

Drain: WR FERTIG **Drain #:** 176
Improvement/Arm: JW HAWKINS
Operator: J. LIVINGSTON **Date:** 12-17-03
Drain Classification: Urban/Rural **Year Installed:** 1985

GIS Drain Input Checklist

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

Gasb 34 Footages for Historical Cost
Drain Length Log

Drain-Improvement: WR FERTIG - J.W. HAWKINS

Drain Type:	Size:	Length ()	Length (DB Query)	Length Reconcile	Applicable	
					Price:	Cost:
OPEN	—	5955'	5955'		19.55/ft	116420. ²⁵

Sum: 5955' 5955' \$116420.²⁵

Final Report: 5955'

Comments:



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April 13, 1998

To: Hamilton County Drainage Board

Re: W.R. Fertig Drain, J.W. Hawkins Arm

Attached is a drain map and schedule of maintenance assessments for the J.W. Hawkins Drain and the remainder of the W.R. Fertig Drain. At this time the Hawkins Drain is number one on the classification list for maintenance.

The J.W. Hawkins Drain was constructed by petition to the Hamilton County Circuit Court in March 1885. (See Circuit Court Orderbook 11, Page 329) The drain as constructed consisted of 5955 feet of open ditch and today remains unchanged from its original 1885 description. Records show that the drain was cleaned out by allotment in 1890, 1898, 1911, 1927, 1936, 1940 and reconstructed in 1955. In 1973 the drain was classified as an urban drain by the Hamilton County Drainage Board. Condition of the drain along with a recommendation for dredging was made to the Board in 1981 as part of the Home Place Drainage Report.

Inspection of the drain along with a survey has been made of the drain. Although a deepening of the drain would benefit the areas north of Carmel Drive on the west side of the Monon, the cost of replacing the Carmel Drive structure at this time prohibits such a project. Therefore, I recommend that the drain be placed on maintenance as an arm of the W.R. Fertig Drain. Also at this time I recommend that the remaining portion of the Fertig Drain be placed on maintenance as well. This would include the portion of the Fertig from the Monon to 116th Street. When placed on maintenance in 1983 the portion under maintenance halted at the Monon. This proposal would extend the maintenance from that point to the south right-of-way line of 116th Street which is the terminus of the drain per it's original description of 1899. (See Commissioners Record Book 12, Page 142 & 143)

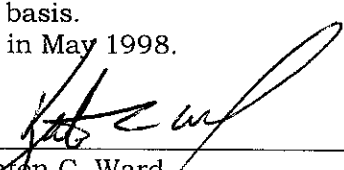
The current assessment for the Fertig is \$2.00 per acre with a \$6.00 minimum. The current annual assessment is \$6,704.02 and the current fund balance is \$15,446.68. I recommend that the additional drainage shed per this proposal be assessed at the current rate of \$2.00 per acre with a \$6.00 minimum. This will add an additional \$2,246.94 to the annual assessment for a total annual assessment of \$8,950.96. Damages for this proposal shall be set a \$0.00 per tract.

Maintenance covered under this proposal shall be as follows:

- A. Removal of debris.
- B. Repair of erosion areas.
- C. Clearing and spraying in order to control brush.
- D. Dredging
- E. Other work which may be required.

Maintenance shall be conducted on an as needed basis.

I recommend that a hearing be set for this matter in May 1998.


Kenton C. Ward,
Hamilton County Surveyor

KCW/jh

FINDINGS AND ORDER

CONCERNING THE MAINTENANCE OF THE

W.R. Fertig Drain, J.W. Hawkins Arm DRAIN

On this 26th day of May 19 98, the Hamilton County Drainage Board has held a hearing on the Maintenance Report and Schedule of Assessments of the W.R. Fertig Drain, J.W. Hawkins Arm.

Evidence has been heard. Objections were presented and considered. The Board then adopted the original / amended Schedule of Assessments. The Board now finds that the annual maintenance assessments will be less than the benefits to the landowners and issues this order declaring that the Maintenance Fund be established.

HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD

President

Steven C. Dillinger

Member

Steve A. Holt

Member

ATTEST: *Kimberly K. Wallace*
Acting Drainage Board Secretary

Day. Hamilton Circuit Court,

Term, 188

all costs and charges herein taxed at
dollars and cents all without relief

James W. Eiler

vs

} No 6231

Walter H. Stephenson et al }

Given the parties and by agreement
the plaintiff has judgment against said
defendant Stephenson for costs and disbursements.
It is therefore adjudged that the plaintiff
recover of said defendant Stephenson his
costs and charges herein taxed at dollars
and cents

W. J. Hawkins et al vs No 6241

Drainage

Given now said petitioners and
no remonstrance or other objections being
filed to the report of the drainage commissioners
heretofore filed herein the same is now approved
and the assessments therein made are approved
and confirmed, and the drain established
on the line laid down in said report and
the construction thereof ordered in all regards
according to the plans and specifications
laid down in said report and the construction
thereof referred to George W. Duggerman, one of
the jury commissioners for construction,

Report of Commissioners

To the Honorable Judge of the Hamilton
Circuit Court,

Day. Hamilton Circuit Court,

Term, 188

The undersigned commissioners of sewerage to whom was referred the petition of Wm Hawkins & J W McOffett for the sewerage of the south east quarter of the north east quarter and the north east quarter of the south east quarter and the south west quarter of the north east quarter and the following commencing at the north east corner of the north west of the south east quarter new south $84\frac{1}{2}$ rods west 70 rods north $84\frac{1}{2}$ rods, east 70 rods to beginning also commencing at the south east corner of the north east quarter of the north east quarter, west 150 rods at 8 rods to 150 rods at 8 rods also $\frac{1}{4}$ N $\frac{1}{4}$ E $\frac{1}{4}$ E 10 rods wide across west side of section 36 township 18 north of range 3 east in Hamilton County respectfully report that they have inspected personally all the lands described in said petition and all other lands liable to be affected by the construction of the proposed works and are of the opinion that the proposed sewerage will improve the public health of the neighborhood, will be of public utility and that the same can be constructed at an expense less than the aggregate benefits to the lands to be affected thereby and after causing the necessary surveys and examinations to be made are of the opinion that the method of sewerage should be as follows to-wit: By the construction of a ditch beginning 36 rods south and 43 rods west of the north east corner of section 36 township 18 north of range 3 east and 33 feet from the center of the Detroit Railroad and new south 1500ft thence on a two angle curve with bend rail road 1600ft thence $49\frac{1}{2}$ N 1100ft thence 41° N 100ft thence south $9\frac{1}{2}$ E 380 feet thence east 120 feet and terminate 40 rods east and 25 rods north of the south east corner of the south east quarter of Sec 36, for further description in third page, they estimate the cost of constructing the works as thus humered and then $7\frac{1}{2}$ 100 dollars. They further report that they have estimated the benefit