

County of Faribault

Drainage Department

FARIBAULT COUNTY DITCH #26 & #45 HEARING NOTIFICATION

November 21st, 2022

System: Faribault County Ditch #26 & #45 Location: Blue Earth City Township Sections 24-25; Emerald Township Sections 19-21, 27-34; Rome Township Sections 3-4;

RE: Preliminary Lateral Hearing

Dear Landowner:

There will be a preliminary lateral hearing on Faribault County Ditch #26 (CD26) held on **Thursday**, **December 8th**, **2022 at 2:00 pm at the Ag Center Conference Room** (415 South Grove Street Blue Earth, MN 56013). A petition for lateral to CD26 was filed with the Faribault County Drainage Authority on March 12th, 2021. This proposed lateral to CD26 serves as the outlet to the County Ditch #45 (CD45) watershed and the CD45 tile. This meeting will cover the Engineer's Preliminary Survey Report can be viewed at the Faribault County Auditor's Office or online at <u>https://www.co.faribault.mn.us/drainage/pages/notices-reports</u>. See enclosed public notice for more information on the proceeding.

Landowners can join this hearing 1 of the following 3 ways.

- 1. In person at the Ag Center Conference Room (415 South Grove Street Blue Earth, MN) *Map on Back
- 2. By phone/call-in
- 3. By Zoom (internet meeting)

If you would like to join the meeting via Zoom you will need a computer, internet, microphone, and speakers. If you do not have a microphone built into your computer, you can call in as well to be able to hear and talk. If you would like to join via Zoom and/or phone/call-in, please contact the Drainage Department by phone 507-526-2388 or email merissa.lore@co.faribault.mn.us by December 7th, 2022, for information needed.

At the public hearing, the Engineer will present information about the proposed lateral project and the Drainage Authority will accept public comment regarding the Engineer's Preliminary Survey Report. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Faribault County Drainage Department at the office 507-526-2388 or by email <u>merissa.lore@co.faribault.mn.us</u>.

Sincerely,

And

Merissa Lore Drainage Manager

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STATE OF MINNESOTA Before the FARIBAULT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SITTING AS THE DRAINAGE AUTHORITY FOR COUNTY DITCH #26

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, the Board of Commissioners of the Faribault County, sitting as the drainage authority for County Ditch #26, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103E.261, shall hold a public hearing on the engineer's preliminary survey report of the proposed drainage lateral project on County Ditch #26 located in Section 24, Township 102, Range 27, Blue Earth City Township; Sections 19 and 20, Township 102, Range 26, Emerald Township, all in Faribault County, Minnesota. The hearing shall be held at 2:00 p.m. on December 8th, 2022, at the Ag Center Conference Room, 415 South Grove Street, Blue Earth, Minnesota 56013. The petitioners and all other interested parties may appear and be heard. Written comments will be accepted at the hearing and by mail through the date of the hearing at the Faribault County Auditor's Office, PO Box 130, Blue Earth, MN 56013.

Copies of the Preliminary Survey Report are available for inspection at the Faribault County Auditor's Office, 415 North Main Street, Blue Earth, MN. You are receiving this notice because you are a petitioner or owner of property or political subdivision likely to be affected by the proposed lateral project on County Ditch #26.

Dated: November 21st, 2022

Darren Esser County Auditor-Treasurer-Coordinator

