

ANNUAL DITCH MAINTENANCE NEWSLETTER

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Terry Sheets
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Fulks/Moore/Wolford Ditch

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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 Ditch Maintenance Annual Newsletter for 2018. 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 Ditch

Jerrold Fields
Clyde Ohnewehr
Mike George

Greenbriar Ext 1

Clyde Ohnewehr
Dennis Wyschmeyer
Jerrold Fields

Grove Run Ditch

Glenn Gulick

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

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



Rock armored curve of Greenbriar Ext.



PCE crews cleaning Greenbriar Ext.

Ditch Work in 2017

Full one sided construction was completed on 3,500 feet of Greenbriar Extension. This involved removing all stumps, shaping and seeding the side slopes, replaced the tile outlets, installing numerous rock side inlets and excavating the bottom to grade. The curves were rock armored as well. All of the above improvements were made from London Road north to the railroad tracks.

Congo Lateral Ditch was cleaned to grade in its entirety (6,812 feet). All tile outlets were repaired/replaced and brush was cleared.

All 7,400 feet of Metzger/Ewing/Johnson Ditch was cleaned the original back to grade.



*We try to do our part in being a "Greener" Department.
If you would like to help by receiving this Annual Newsletter via Email, Contact Jenny Griffin at 740-474-3360 or jgriffin@pickawayengineer.org
Together WE can make a difference!*

Still on the Agenda

As weather permits this season, Pickaway County Engineer crews will work on cleaning and miscellaneous repairs to the following Maintenance Ditches:

- Metzger/Ewing/ Johnson Ditch – replacement of all tile outlets
- Congo Ditch – spread spoils
- Greenbriar Ditch – Replacement of tile outlets
- Mowing and spraying woody vegetation on all County Maintenance Ditches



New Signs

New Signage has been installed at each ditch site to allow contractors, landowners, and farmers to better identify the ditches. This should help when answering questions or concerns regarding the maintenance ditches.

2017 Ditch Mowing

All of the maintenance ditches were mowed twice in 2017. Several ditches were also sprayed for cattails, bulrush and woody vegetation.

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DITCH	LAND OWNERS	BASE COST	BASE COST/REVW	2018 BEGINNING BALANCE	2018 ASSESSMENTS TO BE COLLECTED	2018 EXPENSES TO DATE
Autie Howard	4	\$54,497.50	2018	\$9,743.06	\$0.00	\$0.00
Blue Anderson	8	\$66,523.00	2018	\$13,542.36	\$3,326.15	\$25,212.97*
Braskett	22	\$11,405.00	2018	\$426.92	\$570.24	\$0.00
Brill Surface	6	\$28,660.00	2018	\$5,322.05	\$0.00	\$0.00
Bulen/Bulen	31	\$57,625.00	2018	\$10,819.56	\$2,881.90	\$0.00
Buskirk	55	\$153,582.85	2018	\$13,608.42	\$7,679.21	\$0.00
Clark's Run	43	\$226,764.00	2018	\$35,071.29	\$10,903.69	\$0.00
Congo	12	\$64,047.00	2018	\$12,183.68	\$3,202.38	\$21,825.85*
Cook	5	\$23,810.00	2018	\$4,837.12	\$0.00	\$0.00
Dry Run	15	\$47,950.00	2018	\$3,681.32	\$2,397.48	\$0.00
DS Drainage	137	\$94,534.00	2021	\$9,897.95	\$5322.40	\$0.00
Fulks/Moore/Wolford	8	\$20,020.00	2018	\$3,890.28	\$1001.00	\$0.00
George's Run	9	\$40,775.00	2018	\$279.35	\$2,038.77	\$0.00
Greenbriar	26	\$116,015.13	2018	\$25,398.82	\$5,800.80	\$0.00
Greenbriar Ext 1	202	\$134,660.00	2018	\$8,039.37	\$7,182.20	\$49,363.62*
Grove Run	24	\$75,999.00	2018	\$12,450.02	\$3,799.98	\$0.00
Hughes #1	4	\$89,277.00	2018	\$2,652.33	\$4,463.85	\$5,000.00*
Hughes #3	18	\$39,937.00	2018	\$7,185.43	\$1,996.84	\$0.00
Hughes Main	99	\$112,755.00	2018	\$1,369.71	\$5,750.70	\$2,200.00*
Hughes Upper	78	\$96,620.00	2018	\$17,161.49	\$4,850.79	\$0.00
Metzger/Ewing/Johnson	8	\$86,575.00	2018	\$8,670.10	\$4,328.73	\$0.00
Mud Run	21	\$104,799.00	2018	\$1,913.47	\$5,240.45	\$0.00
PC Acres	6	\$34,185.00	2018	\$4,904.00	\$800.00	\$0.00
Pence Tile Main	10	\$30,997.00	2018	\$4,779.95	\$0.00	\$0.00
Springwater Run	7	\$30,036.00	2018	\$5,736.11	\$0.00	\$0.00
Wampler Hills	37	\$60,000.00	2018	\$13,171.38	\$1,950.00	\$0.00
Wilson	18	\$78,208.70	2018	\$2,034.25	\$1,162.37	\$0.00
Wolfe Run	10	\$75,558.00	2018	\$3,424.41	\$3,777.91	\$0.00
Writsel	26	\$13,340.00	2018	\$2,238.12	\$840.42	\$0.00

*Denotes expenses to be paid back in installments annually.

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DITCH MEETINGS

April 16, 2018

Spring Water Run	8:00AM	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.

April 17, 2018

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

April 18, 2018

Clarks Run Ditch	8:00AM	Culvert on Davis Rd.
Mud Run Lateral #1	9:00AM	Culvert on Egypt Pk.
Folks/Moore/Wolford	10:00AM	Culvert on Plummer Rd.
Metzger/Ewing/Johnson	11:00AM	Culvert on Rector Rd.
Blue Anderson Ditch	12:30PM	Culvert on Tootle Rd.
Wolfe Run Ditch	1:30PM	Culvert on Tootle Rd.

April 19, 2018

Bulen/Bulen Ditch	11:00AM	Culvert on Bulen Pierce Rd.
Pence Tile Main	12:30AM	Farm Drive east of Duvall Rd.
Cook Group Ditch	1:30PM	Culvert on Goodman Rd.
Hughes Lateral #3	2:30PM	Inter. of Ashville Pk. & Weigand

April 20, 2018

DS Drainage	8:00AM	Culvert on Dunkle Rd.
Congo Lateral #1	9:00AM	Culvert on Boggs Rd.
Wilson Group Ditch	9:30AM	Farm Lane at 9839 Tarlton Rd.
Wampler Hills	10:15AM	Inter. of Wampler Dr. & Cody Ct.
PC Acres	11:15AM	Cul-de-sac of Home Ct.



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