

**TOWN OF NEWSTEAD DRAINAGE BOARD
MINUTES OF MAY 15, 2007**

Members Present: Don Kreher
Jim DeYoung
Dan Kowalik

Others: Mark Decker
Justin Rooney
Bob Kowalik
John Good
Scott Rybarczyk – Town Engineer

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM, by Mark Decker.

Labeling of Water Ways

Discussion took place as to a method of labeling our ditches.

Large waterways attached to a major creek, would be labeled as an example below:

M 1 A - The M = Murder Creek
 The 1 = First Branch
 The A = "A" Portion of 1st branch
 And so on.....

The group thought it would be better to label like this rather than using farm names as identifiers, the farm names may mean something to the current group or local people, but looking to the future, it was decided that a coding system would be better for the future. Everyone was in agreement.

Small Ditches will be labeled using Land Quadrants.

Article 24 was discussed; we would like to find out who decides on the mapping of such water areas?

John Good brought a couple of potential problems to the committee's attention:

1. Clarence Center and Keller Road – a homeowner has a problem that may be coming to our group.
2. The Crittenden Road Bridge was closed earlier today.

Motioned by Don Kreher, seconded by Jim DeYoung to accept the minutes from the April 17, 2007 meeting as submitted. Passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 8:57, Motion by Don Kreher, Second by Jim DeYoung.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark Decker