.00

BULLDOZER 80.00

BACKHOE WITH  
LOADER 75.00

TRUCK 1/2 TON 35.00

3/4 TON 35.00

1 TON 50.00

2 TON 55.00

OVER 2 Ton 70.00

LABOR PER HOUR \$

SUPERVISORS 30.00

GENERAL 27.00

THE ABOVE BID HAS BEEN SUBMITTED THIS 30th DAY  
OF Sept 2002

BY: Van Horn Co., Inc.  
NAME OF BIDDER

BY: Don Van Horn  
SIGNED BY BIDDER



PARTIAL PAY REQUEST

Contractor: DAN HORN

Date of Estimate: 2-7-03

Pay Request Number: 1

Is this the Final Pay Request? NO

PROJECT: MARION BLANTON PHASE II

Item No.	Description	CHANGE ORDERS		COMPLETED THIS ESTIMATE		COMPLETED TO DATE	
		Amount/Unit	Unit Price	Amount	Total \$	Amount	Total \$
	<u>CLEARING</u>			<u>1.2 Ac</u>	<u>\$7200.<sup>00</sup></u>		
				Total	<u>\$7200.<sup>00</sup></u>	Total	
				Minus 15% Withheld	<u>\$1080.<sup>00</sup></u>		
				Amount Paid	<u>\$6120.<sup>00</sup></u>		

This estimate was reviewed by: S. Baetz, of the County Surveyors Office.

# Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

**JOB INVOICE**

4668

Tax ID #35-1957569  
 8641 W - 400 N  
 Rochester, Indiana 46975  
 (219) 542-4462  
 Fax (219) 542-4421

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 2-7-09
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

BILL TO <i>HAMILTON CO. DR BOARD</i>	PHONE
ADDRESS <i>COURTHOUSE</i>	MECHANIC
CITY <i>Noblesville, IN</i>	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION <i>MARION BLANTON DR. #236109 DEWANEY RD</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> DAYWORK <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA
DESCRIPTION OF WORK <i>CLEARING</i>	

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT
<i>30%</i>	<i>Done</i>	<i>7200</i>	<i>2160</i>

HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS
	MECHANICS @		
	HELPERS @		TOTAL LABOR
I hereby acknowledge the satisfactory completion of the above described work.		TOTAL LABOR	TAX
SIGNATURE		DATE COMPLETED	TOTAL

Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

Tax ID #35-1957569  
8641 W - 400 N  
Rochester, Indiana 46975  
(219) 542-4462  
Fax (219) 542-4421

4853

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 2-6-03
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

TO Hamilton Co. Dr. Board	PHONE
ADDRESS	MECHANIC
CITY Noblesville, IN	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION MARION BLANTON DRAIN	<input type="checkbox"/> DAY WORK <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA
DESCRIPTION OF WORK EXTRA Riprap & Installation	

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT
2.54 tons		25.00	913 50
	LESS 15%		137 00
			<u>\$ 766 50</u>

HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS
	MECHANICS @		
	HELPERS @		TOTAL LABOR
I hereby acknowledge the satisfactory completion of the above described work.		TOTAL LABOR	TAX
SIGNATURE	DATE COMPLETED	TOTAL	

Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

Tax ID #35-1957569  
8641 W - 400 N  
Rochester, Indiana 46975  
(219) 542-4462  
Fax (219) 542-4421

4852

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 2-6-03
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

BILL TO Hamilton Co. Dr. Board	PHONE
ADDRESS	MECHANIC
CITY Noblesville, IN	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION MARION BLANTON DRAIN	<input type="checkbox"/> DAY WORK <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA
DESCRIPTION OF WORK EXCAVATION - Riprap Installation 30" Tee & Band	

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT
1	30" CMP TEE & BAND	2000.00	2000 00
1.5	EXCAVATION	6240	3000 00
80 tons	Riprap	25.00	2,000 00
			<del>7000 00</del>
	LESS 15%		1050 00
			<u>\$ 5950 00</u>

HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS
	MECHANICS @		
	HELPERS @		TOTAL LABOR
I hereby acknowledge the satisfactory completion of the above described work.		TOTAL LABOR	TAX
SIGNATURE	DATE COMPLETED	TOTAL	

Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

Tax ID #35-1957569

8641 W - 400 N

Rochester, Indiana 46975

(219) 542-4462

JOB INVOICE

3644

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 10-14-03
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

BILL TO Hamilton Co. Dr. Board	PHONE
ADDRESS COURT HOUSE	MECHANIC
CITY Noblesville, IN	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION CLEARING & EXCAVATION ETC	<input type="checkbox"/> DAY WORK <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA
DESCRIPTION OF WORK MARION-BLANTON DRAIN RETAINAGE	

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT
	TOTAL		\$3,478.44

HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS
	MECHANICS @		TOTAL LABOR
	HELPERS @		
I hereby acknowledge the satisfactory completion of the above described work.		TOTAL LABOR	TAX
SIGNATURE	DATE COMPLETED	TOTAL	

JOB INVOICE

3643

Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

Tax ID #35-1957569

8641 W - 400 N

Rochester, Indiana 46975

(219) 542-4462

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 10-14-03
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

BILL TO Hamilton Dr. Bld.	PHONE
ADDRESS COURT HOUSE	MECHANIC
CITY Noblesville, IN	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION MARION-BLANTON DRAIN	<input type="checkbox"/> DAY WORK <input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA
DESCRIPTION OF WORK EXTRA WORK + STONE	

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT
15.45 tons	Rip RAP	\$25.03	386.25
	EXTRA SEEDING		300.00
	EXTRA EXCAVATING		1500.00
			\$2,186.25
	RETAINAGE 15%		327.94
			\$1,858.31

HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS
	MECHANICS @		TOTAL LABOR
	HELPERS @		
I hereby acknowledge the satisfactory completion of the above described work.		TOTAL LABOR	TAX
SIGNATURE	DATE COMPLETED	TOTAL	

Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

JOB INVOICE

Tax ID #35-1957569

3641

8641 W - 400 N  
Rochester, Indiana 46975  
(219) 542-4462

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 9-20-03
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

Van Horn Excavating, Inc.

