



# County of Faribault

## Drainage Department

### FARIBAULT COUNTY JUDICIAL DITCH #19 HEARING NOTIFICATION

March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

System: Judicial Ditch #19

Location: Jo Daviess Township Sections 27-29, 32-34;  
Pilot Grove Township Sections 4-5

RE: Repair Hearing

Dear Landowner:

There will be a repair hearing held on **Tuesday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023, at 1:00 pm at the Faribault County Courthouse Human Services Minnesota Room** (412 North Nicollet Street Blue Earth, MN 56013) on Faribault County Judicial Ditch #19 (JD19F). The Drainage Department completed an inspection and survey of JD19F in the fall of 2022. The inspection and survey indicate repairs are needed to portions of the open ditch. A Staff Repair Report was completed on the recommended repairs. The report can be viewed at the Faribault County Auditor's Office or online at <https://www.co.faribault.mn.us/drainage/pages/notices-reports>. Landowners are encouraged to attend the hearing in-person or virtually on March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023 and provide input on the pending repair. **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 Faribault County Courthouse Human Service Minnesota Room (412 N. Nicollet St. Blue Earth, MN)  
**\*Map on Back**
2. By phone/call-in
3. By Zoom (internet meeting)

If you would like to join the hearing 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 [linda.adams@co.faribault.mn.us](mailto:linda.adams@co.faribault.mn.us) by March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023, for information needed.**

At the public hearing, Drainage Staff will present the Repair Report. The Drainage Authority will accept public comment regarding the proposed repair. Landowners are encouraged to attend and provide input on the pending repair. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Faribault County Drainage Department at the office 507-526-2388 or by email [merissa.lore@co.faribault.mn.us](mailto:merissa.lore@co.faribault.mn.us).

Sincerely,

Merissa Lore  
Drainage Manager

#### Board of Commissioners/ Drainage Authority

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Blue Earth, MN 56013  
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John Roper  
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Blue Earth, MN 56013  
(507) 526-2710

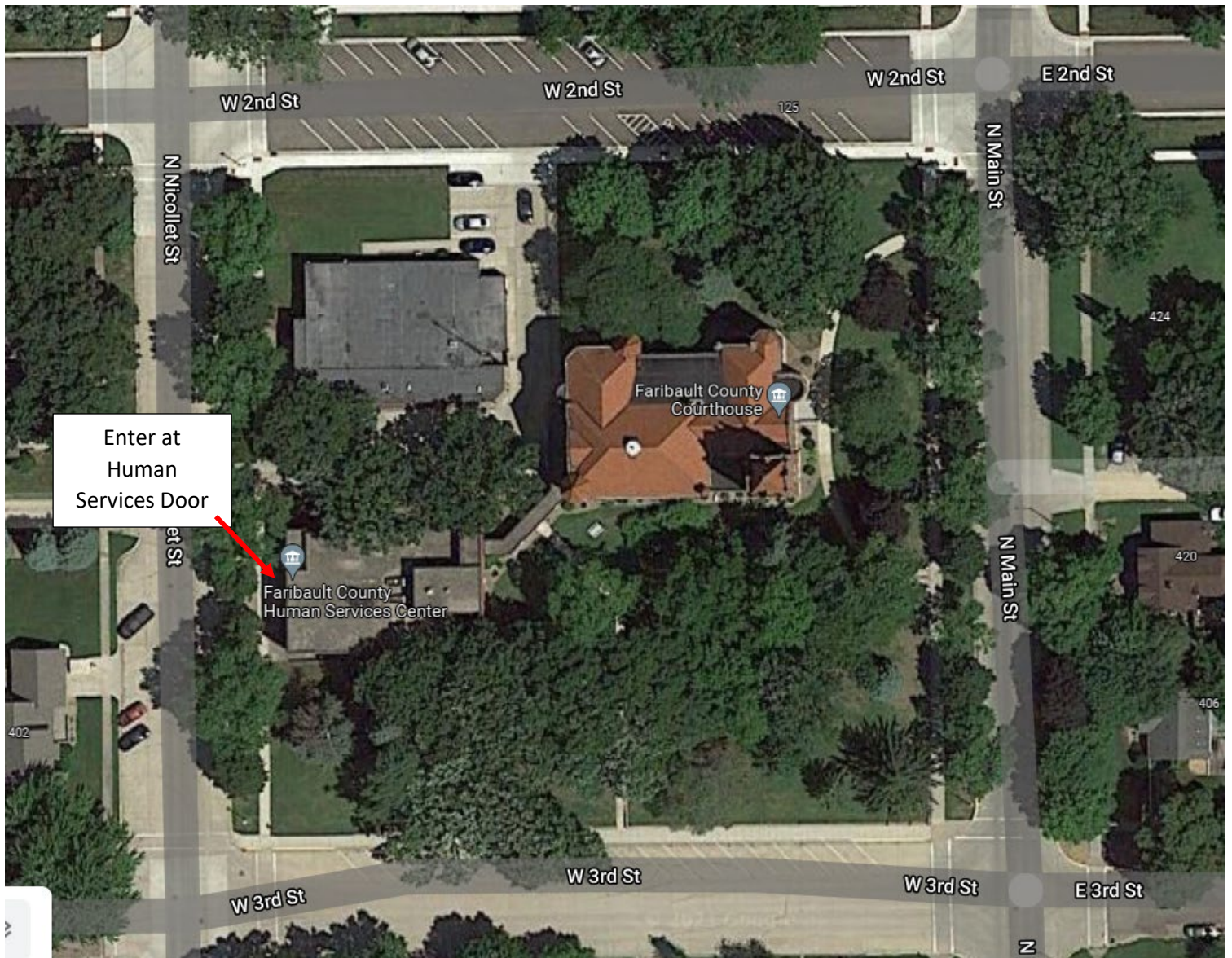
District 2:  
Greg Young  
35719 150<sup>th</sup> St.  
Winnebago, MN 56098  
(507) 526-3420

