

Drainage District # 118
February 13, 2018

9:30a.m. The Board discussed with Drainage Technician Aaron Rutter the Drainage District #118 West letter to landowners regarding an upcoming assessment in 2018. The assessment is due to a repair that took place in the spring of 2017 involving Laterals 5 and 6 located in the NE ¼ of Section 23 of Clay Township. In the fall of 2016, at the request of some landowners, personnel made a site visit. On April 25 and May 9, 2017 the Board of Supervisors acting as Trustees for the district decided to use 12" plastic tile for the repair and authorized Hagedorn Excavating to accomplish the repair. The repair consisted of approximately 4000 feet of 12 inch plastic tile and connecting all existing tile to the new laterals. A road crossing was also involved which was paid for by the Secondary Roads Department. The repair cost was \$26,947.26 with additional crop damage due to late planting. Rutter submitted a claim for crop damage from Taylor Land Management on behalf of the Runchey farm in Section 23 of Clay Township which is operated on a 50/50 crop share lease with Mark Tewes. The yield loss of 927 bushels occurred on 25 acres. Based on February 2, 2018 pricing of \$3.19/bushel the requested amount is \$2,957.13. By consensus of the Board, the claim will be submitted for payment.