

ANNUAL DITCH MAINTENANCE NEWSLETTER

DITCH COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Autie Howard Ditch

James Corder
Robert Howard
Harvey Karn

Blue Anderson Ditch

Donald E. Shaw
Ronald Shaw

Braskett Ditch

Charles Byrne

Brill Surface Drain

Terry Brill
Glenn Gulick
Jeff Writsel

Bulen/Bulen Ditch

William L. Bolender
R. Joseph Defelice
Peters Family Farms

Buskirk Ditch

Larry D. Brungarth
Terry Sheets
David Garnett

Clark's Run Ditch

Joe Angles
Jeff Hatfield

Congo Ditch

Donald E. Davis
Arnold Gabriel
Nathan Wilson

Cook Ditch

Robert Cook
Robin Kuhlwein

Dry Run Ditch

Clifton Family Farms
Terry Sheets
Gary Moore

Fulks/Moore/Wolford Ditch

Wayne Wright
Brooks McCoy

George's Run Ditch

Jeff Wippel
Ruth Renick

Greenbriar Ditch

Jerrold Fields
Clyde Ohnewehr
Mike George

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Marcus Cradlebaugh,
Construction Inspector

Interested in Ditch Maintenance?

We are always looking for committee members. We strive for 3 members per ditch. Contact our office if you are willing to help.

The Pickaway County Engineer's Department presents your 2021 Ditch Maintenance Annual Newsletter. In between Issues, visit our website at www.pickaway.org/offices/engineer/index to stay up to date on the latest in Pickaway County.

As a Land Owner, who should I contact with any questions and concerns?

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Greenbriar Ext 1

Clyde Ohnewehr
Dennis Wyschmeyer
Jerrold Fields

Grove Run Ditch

Glenn Gulick
Mike Struckman

Hughes #1 Ditch

Daniel Smith
Tim Wells

Hughes #3 Ditch

Kenny Cookson
Larry Valentine

Hughes Main Ditch

Robert List
George W. Speakman

Hughes Upper Ditch

Charles Hines
Paul Pence
Bob Black

Metzger/Ewing/Johnson Ditch

Paul Ewing
Randy Metzger

Mud Run Ditch

Whispering Wind Farms
Art Taylor

PC Acres Stormwater Basin

Julie Heidish
MR-VI Investments LLC

Pence Tile Main

Paul Pence

Rhoads Ditch

Springwater Run Ditch

Brian George
Jason Hartsock

Wampler Hills Stormwater Ditch

John Lambert
Greg Bryant
Chuck Grieve

Wilson Ditch

Nathan Wilson

Wolf Run Ditch

Andy Hamman
Donald E. Shaw

Writsel Ditch

Jeffrey L. Writsel

Ditch Work in 2020

In 2020, as part of our ditch maintenance program PCE crews finished cleanup work by spread spoils and repairing tile outlets on Bulen/Bulen Ditch. This concluded the work that began in Fall 2019 on Bulen/Bulen Ditch.

Pickaway County Engineer crews worked on Buskirk Ditch from Atkins Road to McKinley Road. Included in the work was dipping the ditch out and reshaping the bottom back to original design grade.

On Clark’s Run Ditch, all side inlets were removed and replaced with rock inlets to allow for better drainage.



The costs of postage and printing this newsletter are part of the Ditch Assessments. If you would like to lower those costs by receiving this Annual Newsletter via Email, Contact Jenny Griffin at 740-474-3360 or jgriffin@pickawaycountyohio.gov

2020 Ditch Mowing

All of the Pickaway County Maintenance Ditches were mowed twice in 2020. The first mow was in late May and then again in late September.

Know the Numbers

790 The number of landowners that benefit from a County Maintenance Ditch

33.39 The number of miles that our ditches measure combined in length

29 The number of Maintenance Ditches in Pickaway County

2021

As weather permits this season, Pickaway County Engineer crews have been and will continue work on cleaning and miscellaneous repairs to the following maintenance ditches:

- Autie Howard Ditch – Reshaping and flattening grades. Redigging the bottom to control erosion and reshaping the side slopes to match. Replacing tile outlets.
- Mowing and spraying of woody vegetation on all County Maintenance Ditches



