

Eldora, Iowa
August 28, 1944

TO: Mr. Frank H. Mendell, State Conservationist
FROM: James C. Halasey, District Conservationist
SUBJECT: District Organization, Hardin County

Saturday evening, August 26th, the Hardin County Farm Bureau board voted to sponsor educational work preliminary to the organization of a Soil Conservation District.

We are holding a meeting of two or more interested leaders from all townships in the county next Friday evening, September 1st, to discuss the organization of a district. It is anticipated that this meeting will be followed by a series of township or community meetings for the distribution of petitions and instructions for signing the petitions.

A supply of petitions blanks and bulletins describing the district organization will be needed almost immediately.

I have contacted several camp cooperators and find that they are very pleased with results obtained from the application of conservation practices. Many non-cooperators are also aware of the results being obtained from conservation measures.

Farmers I have contacted usually have a good word for the camp technicians.

Elmer Rosenberger, Extension Director, wishes to complete the organization of the District as soon as possible.
