

RESOLUTION 23-

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners has given careful consideration to the drainage system expenses per Minnesota Statute 103E.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the County Board hereby assesses the benefited acres located in the following drainage ditch systems.

<u>Drainage System</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Judicial Ditch 03	\$ 6,100.00
County Ditch 04	\$ 4,717.12
County Ditch 12	\$ 1,000.00
County Ditch 13	\$ 500.00
County Ditch 22	\$ 447.84
County Ditch 27	\$ 500.00
County Ditch 28	\$ 500.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Auditor-Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to spread such amount upon the tax rolls of the County for taxes payable in 2024 and that the collections on said levies be credited to their respective funds. Such assessment shall be as follows:

1. County Ditch 04 shall be assessed \$18,868.48, payable in four (4) yearly assessments of \$4,717.12, beginning with taxes payable in 2024 and ending with taxes payable in 2027. No interest shall be charged. County Ditch 04 parcels whose total assessment is \$100 or greater shall be allowed to pre-pay the assessment prior to December 31, 2023. Parcels that are not pre-paid by December 31, 2023 and all other parcels with total assessments under \$100 will have their assessment spread over 4 years with no interest to be charged.
2. All other assessments shall be payable as one annual installment with no interest to be charged.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Board hereby adopts the proposed drainage ditch assessment.

Adopted by the Stearns County Board of Commissioners this 14th day of November, 2023.

Joseph E. Perske, Chair, Stearns County Board of Commissioners

Attest: _____
Randy R. Schreifels Stearns County Auditor-Treasurer