

AGENDA
HUNT LIMA DRAINAGE DISTRICT
REGULAR MEETING

Date: July 9, 2026

Time 9:00 am

President Joe Zumwalt called the meeting to order at 9:04a.m. July 9, 2026. Commissioners Zumwalt, Richard Zollinger and Melissa Shriver-Hackamack were in attendance.

Additions/corrections to previous months reports: Financial report was not available due to misunderstanding on meeting time.

Approval of Minutes of previous month(s): The June 2026 minutes were submitted for approval. Commissioner Zumwalt made the motion to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Zollinger. Motion approved.

Approval of Financial information for this month: The financial report will be e-mailed out to those in attendance.

Approval of Current Bills approved for payment: Zollinger made a motion to approve the bills for the month. Shriver-Hackamack seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Old Business

Levee Improvement Project

- Project status North of UFC Elevator in Meyer (Nationwide permit process) - Two weeks ago Klingner wrapped up the permit paperwork and sent out the information. We currently are waiting for approval.

Equipment/Building Repairs & Parts - Commissioners briefly went over the status of the options on South Pump Station improvements that may be done to deal with ongoing cooling issues. Those options include:

1. Update Pump on hand with heat exchanger - We currently are awaiting the water capacity for the possible heat exchanger.
 2. Add additional electric pump - We have learned that Ameren does in fact have electric capacity in the bottoms for us if this is an option we choose.
 3. Aeration work - Plans from Klingner was submitted earlier this year. The estimate on all possible upgrades proposed in this plan would be about \$211,000.
- A recent test was done by the South Pump Station operator on a very hot 95 degree day in June. The pump ran four hours and reached the temp of 196 degrees. The pump performed well, even in the extreme heat.

Assessments Update

- Shriver-Hackamack updated e-mail addresses from assessments submitted. Assessments still coming in.

IRS and IDOR Paperwork

- Shriver-Hackamack visited with the IRS office. The paperwork needed to address the IRS questions will be complied and submitted.

New Business

Relief Well Test Update

- Bryan Snook with the USACE recently sent an e-mail addressing the results of the relief well tests. All relief wells have passed with flying colors. Zumwalt is communicating with USACE.

Ditch Maintenance Updates

- Bluff Canal work- The Drainage District pump house staff should be able to get working on it soon.
- South of Bryants crossing river erosion - The area between the silo and the rip rap North of Meyer seems to be experiencing erosion. The Corps of Engineers is supposed to be watching this area every 6 months. It did not come up during the recent levee inspection. We will contact USACE to make sure it is noted.
- Future Ditch Maintenance projects-
 - The HLLDD staff will begin working on the cattle damage on the bluff levee soon.
 - Commissioners will work on a fall ditch project list.

Brush control and spraying

- Skid sprayer would be very handy. It is about \$3-5,000. The preference would be 100 gallons tank. In the meantime bring the old sprayer out to shop to replace hose and fittings.

Equipment/Building Repairs & Parts

- Dozer Repair
 - Mike Tryba with Rolands reports work on dozer should begin next week after parts arrive from the machine shop.

Commissioner paperwork for Zumwalt and Zollinger

- Commissioner Richard Zollinger needs to apply for a petition to run for the office of commissioner. He is currently fulfilling Brock Yuskis' incomplete term. President Joe Zumwalt is up for re-election.

Any other New Business

- The Adams County Highway Department is planning to take the guardrail out at CR2900N. The Highway department officials met with Jeff. They asked that the drainage district take sand out in layers, not dig a hole when using sand from the county's pile.
- The city of Warsaw would like to put up a gate to prevent people from entering their lagoon area. People are also crossing the levee to get there.
- Drainage District staff brought two bucket loads of rock up to Richard Bonebreak.
- Rock is needed to help Brian Leff on the gravel road that runs along the levee. This road was impacted by the levee improvement project. We will examine the minutes to see how much money was allocated for issues like this.
- Chuck Camillio with the Midwest Flood Control Association spoke to those in attendance about the work that is being done at the legislative level to protect drainage districts. He also updated those in attendance about the Flood Risk and Flood Resiliency Study.

Commissioner Zollinger made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Shriver-Hackamack seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Meeting Adjourned