

Ref. D. #53

State of Minnesota,

County of Anoka

A. B. Weider,
et al.

**PETITION FOR
REPAIR OF DITCH.**

Filed this 15th day of
August 1916

A. A. Russell
County Auditor.

by C. A. [Signature]

PETITION.

To the County Board of the County of Anoka, Minnesota:

The undersigned petitioners respectfully represent and state:

That they are the owners of lands that have been heretofore assessed for the construction of Drainage Ditch No. 53 of Anoka County.

That the said ditch is in need of repairs and that its usefulness for the purpose for which it was constructed has become greatly impaired by reason of the following facts:

FIRST—That said ditch has become obstructed by the deposit of sediment therein and by the growth of weeds and grasses upon and along the bottom, sides, banks, and right of way thereof.

SECOND—That by reason of the construction of side and lateral ditches emptying into said ditch the volume of water to be taken care of by said Drainage Ditch No. 53 has been increased beyond the capacity thereof.

THIRD—That the piping through the sand hill is wholly inadequate and we need an additional pipe ~~of~~ the size of 42 inches along the entire length of the pipe now laid.

FOURTH—

Wherefore. Your petitioners pray that you will appoint a civil engineer to ascertain and report to you the necessity therefor, and the cost of making such repairs, and when such report is filed such other and further proceedings may be had as may be necessary for the repair of such ditch.

Dated at Anoka this 15th day of August 1916

E. L. Gilbert
J. A. Griswood
H. B. Mieser
Daniel Veblen
Mike Flax

Petitioners.

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ROAD PETITION

FOR

FROM

TO

Filed this

15th day of August 1916.

Robert McLaughlin
Town Clerk

This is to be filed with the Town Clerk, who shall present it to Town Board, which shall within 30 days order and notice. Petition is not to be posted or order or notice of hearing is to be both posted.

Eight (8) legal voters of the town who own or lease under the homestead or pre-emption laws of the State or under contract with the State of land within three (3) miles of the road in question, if any, must sign this petition. If there are not eight (8) legal voters of the town who own or lease as aforesaid, it will be sufficient if a less number sign, that fact should be stated in the above.

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