JOB INVOICE

Tax ID #35-1957569

3642

8641 W - 400 N  
Rochester, Indiana 46975  
(219) 542-4462

CUSTOMERS ORDER NO.	DATE ORDERED 10-14-03
ORDER TAKEN BY	DATE PROMISED <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.

BILL TO Hamilton Co. Dr. Board	PHONE
ADDRESS	MECHANIC
CITY Noblesville, IN	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION MARION-BLANTON DRAIN	<input type="checkbox"/> DAY WORK
DESCRIPTION OF WORK FURNISH & INSTALL STRAW BLANKETS AS PER SURVEYOR	<input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA

BILL TO Hamilton Co. Dr. Board	PHONE
ADDRESS Court House	MECHANIC
CITY Noblesville, IN	HELPER
JOB NAME AND LOCATION MARION-BLANTON DRAIN	<input type="checkbox"/> DAY WORK
DESCRIPTION OF WORK CLEARING - EXCAVATION - LEVELING & SEEDING	<input type="checkbox"/> CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> EXTRA

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT																								
	Sum Job	\$	1500.00																								
<table border="1"> <tr> <th>HOURS</th> <th>LABOR</th> <th>AMOUNT</th> <th>TOTAL MATERIALS</th> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>MECHANICS @</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>HELPERS @</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TOTAL LABOR</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TAX</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TOTAL</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>				HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS		MECHANICS @				HELPERS @			TOTAL LABOR				TAX				TOTAL			
HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS																								
	MECHANICS @																										
	HELPERS @																										
TOTAL LABOR																											
TAX																											
TOTAL																											

QUANT.	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL USED	PRICE	AMOUNT																								
	Finish 20% Clearing	\$	1800.00																								
	" EXCAVATION		3240.00																								
	1 AC. SEEDING		850.00																								
			5890.00																								
	Less 15%		883.50																								
		\$	5006.50																								
<table border="1"> <tr> <th>HOURS</th> <th>LABOR</th> <th>AMOUNT</th> <th>TOTAL MATERIALS</th> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>MECHANICS @</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>HELPERS @</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TOTAL LABOR</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TAX</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">TOTAL</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>				HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS		MECHANICS @				HELPERS @			TOTAL LABOR				TAX				TOTAL			
HOURS	LABOR	AMOUNT	TOTAL MATERIALS																								
	MECHANICS @																										
	HELPERS @																										
TOTAL LABOR																											
TAX																											
TOTAL																											

TO: HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

RE: Marion Blanton Phase II

As Contractor on the contract awarded on 2002  
for the MARION-BLANTON Drain, I hereby notify  
the Hamilton County Drainage Board that all expenses incurred  
for labor and materials have been paid in full.

The foregoing is true under the penalties of perjury.

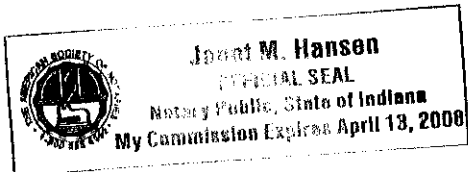
BY: VAN HORN Exc., INC.  
Contractor-Print  
Don Van Horn  
Contractor-Signature

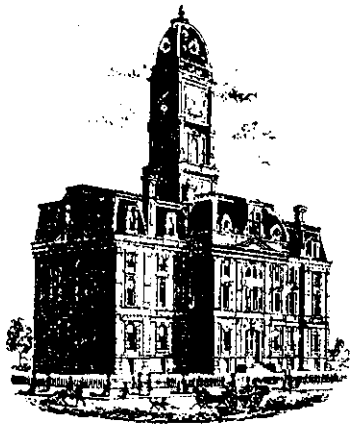
STATE OF INDIANA, HAMILTON COUNTY, ss:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the undersigned, a Notary  
Public in and for said County this 15th day  
of October 2003.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My Commission expires 4/13/08  
Joan M. Hansen, Notary Public  
Hamilton County of Residence





SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
**Hamilton County**

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

*Phone (317) 776-8495*

*Fax (317) 776-9628*

*Suite 188*

*One Hamilton County Square  
Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230*

October 13, 2003

To: David Wainscott

Re: Marion Blanton Drain,  
Phase II Reconstruction

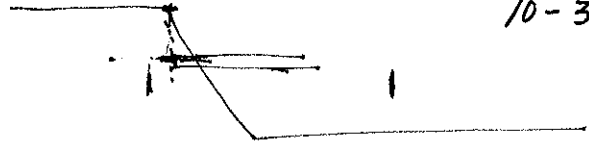
This is a synopsis of the meeting we had on October 3<sup>rd</sup> in my office.

1. Dirt pile north of pit on east side of open ditch to remain.
2. Contractor to run rock rake to pick up more rocks, tile & roots.
3. Contractor to add riprap at end of open ditch to protect head post.
4. Will add protection to banks to help seed germinate.
5. Contractor to move dirt at north end to upper area above original water line. Spread soil so as not to hold water.
6. Remove PSI anchor in scope.

Kenton C. Ward,  
Hamilton County Surveyor

KCW/jh

10-3-2003



- 1. Dirt Pile → LEAVE IT
  - A. Trees in pile?

