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PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Anoka
 State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the ditch with its branches hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare require the establishment and construction of a said ditch and its branches will along the following described route in the Town of Bethel of said County of Anoka, to-wit: Commencing at the North East corner of the North West quarter of the South West quarter (N¹/₄ & S¹/₄) of Section Three (3) Town Thirty three (33) Range Twenty three (23) Thence in a southerly and easterly direction through Section Three (3) said town and Range to and terminating at Grass Lake, so-called, Thence southerly and westerly to the outlet of said Grass Lake through sections three (3) & town (10) said town and Range as its outlet and down said outlet of Grass Lake to Deer Lake so-called in Section fifteen (15) said town and Range Thence in southerly and westerly direction through said Deer Lake through Section fifteen (15) said town & Range to the south side of said

Lake, Thence southerly and westerly through sections twenty one (21) and twenty (20) to Crooked Brook so-called where said Brook crosses the north line of the South East quarter of the South East quarter (S¹/₄ & S¹/₄) of said section twenty (20) and thence down ^{through sections twenty (20) twenty nine (29) & thirty (30)} said Crooked Brook to where the State Road crosses said Crooked Brook and thence terminating for the main line.

Also: a branch line commencing at or near the section corner common to sections four (4) five (5) eight (8) and nine (9) Town Thirty three (33) Range (23) thirty three; Thence southerly and easterly through ^{said} sections eight (8) and nine (9) into Ned's Lake, so called, across said Ned's Lake to Third Lake, so-called, in Section sixteen (16) said town and range and

Also a branch line commencing at or near the section corner common to sections four (4) five (5) eight (8) and nine (9) Town Thirty three Range twenty three (23) thence southerly and easterly through ^{said} sections eight (8) and nine (9) into Ned's Lake, so called, across said Ned's Lake to Mud Lake, so called, in section sixteen (16) said town and range and thence through said Mud Lake and across sections sixteen (16) twenty one (21) and twenty two (22) said town and range into Crooked Brook and thence down said Brook to join the main line in the south east quarter of said section twenty (20)

Also a Branch commencing at or near the section corner common to sections eleven (11), twelve (12) thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) Town thirty three (33) Range twenty three (23), thence northerly and westerly through sections eleven (11) and ten (10) said Town and Range joining the main line in Grass Lake so-called in said section ten (10)

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such Ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by

Chapter 97 General Laws of Minnesota, 1887.

Dated October 15th 1880

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Petitioners.