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**Maintenance Report on the Romney Stock Farm #109 Regulated Drain**  
**Tippecanoe County Drainage Board**  
**October 17, 2011**

The Romney Stock Farm Drain was originally established as a branch of the Kellerman – Leaming (Carl L. Norman) Drain by the Superior Court of Tippecanoe County, Indiana in 1949. The Drain and its watershed are located in Sections 35 and 36 of Township 21 North and Range 4 West in the political township of Lauramie, Tippecanoe County, Indiana and Sections 1 and 2 of Township 20 North and Range 4 West in the political township of Madison, Montgomery County, Indiana.

There are approximately 3,500 lineal feet of open ditch and 4200 lineal feet of tile under maintenance. Note: Historically there were zero (0) lineal feet of tile under maintenance, however from this point forward there shall be 4200 lineal feet of tile and 3500 lineal feet of open ditch under maintenance. The watershed contains 412.18 acres.


The Romney Stock Farm Drain Maintenance Fund was established by the Tippecanoe County Drainage Board on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1996.

It is the judgment of the Tippecanoe County Surveyor that a sum of \$34,000.00 is needed to maintain and improve the existing drainage system.

An assessment of \$10.00 per acre and a \$100.00 minimum over an (8) eight year period is recommended. This will generate \$34,678.40 over an (8) eight year period.

It is the opinion of the Tippecanoe County Surveyor that this rate increase will cover the cost of the much needed open ditch dredging project and ensure that monies will be generated for future maintenance and tile replacement on this system.

Respectfully Submitted by:

  
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