2. Dirt in field?

- A. Ridge at waterway that traps water - @ END OF WATER LINE TO HEAD POST
- B. What a mess - rocks, tile, roots EAST SIDE OF OPEN DITCH

3. Open ditch

- A. Rip-rap already sliding down slope - ✓
- B. Trees on slope -
- C. Old light poles in slope - CINERGY - WAS GOING TO MAKE A MESS TAKING OUT
- D. Old anchor in slope - CALL CINERGY TO HAVE IT REMOVED
- E. Hump in open channel - TILE DROPPED 18" IN LAST 50 FT
- F. Stop before head post? - ADD RR TO PROTECT POST
  - 1. 10 ft. to 12 ft. not only did you go past post but you dug it -

open

- G. Tiles were to be extended to center of channel - OK

culvert - TO LOOK FOR ~~AND~~ TILE

- I. No grass or netting or sod or anything on slopes. They are already washing - ✓

- J. Not to go west of fence line - ✓

- K. Bowl at end of channel to be rip-rap - ✓

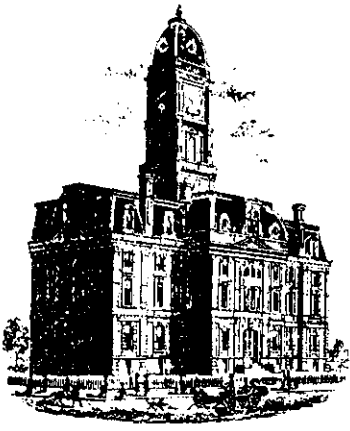
4. You called Cinergy and look what they did to the crops and ground (12 inches deep)

MOVE DIRT @ NORTH END

5. Phase 3

- A. Where is it? -
- B. When?
- C. Outline plan?





SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
**Hamilton County**

Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor  
Phone (317) 776-8495  
Fax (317) 776-9628

Suite 188  
One Hamilton County Square  
Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230

September 18, 2002

Moon Excavating, LLC  
Martin Moon  
P O Box 411  
Westfield, IN 46074

RE: Marion Blanton Drain-Phase II- Proposed Reconstruction

Enclosed is a copy of the proposed Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction Plan along with Materials and Quantity List and bid forms BF-1, BF- 2, and BF- 3.

The Hamilton County Drainage Board would like for your company to review and submit a cost estimate to complete the project per the enclosed plan.

The estimate/ quote needs to be submitted to the Hamilton County Surveyor's Office by Friday, October 4, 2002

An onsite meeting to discuss this project would be advised. Please call prior to going to the site so I can make arrangements with the property owner and be available to answer questions.

I can be reached at 317-776-8495 between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:30 pm – Monday thru Friday.

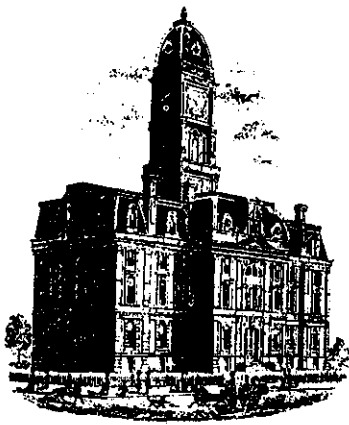
Sincerely,

Stephen Baitz

Hamilton County Surveyor's Office

\* Sent to - John Ward, Sweeney Constr. ; 2-in construction as well.  
Moon & Van Horn were two respondents.

12/9/03 slm



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
**Hamilton County**

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

*Suite 146*

*776-8495*

*One Hamilton County Square*

*Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230*

---

September 18, 2002

Van Horn Excavating Inc.  
Don Van Horn  
8641 W - 400 N  
Rochester, IN 46975

RE: Marion Blanton Drain-Phase II- Proposed Reconstruction

Enclosed is a copy of the proposed Marion Blanton Phase II Reconstruction Plan along with Materials and Quantity List and bid forms BF-1, BF- 2, and BF- 3.

The Hamilton County Drainage Board would like for your company to review and submit a cost estimate to complete the project per the enclosed plan.

The estimate/ quote needs to be submitted to the Hamilton County Surveyor's Office by Friday, October 4, 2002

An onsite meeting to discuss this project would be advised. Please call prior to going to the site so I can make arrangements with the property owner and be available to answer questions.

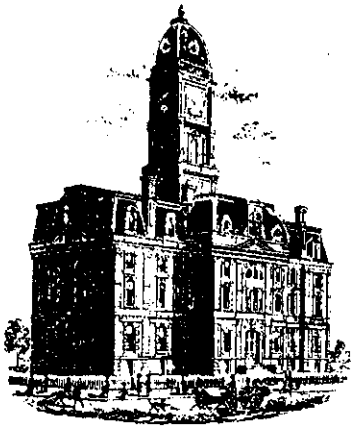
I can be reached at 317-776-8495 between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:30 pm - Monday thru Friday.

Sincerely,

*Stu Baitz*

Stephen Baitz

Hamilton County Surveyor's Office



SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
**Hamilton County**

*Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor*

*Phone (317) 776-8495*

*Fax (317) 776-9628*

*Suite 188*

*One Hamilton County Square*

*Noblesville, Indiana 46060-2230*

To: David & Cynthia Wainscott  
23848 DeVaney Road  
Cicero, IN 46034

September 16, 2003

Re: Marion Blanton Drain

At this time the contract for the reconstruction of the Marion Blanton Drain needs to be completed. One of the items needing addressed before completion is the disposition of the spoil stockpiled south of the pit on your property. I am recommending one of four options in dealing with this situation. Those options are as follows:

1. Leave the spoil in place and use it for possible berms in next phase or spread it if not needed in next phase.
2. Leave spoil in place permanently.
3. Spread spoil in area north of its present location.
4. Haul spoil to areas on property that was initially going to be filled. Contractor will load into truck(s) provided by you. This would be a one day operation.

Please inform this office as soon as possible as to which option you would prefer. I would like to finalize this contract within the next thirty (30) days.