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Bill Groskreutz, Jr.  
36 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. SW  
Wells, MN 56097  
(507) 553-3518

District 4:  
Tom Loveall  
39290 200<sup>th</sup> St.  
Winnebago, MN 56098  
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50156 110<sup>th</sup> St.  
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Enter at  
Human  
Services Door

Enter through the Human Services door off of North Nicollet Street. The Minnesota Room is straight down the hall and the 2<sup>nd</sup> to the last door on the right.

**STATE OF MINNESOTA**  
*Before the*  
**FARIBAULT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**SITTING AS THE DRAINAGE AUTHORITY FOR**  
**JUDICIAL DITCH #19**

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**In the Matter of:**

**Repair of Judicial Ditch #19**

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, the Faribault County Board of Commissioners, sitting as the drainage authority for Judicial Ditch #19, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103E.705, may hold a public hearing on the scope of the proposed repair and the effect of the proposed repair of drainage system waters located in Sections 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34 Jo Daviess Township and Sections 4, 5 Pilot Grove Township, Faribault County, Minnesota. The hearing shall be held at **1:00 p.m. on March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023, at the Faribault County Courthouse Human Services Minnesota Room, 412 North Nicollet Street, Blue Earth, Minnesota.** At the hearing, the drainage authority will hear the Staff Report and accept public comment regarding the Staff Report. **The hearing can be attended virtually** via phone or computer, contact the Faribault County Drainage Department at 507-526-2388 for information. All 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 Staff Report are available for inspection at the Auditor Office, 415 North Main Blue Earth, MN 56013 or online at <http://www.co.faribault.mn.us/drainage/pages/notices-reports>. You are receiving this notice because you are an owner of property or political subdivision likely to be affected by the proposed repair of the drainage system on Judicial Ditch #19.



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County Auditor-Treasurer-Coordinator

Dated: March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023



**FARIBAULT  
JUDICIAL  
DITCH  
NO. 19  
(JD19F)**

- Legend**
- Ditch Viewer Basins
  - Interstate/US/MN
  - CSAH
  - County
  - Township
  - Municipal
  - Other
  - Public Open Ditch
  - Public Shallow Ditch
  - Public Tile
  - Public Watercourse
  - River or Stream
  - Parcels

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1 inch = 2,371 feet



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