

Burns & Ramsey  
Ditch No. 14.

**DRAINAGE BLANK.**

**PETITION**

- OF -

*E. M. Rathbun*

AND OTHERS.

For a *Ditch*

in the County of *Suoka*

Filed in the office of the County Auditor  
of *Suoka* County,

Minnesota, this *25<sup>th</sup>*

day of *May*

A. D. 18*81*

*W. M. Putnam*  
County Auditor.

# 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 drain or watercourse hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that ~~the public health, convenience and welfare require~~ the establishment and construction of the ditch drain or water ~~along the following described route in the Town of~~ course will be con- ~~ducive to the public health, convenience and welfare~~ and ~~to wit: Commencing at~~ Wilson ~~and the same will be of public benefit and utility~~ and the undersigned hereby petition and request the said Board of County Commissioners to cause to be constructed a ditch drain or watercourse along the route described as follows in the Towns of Burns and Ramsey in said County of Anoka— commencing at the Southwest corner of the N. W. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of Section 28 Town 33 Range 25. Thence in a generally easterly and southerly direction through said Section 28 and Sections 27 and 34 of said Town and Range and terminating at and Sections 3 and 2 in Town 32 Range 25 and terminating in Woods Brook (as called) in the North West quarter of said Section 2 as its outlet.

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

Chapter 97 General Laws of Minnesota, 1887.

Dated May 19<sup>th</sup> 1887

E. M. Rathbun  
Geo. L. Rathbun  
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