

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON
ENGINEER'S REPORT ON IMPROVEMENTS TO MAIN TILE
DRAINAGE DISTRICT 9 HARDIN COUNTY, IOWA**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2019 AT 1:00 P.M.
LOWER LEVEL CONFERENCE ROOM, HARDIN COUNTY COURTHOUSE**

To all lienholders or encumbrancers and actual occupants of any land within the district which includes all or parts of Section 6 of Ellis Township 88 North, Range 21 West; Section 33 of Hardin Township 89 North, Range 21 West; Section 1 and 12 of Buckeye Township 88 North, Range 22 West, and to all other person to whom it may concern:

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Board of Trustees of Hardin County Drainage District 9 has received a request for an improvement in said district. In response, the Board of Trustees appointed Lee O. Gallentine, P.E., of Clapsaddle-Garber Associates, a qualified engineer, to investigate and report on the condition of said drainage district.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Board of Trustees has received the 'Engineer's Report on Improvements to Main Tile Drainage District 9 Hardin County, Iowa' prepared by the engineer and dated April 30, 2019. The Board of Trustees has approved the engineer's report as a tentative plan which may be amended before final action. A copy of said report is now on file with the Hardin County Auditor and also online at www.hardincountyia.gov/269/Drainage-District-Projects.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Board of Trustees has set the 19th day of June, 2019, at 1:00 p.m. in the lower level conference room of the Hardin County Courthouse, 1215 Edgington Ave., Eldora, Iowa, as the date, time and place for hearing on said engineer's recommendation.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that in the event said report is adopted that a reclassification of the benefits of the lands within said district may also be considered. All claims for damages, except claims for land required for right-of-way, and all objections for any reason to said engineer's report **must be filed in writing and filed in the office of the Hardin County Auditor, Eldora, Iowa, before or at the time set for said hearing.** The failure to file written objections prior to the time set for the hearing will result in a waiver of any objections, except claims for damages.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that because the engineer's report includes an improvement option, landowners have the right to file a remonstrance (a written document objecting to the improvement and signed by a majority of the landowners in the district owning 70% or more of land within the district). A remonstrance must be filed in the office of the Hardin County Auditor, Eldora, Iowa, prior to the time set for said hearing. If a valid and timely remonstrance is filed, the improvement cannot be approved by the Board of Trustees, but the repair option can move forward.

Published by order of the Board of Trustees of Drainage District 9.

**JESSICA LARA
HARDIN COUNTY AUDITOR**