This will be up for discussion on the agenda for the next Drainage Board meeting on September 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Sincerely,

Kenton C. Ward  
Hamilton County Surveyor

KCW/llm



Natural Resources Conservation Service  
1108 South 9<sup>th</sup> Street  
Noblesville, IN 46060-3745

---

September 15, 2003

Dear Property Owners:

RE: Wetland Conservation

On August 18, 2003, there was a meeting of a number of the property owners on the Marian Blanton Drain to discuss everyone's goals for the recently disturbed area. At this meeting I discussed a variety of programs available through the Natural Resources Conservation Service for restoring wetlands, including the Wetland Reserve Program (WRP) and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program (WHIP). Some of the program information that was discussed has been revised. Two things of note are that the 30 year easement offers 75% cost share not 100% cost share as discussed and the 10 year easement option is, in actuality, not an easement option, but a restoration cost-share agreement for 10 year, which could be combined with other Wetland Programs.

It was the consensus of the property owners present to submit an application to WRP for funding. Based on our discussions and the new information presented above, I would recommend the Restoration Cost Share Agreement as the option which meets the goals of the group and the most likely to be funded. In addition, the Fish and Wildlife Service and other entities should be approached about supplemental funding for this project. To this extent I have included an application for the WRP program and a fact sheets about the program. I would like to individually meet with each of you and discuss your goals for the project and the revised options for funding. Please note, submitting an application does not in anyway commit you to the program. All applications are ranked state-wide and funded accordingly. At the time funding is approved, the appropriate contract and/or easement documents would be signed.

Please contact me to schedule an appointment by calling (317) 773-2181 or e-mail to [aaron.lauster@in.usda.gov](mailto:aaron.lauster@in.usda.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Aaron Lauster".

Aaron Lauster  
District Conservationist

## Fact Sheet

March 2003

## *Wetlands Reserve Program*

### *Overview*

The Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) is a voluntary program that provides technical and financial assistance to eligible landowners to address wetland, wildlife habitat, soil, water, and related natural resource concerns on private lands in an environmentally beneficial and cost-effective manner. The program provides an opportunity for landowners to receive financial incentives to enhance wetlands in exchange for retiring marginal land from agriculture. WRP is reauthorized in the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (Farm Bill). The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) administers the program. Funding for WRP comes from the Commodity Credit Corporation.

### *Benefits*

WRP participants benefit by:

- Receiving financial and technical assistance in return for restoring and protecting wetland functions and values;
- Seeing a reduction in problems associated with farming potentially difficult areas; and
- Having incentives to develop wildlife recreational opportunities on their land.

Wetlands benefit the Nation by providing fish and wildlife habitat; improving water quality by filtering sediments and chemicals; reducing flooding; recharging groundwater; protecting biological diversity; as well as providing opportunities for educational, scientific, and recreational activities.

### *How WRP Works*

Landowners and Tribes may file an application for a conservation easement or a cost-share

restoration agreement with the U.S.

Department of Agriculture (USDA) to restore and protect wetlands. Participants voluntarily limit future use of the land, but retain private ownership.

The program offers three enrollment options:

*Permanent Easement.* This is a conservation easement in perpetuity. Easement payments for this option equal the lowest of three amounts: the agricultural value of the land, an established payment cap, or an amount offered by the landowner. In addition to paying for the easement, USDA pays 100 percent of the costs of restoring the wetland.

*30-Year Easement.* Easement payments through this option are 75 percent of what would be paid for a permanent easement. USDA also pays 75 percent of restoration costs.

For both permanent and 30-year easements, USDA pays all costs associated with recording the easement in the local land records office, including recording fees, charges for abstracts, survey and appraisal fees, and title insurance.

*Restoration Cost-Share Agreement.* This is an agreement (generally for a minimum of 10 years) to re-establish degraded or lost wetland habitat. USDA pays 75 percent of the cost of the restoration activity. This enrollment option does not place an easement on the property. Other agencies, conservation districts, and private conservation organizations may provide additional assistance for easement payments and wetland restoration costs as a way to reduce the landowner's share of the

costs. Such special partnership efforts are encouraged.

NRCS and its partners, including conservation districts, continue to provide assistance to landowners after completion of restoration activities. This assistance may be in the form of reviewing restoration measures, clarifying technical and administrative aspects of the easement and project management needs, and providing basic biological and engineering advice on how to achieve optimum results for wetland dependent species.

Applications are accepted through a continuous sign-up process. Applications may be obtained and filed at any time with your local USDA Service Center or conservation district office. Applications also may be obtained through USDA's e-gov Internet site at: [www.sc.egov.usda.gov](http://www.sc.egov.usda.gov). Enter Natural Resources Conservation Service in the Agency field, Wetlands Reserve Program in the Program Name field, and CCC-1250 in the Form Number field.

### ***Eligibility***

To offer a conservation easement, the landowner must have owned the land for at least 12 months prior to enrolling it in the program, unless the land was inherited, the landowner exercised the landowner's right of redemption after foreclosure, or the landowner can prove the land was not obtained for the purpose of enrolling it in the program. To participate in a restoration cost-share agreement, the landowner must show evidence of ownership.

To be eligible for WRP, land must be restorable and be suitable for wildlife benefits. This includes:

- Wetlands farmed under natural conditions;
- Farmed wetlands;
- Prior converted cropland;
- Farmed wetland pasture;

- Farmland that has become a wetland as a result of flooding;
- Range land, pasture, or production forest land where the hydrology has been significantly degraded and can be restored;
- Riparian areas which link protected wetlands;
- Lands adjacent to protected wetlands that contribute significantly to wetland functions and values; and
- Previously restored wetlands that need long-term protection.

***Ineligible Land.*** Ineligible land includes wetlands converted after December 23, 1985; lands with timber stands established under a Conservation Reserve Program contract; Federal lands; and lands where conditions make restoration impossible.

The Adjusted Gross Income provision of the 2002 Farm Bill impacts eligibility for WRP and several other 2002 Farm Bill programs. Individuals or entities that have an average adjusted gross income exceeding \$2.5 million for the three tax years immediately preceding the year the contract is approved are not eligible to receive program benefits or payments. However, an exemption is provided in cases where 75 percent of the adjusted gross income is derived from farming, ranching, or forestry operations. The final rule for this provision has not yet been published.

