

**STATE OF MINNESOTA  
JOINT DRAINAGE AUTHORITY OF JACKSON AND NOBLES COUNTIES  
SEATED AS DRAINAGE AUTHORITY UNDER STATUTES CHAPTER 103E  
FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF JACKSON AND NOBLES COUNTIES JUDICIAL DITCH 13 (PHASE 3)**

**NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING**

**Please Take Notice:** The Joint Drainage Authority of Jackson and Nobles Counties, Drainage Authority for Jackson and Nobles Counties Judicial Ditch 13 (“JD 13”) will hold a final hearing on the petitioned lateral to JD 13 (phase 3) on June 23, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. in the Farmer’s Room of the Nobles County Government Center, 315 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Worthington, Minnesota. The detailed survey reports (engineer’s report) and viewers’ report for the proposed phase 3 improvement (lateral) are received and on file with the Drainage Authority. The reports, along with amendments, if any, are available for inspection at Jackson County by contacting Kelly Rasche, Jackson County Drainage Coordinator, by email or phone (ditches@co.jackson.mn.us or (507) 847-2763).

At the final hearing, the Drainage Authority will accept public comment on the proposed lateral (improvement phase 3). Any party having an interest in the proceedings may appear and provide comment. Written comments will be accepted through close of business on June 22, 2023, by email or by U.S. Mail to Kelly Rasche at Jackson County (ditches@co.jackson.mn.us or Jackson County Drainage Coordinator, c/o Kelly Rasche, P.O. Box 226, Jackson, MN 56143).

Phase 3: The proposed JD 13 Phase 3 improvement proposes establishment of a new lateral to Branch S15 in the SW ¼ of Section 27 of Lorain Township.

**The following properties are affected by the proposed drainage system improvement (JD 13, phase 3):**

The W 1/2 of Section 27 of Lorain Township, Nobles County

**The following owners of property are affected by the drainage system improvement (JD 13, phase 3):** Ahlers

**The following governmental entities are affected by the drainage system improvement (JD 13, phase 3):** None