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STATE OF MICHIGAN  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

DR. TIM BORING  
DIRECTOR

## Notice of Drainage Board Meeting

### HUIZENGA INTERCOUNTY DRAIN

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Drainage Board for the said drain will be held in person at:

**2:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 19, 2023**  
**Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner**  
**12220 Fillmore, Conference Room F**  
**West Olive, Michigan**

The purpose of this meeting is to conduct necessary and appropriate business of the drainage board (see attached agenda) and any other business that may come before the Board.

Proceedings conducted at this public meeting are subject to the provisions of the Michigan Open Meetings Act.

Ken Yonker  
Kent County  
Drain Commissioner  
775 Ball Ave. N.E.  
Grand Rapids, MI 49503  
616-632-7910

Joe Bush  
Ottawa County  
Water Resources Commissioner  
12220 Fillmore, Rm 141  
West Olive, MI 49460  
616-994-4530

Those needing accommodations for effective participation in the meeting should contact the drain commissioner of their county at the number listed above or may use the Michigan Relay Center at 711 for deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired persons.

Dated on December 14, 2023.

Dr. Tim Boring, Director  
Michigan Department of  
Agriculture and Rural Development

Brady Harrington  
Deputy for the Director  
517-930-0551



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**SENT VIA EMAIL**

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RE: Huizenga Intercounty Drain

Dear Commissioners:

Enclosed is a Notice of Meeting. If accessible, please post it in your office or in your building where other such notices are posted. Also, in accordance with P.A. 528 of the Public Acts of 2012, if your county maintains a website that is accessible to the public, **this notice and agenda** shall be posted on the homepage or on a separate webpage dedicated to public notices.

Also, please prepare an Affidavit of Posting and forward one copy to this office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brady Harrington".

Brady Harrington  
Environmental Stewardship Division

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Enclosure

# Agenda

## Huizenga Intercounty Drain Drainage Board (Kent and Ottawa Counties)

**2:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 19, 2023**  
**Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner**  
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**West Olive, Michigan**

1. Call to order and roll call  
Board Members  
Brady Harrington, Chair, Michigan Dept. of Agriculture & Rural Development  
Ken Yonker, Kent County Drain Commissioner  
Joe Bush, Ottawa County Water Resources Commissioner
2. Motion to elect a Secretary
3. Review and set the agenda
4. Approval minutes of December 19, 2023
5. Communications and reports of board members, committees, and consultants
  - a. Authorize inter-drain borrowing from drain account
  - b. Receive the Treasurer's report
6. Approval of invoices
7. Other business
8. Public comment
9. Set the date, time, and location of the next meeting
10. Adjourn