### ***Uses of WRP Land***

On acreage subject to a WRP easement, participants control access to the land and may lease the land for hunting, fishing, and other undeveloped recreational activities. At any time, a participant may request that additional activities be evaluated to determine if they are compatible uses for the site. This request may include such items as permission to cut hay, graze livestock, or harvest wood products. Compatible uses are allowed if they are fully consistent with the protection and enhancement of the wetland.

***For More Information***

If you need more information about WRP, please contact your local USDA Service Center, listed in the telephone book under U.S. Department of Agriculture, or your local conservation district. Information also is available on the World Wide Web at: <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/farmbill/2002/>



Visit USDA on the Web at:  
<http://www.usda.gov/farmbill>

**Note:** This is not intended to be a definitive interpretation of farm legislation. Rather, it is preliminary and may change as USDA develops implementing policies and procedures. Please check back for updates.

**A. APPLICATION FOR LONG-TERM CONTRACTED ASSISTANCE THROUGH THE WRP PROGRAM**

B. To be completed by NRCS; check appropriate box:

- This transaction is for CCC
- This transaction is for NRCS

C. State: _____	D. County: _____
1. Applicant Name and Address:  _____	2. Applicant Name and Address:  _____
1 a. Phone: _____	2 a. Phone: _____

I (We) hereby apply for participation in this program and submit the following information in support of the application. I (We) hereby attest that the name(s) listed in Items 1 and 2, have complete control of the property described in Item 3 below.

3. Description and location of farm, ranch, or other unit:  
  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. The land is owned by the applicant(s):  Yes  No If the answer to Item 4 is NO, provide an explanation below:  
  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. Description of area(s) needing treatment. Type and severity of problem(s), and treatment needed to correct the problem(s):  
  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. I (We) understand this application does not obligate the applicant(s) or \_\_\_\_\_ to enter into a contract.

6 a. Signature(s): _____	6 a. Date: _____
6 b. Signature(s): _____	6 b. Date: _____

7. The land has been evaluated and determined to be eligible for the program for which applied ownership criteria is met by the following methods:

Personal Knowledge: \_\_\_\_\_

Knowledge of:  7 a. Conservation District Board Members  7 b. FSA Records  7 c. Deed  7 d. Other, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

8. If application is for WRP, check appropriate box.

- 8 a. 10 Year Restoration Agreement
- 8 b. 30-yr easement
- 8 c. Permanent easement

The signature by the NRCS representative signifies a CCC-NRCS transaction as indicated above.

9. Authorizing Official for: \_\_\_\_\_ 9 a. Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ 9 a. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**OMB DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. This valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0578-0013. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average .69 hour per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection information.

**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT**

The above statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 522a). Furnishing this information is voluntary; however, failure to furnish correct, complete information will result in the withholding or withdrawal of such technical or financial assistance. The information may be furnished to other USDA agencies, the Internal Revenue Service, the Department of Justice, or other State or Federal law enforcement agencies, or in response to orders of a court, magistrate, or administrative tribunal.

**NONDISCRIMINATION STATEMENT**

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in all its programs and activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, disability, political beliefs, sexual orientation, or marital or family status. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TDD). To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, Room 326-W, Whitten Building, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410 or call (202) 720-5964.



**Summary Of Marion-Blanton Drain Meeting with  
NRCS, HCSO and Landowners**

Meeting : August 18, 2003

The meeting was called to order by Aaron Lauster on Monday, August 18, 2003 at 7:00 PM on David & Cyndi Wainscott Farm.

Those present were as follows:

Mr. Aaron Lauster-Hamilton County SWCD, Mr. Walter Evans-Hamilton County Surveyor's Office, Mr. Steve Baitz-Hamilton County Surveyor's Office, Mr. Jeff Powell-Hamilton County Surveyor's Office, Kenny Street-NRCS Volunteer

Landowners: David & Cyndi & Adam Wainscott, Dennis & Theresa Zimmerman, Chad Hartwick, Kevin Moore, J R Cowan, Richard Gould & Ted Butz(Duxnorth Inc.)

**Purpose of Meeting:**

The meeting had two purposes. The first purpose was to protect the upstream landowners' in the Marion-Blanton watershed and determine methods of completing this drainage project. The other purpose was to discuss funding options for restoring wet areas on this site. The main question for the landowners was, "Do you want to reestablish the wet area and reconstruct around it or reconstruct the ditch and drain the wet area?"

**Ordinance Review:**

Mr. Lauster began discussion on the wet areas restoration. Mr. Lauster mentioned the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service(USFW) had scored the site for the spring fish kill in April of this year. Unfortunately, the site didn't score high enough for any grants from the USFW. However, he did hand out a brochure of programs that the landowners could participate in. These programs included the Wetland Reserve Program (WRP) and the Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program (WHIP). From the consensus of landowners, it was agreed to pursue the application to WRP for funding.

Mr. Baitz began discussion on the Marion-Blanton drainage project. He introduced Mr. Evans and Mr. Powell. He acknowledged that both would be involved in the engineering and surveying for the remainder of the project. After the introductions, Mr. Baitz asked the landowners the main question.

The landowners asked, "Why the Drainage Board chose to drain the wet areas?" Mr. Baitz explained that the upstream and downstream landowners petitioned the board to fix the standing water problem. He explained that there was a hearing for the project with little remonstration. Also, Mr. Lauster clearly stated that the Drainage Board was within its jurisdiction to reconstruct the drain. After much discussion of the landowners, it was determined that nearly everybody wanted the wet areas restored.

Mr. Evans asked whether the landowners had a preference regarding the routing of the proposed constructed drain. There was no consensus. However, the preferred route would be to bypass the wet areas.

Mr. Powell informed the landowners that his crew would be on-site that week to gather more elevation and coordinate data to complete the Phase III of the project.

