

**Joint Drainage Authority Minutes for Le Sueur – Rice Counties - JD 38**  
**August 27, 2024**

The Le Sueur – Rice Drainage Authority for JD 38 met on Tuesday, August 27, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. in the Government Center in Le Center. Those members present: Bailey Bocchino, Jeff Docken, Dave Gliszinski, Nik Kadel, Danny O’Keefe, Dani Ongie, Dave Preisler, Jim Purfeerst and Pam Herrmann. John Kolb and Joe Martin attended virtually.

Chair Gliszinski called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

John Kolb with Rinke Noonan presented the purpose of hearing and procedural requirements.

Bailey Bocchino, ISG provided the Engineer’s Report.

There were 2 public comments:

Jerome Miller, 15563 Calmut Ave NE, Prior Lake

Ken Wetzel, 21104 Le Sueur Ave, Waterville

Preisler moved, Purfeerst seconded, motion carried unanimously to adopt Judicial Ditch 38 (JD38) Findings and Order.

- a) The Board accepts the modification of JD 38 as authorized and as detailed in the plans and specifications for the project.
- b) The Board adopts the revised as-built plans for JD 38 and assumes future responsibility for inspection and maintenance of the drainage system modifications as though the modifications were part of the original construction of JD 38.
- c) The Board authorizes the Auditor-Treasurer to reimburse Kilkenny Township the amount of \$61,975 as a cost of the drainage system.

O’Keefe moved, Docked seconded, motion carried unanimously to approve the assessment of \$62,711.42, or 4 1/2 % of the benefits for 3 years at a 4% interest rate.

Docken moved, O’Keefe seconded, motion carried unanimously to adjourn.

**ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Le Sueur County Administrator      Le Sueur – Rice Chairman Gliszinski**