

State of Minnesota,  
County of Houston,

District Court,  
Tenth Judicial District.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PROCEEDINGS FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF  
HOUSTON COUNTY DRAINAGE AND CONSERVANCY DISTRICT NUMBER ONE.  
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The above entitled matter came on before the Court, the Honorable John F. D. Reighan, Judge of the District Court, presiding, at the "Scenic Hotel" owned by Robert Dally in the unincorporated Village of Reno, on that part of lot One of Section 35, Township 102 North, of Range 4 West, lying within the district hereinafter described, in the Town of Crooked Creek, Houston County, Minnesota, on the 9th day of June, 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, upon the petition of Frank J. Gwerner, Robert Dally, William Kroeck, Otto H. Luttichens, Fred Neumann, Henry Neumann and Bertha Kohn, filed in said Court April 25, 1922, praying for the organization of the Drainage and Conservancy District hereinafter described. The petitioners appeared in person and by Duxbury & Duxbury their attorneys, and Robert Smidt, William Whannocke, Michael F. Hughes, John T. Ryan, Peter Whalen and a large number of others owning land within the district appeared personally. The Court examined the files in said matter and heard the evidence produced in support of the allegations of the petition, and finds that due notice of the time and place of said hearing was given by the publication of the Order of the Court for such hearing dated April 25, 1922 in the Caledonia Journal, a weekly newspaper published in said County, for three successive weeks, the said publication being completed more than ten days prior to the time of said hearing, and finds further by competent evidence that the facts set forth in the petition are true and exist, and that the purposes of Chapter 13 of the Session Laws of Minnesota for the Special Session of 1909 as amended would be subserved by the creation of a Drainage and Conservancy District comprising the whole of the territory set forth in said petition.

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and hereinafter described, and finds further that Otto H. Lutchen, Frank J. Greener and William Brasor are residents of said District and suitable and competent persons to constitute the first Board of Directors, and finds further that the office of the Clerk of the District Court in the Court House in the Village of Colodonia, in said County, the place where said petition was filed, is suitable for the office or proper place of business of the said District.

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDAINED, That all that part of the County of Houston which lies East of a line described as follows:

Commencing on the South boundary of said County of Houston at the South quarter corner of Section Thirty-five, Township One Hundred One North of Range Four West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, running thence North to the center of said Section Thirty-five, thence East to a point fifty feet West of the center line of the main track of the Dubuque Division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company, thence Northerly parallel to and fifty feet West from the center line of said track to the North line of Section Twenty-six in said Township, thence West to the Southwest corner of Lot Eight of Section Twenty-three in said Township, thence North to the Northeast corner of the West half of the Southwest quarter of Section Fourteen in said Township, thence East to the center of said Section Fourteen, thence North to the Southeast corner of the North half of the Northwest quarter of Section Thirty-five, Township One Hundred Two North of Range Four West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, thence East eighty rods, thence Northeasterly by a straight line to a point which is twenty rods South from a point twenty rods West from the Northeast corner of said Section Thirty-five, in said Township One Hundred Two, thence North twenty rods, thence East twenty rods to the Northeast corner of said Section Thirty-five in said Township One Hundred Two, thence North to a point fifty feet West of the center line of the track of the Dubuque Division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company, thence Northerly parallel to and fifty feet West from the center line of said track to the North line of Section Twenty-five in said Township One Hundred Two, thence East to the East boundary of

said County of Houston,

be and the same is hereby organized as a Drainage and Conservancy District in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 13 of the Session Laws of Minnesota for the Special Session of 1919 as amended.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the said District hereafter be known as HOUSSON COUNTY DRAINAGE AND CONSERVATION DISTRICT NUMBER ONE.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the first Board of Directors consist of three residents of said District, and that Otto H. Lutchen, Frank S. Greener and William Bracer shall constitute said first Board of Directors.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the office of the Clerk of the District Court in the Court House in the Village of Caledonia, in said County of Houston, be the office and proper place of business of the said District.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the following expenses of the organization of said District are allowed and ordered to be paid by the County of Houston upon the filing of a certified copy of this order in the office of the County Auditor for said County, and charged to the account of the said District:

Journal Publishing Company, publishing Notice of Hearing, --	\$9.00
Robert Dally, use of "Seaside Hotel" for hearing, -----	5.00
Chas. L. Metcalf, Clerk of District Court, fees, -----	5.00
TOTAL, -----	\$17.00

Dated June 15, 1932.

BY THE COURT,

John F. D. McLaughlin  
District Judge.

CERTIFIED COPY.

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DRAINAGE AND CONSERVANCY  
DISTRICT NUMBER ONE.

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ORDER ESTABLISHING DISTRICT.  
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Durbury & Durbury  
Attorneys for Petitioners,  
Medonia, Minnesota.

Filed June 19, 1922  
Chas. L. Metcalf  
Clerk

State of Minnesota, }  
County of Houston, } ss.

DISTRICT COURT  
TENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

I, Chas. L. Metcalf Clerk of the District Court in and

for said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy with the original

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District Number one

as the same appears of record and on file in my office, at the Court House in said County, and that it is a true and correct copy of the same and the whole thereof.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of this said Court at Caledonia, this 19th

day of June A. D. 1922

Chas. L. Metcalf  
Clerk.

Deputy.

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District Court

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
County of Houston.

Plaintiff.

vs.

Defendent.

Certificate of Transcript.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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*Miss Holm*

Secretary of State