**Conclusion of Meeting:**

The meeting concluded with Mr. Lauster giving the property owners the information of different programs that the NRCS would administer. He also stated that the funding would pay for the relocation of tile and/or drain in the affected area along with the restoration of the wet area.

September 20, 2002

RE: Meeting to discuss the availability of "FREE" government money to rectify the drainage problem.

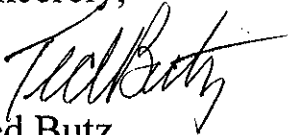
On Wednesday evening, September 25, 2002, I have arranged a meeting with Mr. Scott Fetters, Senior Project Manager, for J. F. New & Associates. New & Associates are ecological consultants and environmental engineers.

Scott will discuss with each of us the potential of "free" government money available to the adjoining landowners of the "lake". I feel you will be very interested and pleased with what Scott has to say.

We will meet at 5:30 PM on the 25<sup>th</sup> in the driveway of David and Cindy Wainscott located at 23848 Devaney Road. From there, we will tour the property with Scott and discuss this government program.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing each of you next week.

Sincerely,



Ted Butz

Cell: 317-431-7555

Cc: Kent Ward  
JR & Nancy Cowan  
Kelei Waltz  
Richard Gould  
Jon & Pamela Hancock  
George & Sharon Hartwick  
Kevin & Jayne Moore  
Dennis & Theresa Zimmerman  
David & Cindy Wainscott

To: Hamilton County Drainage Board

Re: In the matter of the MARION BLANTON # 9 Drain Petition

Comes now the undersigned individuals, who petition the Hamilton County Drainage Board, per IC 36-9-27, for the reconstruction of the above referenced regulated drain. The undersigned believe the following:

1. They are owners of ten percent (10%) in acreage or more of land area alleged by the petition to be affected by the drain.
2. That as property owners within the drainage shed, they are qualified petitioners.
3. That they now desire the regulated drain be reconstructed in JACKSON Township.
4. The names and address of each owner affected by the proposed public drainage are attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked Exhibit "A", which area of land involved in the proposed drainage area is located in section 33, township 20 north, range 4 east, Hamilton County, Indiana.
5. That the proposed reconstruction consist of REPLACEMENT OF tile from pit to C.B. ON WAINSCOTT property
6. That in the opinion of the Petitioner, the costs, damages, and expenses of the proposed improvement will be less than the benefits which will result to the owners of the land to be benefited thereby.
7. That in the opinion of Petitioner, the proposed improvement will improve the public health; benefit a public highway; and be of public utility.
8. That Petitioners shall pay the cost of notice and all legal costs including engineering expenses if the petition is dismissed.
9. Petitioner shall post a bond, if required, to pay the cost of notice and all legal costs in the case the improvement is not established.

Signature

Printed Name

Printed Address

Ruth K. Thomas

RUTH K. THOMAS

24880 DEVANEY RD. - Arcadia, IN. 46030

Joseph C. Worthman

JOSEPH C WORTHMAN

24601 DEVANEY RD. IN. 46030

David T. Waincott

DAVID T WAINSCOTT

23848 De Vaneey Rd. 46034

George Hartwick

George Hartwick

24202 Devaney Rd. 46034

J.R. Cowan

J.R. COWAN

4949 E 246<sup>th</sup> ST 46030

Jon M. Hancock

Jon M Hancock

24495 DEVANEY RD 46034

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

To: Hamilton County Drainage Board

Re: In the matter of the Marion Blanton # 9 Drain Petition

Comes now the undersigned individuals, who petition the Hamilton County Drainage Board, per IC 36-9-27, for the reconstruction of the above referenced regulated drain. The undersigned believe the following:

1. They are owners of ten percent (10%) in acreage or more of land area alleged by the petition to be affected by the drain.
2. That as property owners within the drainage shed, they are qualified petitioners.
3. That they now desire the regulated drain be reconstructed in Jackson Township.
4. The names and address of each owner affected by the proposed public drainage are attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked Exhibit "A", which area of land involved in the proposed drainage area is located in section 33, township 20 north, range 4 east, Hamilton County, Indiana.
5. That the proposed reconstruction consist of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
6. That in the opinion of the Petitioner, the costs, damages, and expenses of the proposed improvement will be less than the benefits which will result to the owners of the land to be benefited thereby.
7. That in the opinion of Petitioner, the proposed improvement will improve the public health; benefit a public highway; and be of public utility.
8. That Petitioners shall pay the cost of notice and all legal costs including engineering expenses if the petition is dismissed.
9. Petitioner shall post a bond, if required, to pay the cost of notice and all legal costs in the case the improvement is not established.

Signature

Printed Name

Printed Address

Ruth K. Thomas

RUTH K. THOMAS

24880 DEVANEY RD. - Arcadia, IN. 46030

Joseph C Worthman

JOSEPH C WORTHMAN

24601 DEVANEY RD. IN. 46030

David T Wainwright

DAVID T WAINWRIGHT

23848 De Vaney Rd. 46034

George Hartwick

George Hartwick

24202 Devaney Rd. 46034

J.R. Cowan

J.R. Cowan

4949 E 246<sup>th</sup> ST 46030

Jan M Hancock

Jan M Hancock

24495 DEVANEY RD 46034

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF THE  
*Marion Blanton Drain, Reconstruction*

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 405 of the 1965 Indiana Drainage Code that this Board, prior to final adjournment has issued an order adopting the Schedule of Assessments, filed the same and made public announcement thereof at the hearing and ordered publication. If judicial review of the findings and order of the Board is not requested pursuant to Article Eight of this code within twenty (20) days from the date of this publication, the order shall be conclusive.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

ONE TIME ONLY

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF  
**Marion Blanton Drain, Reconstruction**

NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern and: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the **Marion Blanton Drain, Reconstruction** on **August 26<sup>th</sup>**, at **9:10 A.M.** in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.

