

Ditch No. 48

DRAINAGE BLANK.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

James W. Merrill
and others for a public ditch in the
Town of Oak Grove

AUDITOR'S NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF PETITION.

Filed in the office of the County Auditor
of Mnoka County,
Minnesota, this 28th day
of June 1907.
Arthur A. Rowell
County Auditor.

No. 677
C. S. Tipes - Deputy.

State of Minnesota,

County of Anoka,

} ss.

Whereas, The petition of James W. Merrill and others, bearing date the 15th day of May 1907, praying for the establishment of a public ditch along the route proposed therein, has been filed in my office,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given of the pendency of said petition, and that the same will be heard and considered by and before the Board of County Commissioners, at their special session to be held at auditor's office in the City of Anoka in said County, on the 31st day of July 1907, at 11 o'clock A. M.

A true copy of said petition is as follows, to wit:

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 public ditch and branches hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare require the establishment and construction of a public ditch and branches along the following described route in the Town of Oak Grove

in said County of Anoka and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility; and is necessary for the following reasons, to-wit: among others,

That large areas of land along the course of the proposed ditch are now wet, overflowed, and rendered useless for any purpose, which, by the construction of the proposed ditch and branches would be rendered productive and useful for farming and other purposes and large quantities of stagnant water, which now constitute a menace to the public health, would be removed by said proposed ditch and branches.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said public ditch is as follows:

Commencing at the lowest point in the marsh in the S.W.1/4 of the N.E.1/4 of Section 36, thence running northerly across the N.W.1/4 of the N.E.1/4 of said Section, and across the S.W.1/4 of S.E.1/4, Dot 3, Lot 4, and N.W.1/4 of the N.E.1/4 of Section 25, and across the S.W.1/4 of the S.E.1/4 and the S.E.1/4 of the S.W.1/4 of Section 24, all in Township 33 and Range 24, to Cedar Creek, thence running along the following route:

and terminating in said Cedar Creek

as its outlet, together with such branch or branches as may be necessary
and proper to render said ditch most useful and beneficial.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such public ditch and branch
or branches and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred and Thirty (230) of the
General Laws of 1905, and Acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

Dated May 15, 1907.

Hudson Guy

Thos. Green

J. W. Merrill

James Ray

W. L. Smith

L. Larson

H. Smith

John L. Green

J. R. DeLong

R. Guy

Harry Edmunds

Nels Peterson

W. H. Smith

Charles Smith

Albert Havens

James V. Green

Petitioners.

Dated

June 28th 1907

County Auditor Anoka County, Minn.