Regrading work on Audi Howard Ditch

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DITCH	LAND OWNERS	BASE COST	2021 BEGINNING BALANCE	2021 COLLECTIONS	2021 EXPENSES TO DATE
Autie Howard	4	\$67,024.23	\$13,836.40	\$1,671.12	\$4,620.99
Blue Anderson	8	\$96,891.35	\$3,802.34	\$1,663.10	\$3,054.12*
Braskett	22	\$17,262.44	\$426.61	\$414.12	\$168.78
Brill Group	6	\$58,308.73	\$6,756.74	\$0.00	\$100.00
Bulen/Bulen	31	\$77,722.27	\$8,074.36	\$1,338.74	\$549.00
Buskirk	55	\$233,331.87	\$25,850.38	\$5,246.28	\$22,542.09
Clark's Run	43	\$232,779.74	\$24,960.04	\$8,775.84	\$1,594.49
Congo	12	\$84,537.00	\$1,166.53	\$2,528.70	\$2,778.70*
Cook	5	\$27,185.00	\$6,014.58	\$684.14	\$122.93
Dry Run	15	\$65,448.57	\$7,998.35	\$1,843.43	\$333.97
DS Drainage	137	\$116,031.96	\$23,574.37	\$9.50	\$259.70
Fulks/Moore/ Wolford	8	\$32,897.31	\$3,442.14	\$636.37	\$307.59
George's Run	9	\$54,535.64	\$4,566.65	\$1,081.13	\$221.78
Greenbriar	26	\$164,670.90	\$1,424.74	\$3,217.04	\$1,042.77
Greenbriar Ext 1	202	\$150,320.74	\$7,204.08	\$5,124.66	\$7,078.95*
Grove Run	24	\$102,586.70	\$12,136.89	\$2,055.12	\$515.78
Hughes #1	4	\$120,021.05	\$6,197.79	\$3,839.13	\$528.40
Hughes #3	18	\$53,573.39	\$7,704.16	\$979.21	\$198.85
Hughes Main	99	\$158,776.70	\$4,617.40	\$2,955.46	\$1,729.80
Hughes Upper	78	\$144,282.68	\$16,085.16	\$2,693.58	\$725.99
Metzger/Ewing/ Johnson	8	\$96,643.53	\$5,027.98	\$2,090.19	\$730.99
Mud Run	21	\$145,100.93	\$11,646.09	\$2,833.46	\$701.67
PC Acres	6	\$38,160.10	\$6,732.69	\$426.56	\$100.00
Pence Tile Main	10	\$35,667.18	\$6,284.23	\$0.00	\$100.00
Springwater Run	7	\$33,529.14	\$6,678.31	\$938.68	\$100.00
Wampler Hills	37	\$66,977.90	\$9,770.81	\$1,026.12	\$100.00
Wilson	18	\$87,304.24	\$3,074.22	\$599.36	\$424.93
Wolfe Run	10	\$107,703.82	\$6,777.22	\$2,058.78	\$712.35
Writsel	26	\$18,605.34	\$1,978.06	\$468.88	\$122.93

*Denotes expenses to be paid back in installments annually.

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DITCH MEETINGS

August 30, 2021

Spring Water Run	8:00 AM	7786 Darby Creek Rd. Harrisburg
Autie Howard Ditch	9:00 AM	Culvert on London Rd.
Greenbriar Ditch	10:00 AM	Bambies Lot US RT 62
Greenbriar Ext.	11:00 AM	Bridge on Renick Rd.
Georges Run	12:30 PM	Crossing at the Head of Ditch
Buskirk Ditch	1:30 PM	Bridge crossing on McKinley Rd.
Dry Run Ditch	2:30 PM	Culvert crossing near Clifton Rd.
Clarks Run Ditch	3:30 PM	Culvert on Davis Rd.

August 31, 2021

Grove Run Ditch	8:00 AM	Culvert on Matville Rd
Braskett Ditch	9:00 AM	Bridge on Scioto Darby Rd by Graham
Writsel Ditch	10:00 AM	Culvert on Matville Rd.
Brill Group	11:00 AM	Culvert on Scioto Darby Rd.
Hughes Main	12:30 PM	Bridge crossing on ST.RT. 316
Hughes Lateral #1	1:30 PM	Farm lane at 12780 US.RT. 23
Hughes Upper	2:30 PM	Inter of Weigand Rd. & Bulen Pierce
Hughes Lateral #3	3:30 PM	Inter. of Ashville Pk. & Weigand

September 1, 2021

Mud Run Lateral #1	10:00 AM	Culvert on Egypt Pk.
Folks/Moore/Wolford	11:00 AM	Culvert on Plummer Rd.
Metzger/Ewing/Johnson	11:30AM	Culvert on Rector Rd.
Blue Anderson Ditch	12:30 PM	Culvert on Tootle Rd.
Wolfe Run Ditch	1:30 PM	Culvert on Tootle Rd.
DS Drainage	2:30 PM	Culvert on Dunkel Rd.
Wampler Hills	3:30 PM	Wampler Dr. & Cody Ct.

September 2, 2021

Bulen/Bulen Ditch	8:00 AM	Culvert on Bulen Pierce Rd.
Pence Tile Main	9:00 AM	Farm Drive east of Duvall Rd.
Cook Group Ditch	10:00 AM	Culvert on Goodman Rd.
PC Acres	11:00 AM	Cul-de-sac of Home Ct.
Congo Lateral #1	12:30 PM	Culvert on Boggs Rd.
Wilson Group Ditch	1:30 PM	Farm Lane at 9839 Tarlton Rd.

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