Hamilton County Drainage Board

Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh

ONE TIME ONLY

STATE OF INDIANA     )  
                          ) ss:  
COUNTY OF HAMILTON )

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY  
DRAINAGE BOARD  
NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
RECONSTRUCTION OF THE  
**Marion Blanton Drain**

FINDINGS AND ORDER FOR RECONSTRUCTION

The matter of the proposed Reconstruction of the **Marion Blanton Drain** came before the Hamilton County Drainage Board for hearing **on August 26, 2002**, on the Reconstruction Report consisting of the report and the Schedule of Damages and Assessments. The Board also received and considered the written objection of an owner of certain lands affected by the proposed Reconstruction, said owner being:

Evidence was heard on the Reconstruction Report and on the aforementioned objections.

The Board, having considered the evidence and objections, and, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, did find and determine that the costs, damages and expenses of the proposed Reconstruction will be less than the benefits accruing to the owners of all land benefited by the Reconstruction.


The Board having considered the evidence and objections, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, did adopt the Schedule of Assessments as proposed, subject to amendment after inspection of the subject drain as it relates to the lands of any owners which may have been erroneously included or omitted from the Schedule of Assessments.

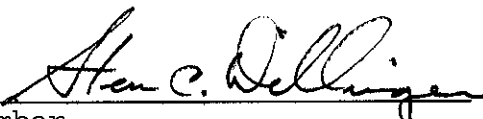
The Board further finds that it has jurisdiction of these proceedings and that all required notices have been duly given or published as required by law.

Wherefore, it is ORDERED, that the proposed Reconstruction of the **Marion Blanton Drain** be and is hereby declared established.

Thereafter, the Board made inspection for the purpose of determining whether or not the lands of any owners had been erroneously included or excluded from the Schedule of Assessments. The Board finds on the basis of the reports and findings at this hearing as follows:

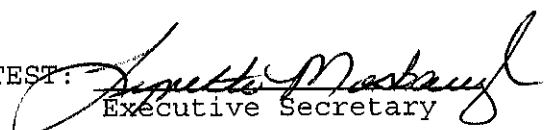
HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
PRESIDENT

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Member

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Member

ATTEST:

  
Executive Secretary



HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

To: INDIANA NEWSPAPERS  
307 N PENNSYLVANIA ST - PO BOX 145  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46206-0145

\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, INDIANA

**PUBLISHER'S CLAIM**

LINE COUNT

Display Matter - (Must not exceed two actual lines, neither of which shall total more than four solid lines of the type in which the body of the advertisement is set). Number of equivalent lines \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Head - Number of lines \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Body - Number of lines \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Tail - Number of lines \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of lines in notice \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION OF CHARGES

25.0 lines 1.0 columns wide equals 25.0 equivalent \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 7.53

lines at .301 cents per line

Additional charge for notices containing rule and figure work (50 per cent of above amount) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Charges for extra proofs of publication (\$1.00 for each proof in excess of two) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF CLAIM \$ \_\_\_\_\_

DATA FOR COMPUTING COST

Width of single column 7.83 ems Size of type 5.7 point \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of insertions 1.0 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 7.53

Pursuant to the provisions and penalties of Chapter 155, Acts of 1953, I hereby certify that the foregoing account is just and correct, that the amount claimed is legally due, after allowing all just credits, and that no part of the same has been paid.

DATE: 08/16/2002

901350-2361739

**IF NOTICE COMES BACK IN MAIL WE MUST LIST THOSE LANDOWNERS NO LEGAL NOTICE - NOTE THAT NO LANDOWNERS ARE LISTED.**

Susan Flodder Clerk  
Title

**PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT**

State of Indiana SS:  
Hamilton County

Personally appeared before me, a notary public in and for said county and state, the undersigned **SUSAN FLODDER** who, being duly sworn, says that SHE is clerk of the Noblesville Ledger a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the English language in the city of NOBLESVILLE in state and county aforesaid, and that the printed matter attached hereto is a true copy, which was duly published in said paper for 1 time(s), between the dates of: 08/16/02 and 08/16/02

Susan Flodder Clerk  
Title

Subscribed and sworn to before me on 08/16/2002

Diana R. Summers Notary Public

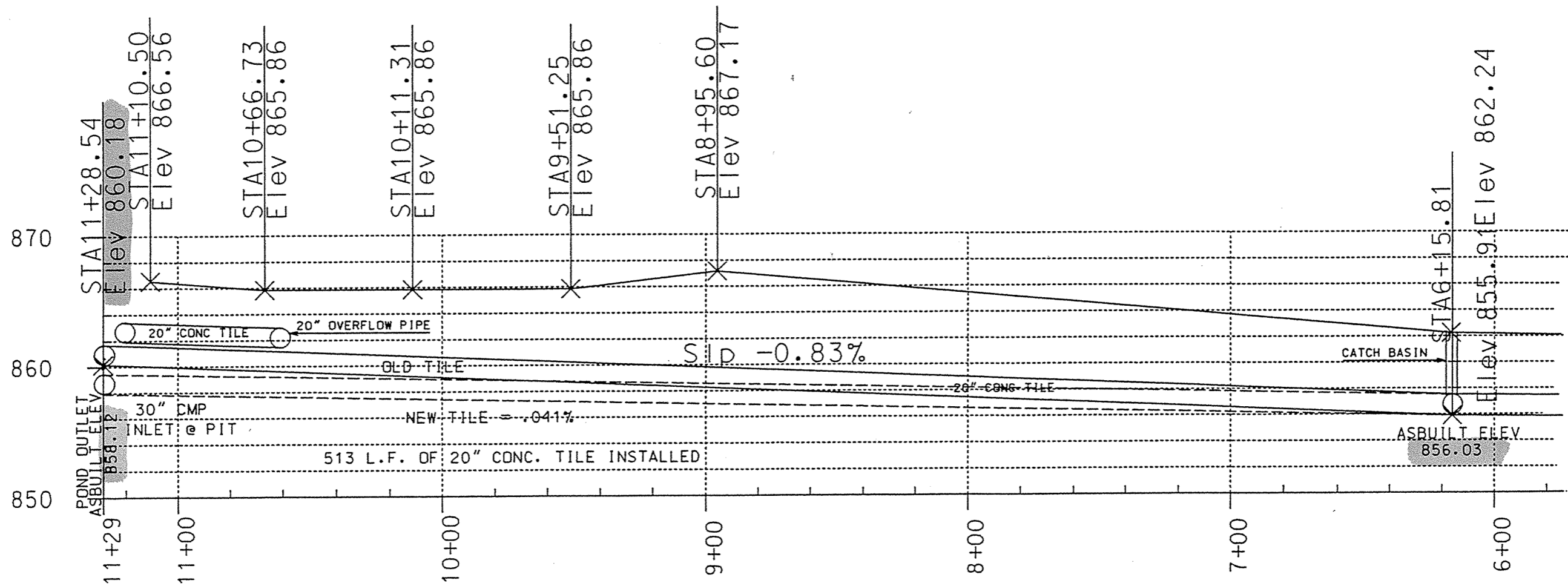
DIANA R. SUMMERS  
Notary Public, State of Indiana  
County of Hamilton

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
My Commission Expires Dec. 17, 2008

BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD.  
IN THE MATTER OF  
Marion Blanton Drain, Reconstruction  
NOTICE  
To Whom It May Concern and:  
Notice is hereby given of the hearing of the Hamilton County Drainage Board on the Marion Blanton Drain, Reconstruction on August 26th, at 9:30 A.M. in Commissioners Court, Hamilton County Judicial Center, One Hamilton County Square, Noblesville, Indiana, and which construction and maintenance reports of the Surveyor and the Schedule of Assessments made by the Drainage Board have been filed and are available for public inspection in the office of the Hamilton County Surveyor.  
Hamilton County Drainage Board  
Attest: Lynette Mosbaugh  
(NL 8/16/02 - 2361739)

# MARION BLANTON DRAIN

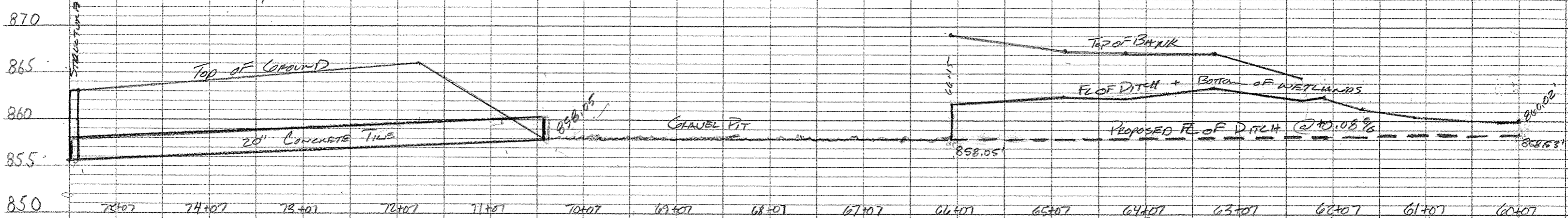
## Phase I



HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYORS OFFICE		
SURVEYED: 5/3/96	BY: J. WYANT F. MILLS S. BAITZ	
HAMILTON COUNTY SURVEYOR KENTON C. WARD <i>Kenton C. Ward</i>	SCALE: 1" = 50'	ASBUILT: 10/29/96
DATE: 10/29/96		

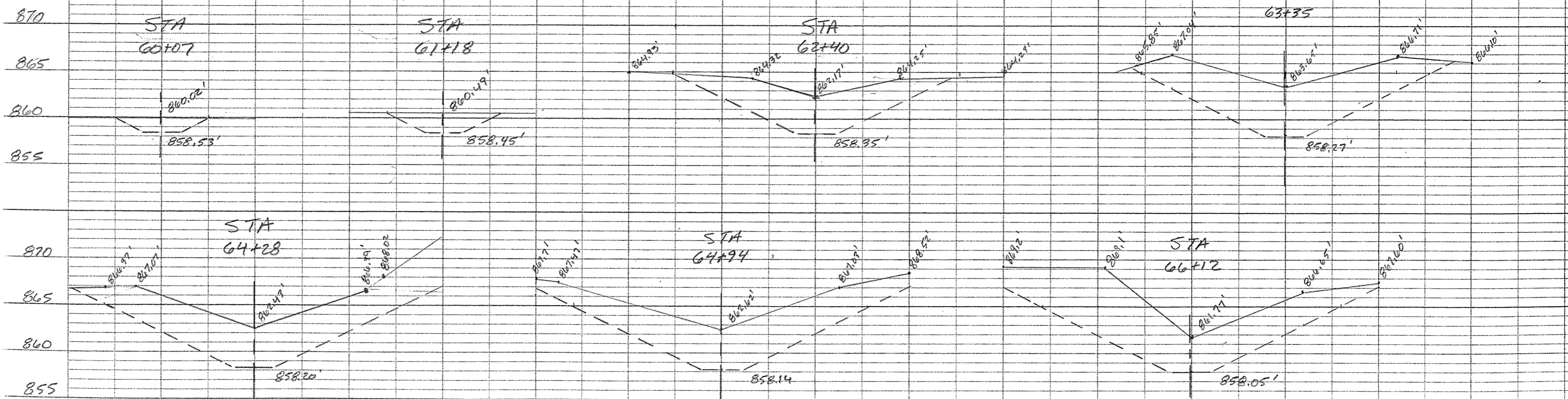
# BLANTON PROFILE

SCALE -  $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 100',  $\frac{1}{4}$ " = 10'



## CROSS-SECTIONS

SCALE -  $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 10',  $\frac{1}{4}$ " = 10'



J. POWELL  
7-15-02