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COUNTY EITHER AS A PAID ITEM OR NEWS ITEM

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF IOWA

NOTICE OF ELECTION RESULT OF COMMISSIONER OF Des Moines County
SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

To all persons interested, notice is hereby given:

That the tabulations set out below give a full, correct, and true report
of the result of an election of a commissioner for the Des Moines County
Soil Conservation District held on the 10 day of February,
1966.

(A) Total votes cast in election	<u>128</u>
(B) Votes cast for commissioner	<u>127</u>

NAMES OF CANDIDATES	NO. OF VOTES
<u>Henry Dockendorf</u>	<u>106</u>
<u>Keith Renner</u>	<u>21</u>
<u>One spoiled</u>	<u>1</u>
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Henry Dockendorf, being the candidate who received
the largest number of votes, was declared the elected commissioner for said
district.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

BY Wendell C. Bellitt
Chairman

Dated this 10 day of February, 19 66.

(Section 50.24, Code of Iowa)

DES MOINES County, Iowa

We, the undersigned Members of the Board of Supervisors, and ex-officio Board of County Canvassers, for
DES MOINES County, hereby certify the following to be a true and correct abstract of the votes
cast in this county at the GENERAL Election held on the 3RD day of NOVEMBER, 1992,
as shown by the tally lists returned from the several election precincts.

For the office of SOIL & WATER COMMISSIONER there were SEVEN THOUSAND EIGHT
(Spell out number of votes in words)

7008

(Number of votes in numbers)

votes cast as follows:

F.C. SANDY HEDGES

(Candidate's Name)

received SEVEN THOUSAND EIGHT

(Spell out number)

7008

(Number)

votes

JEFF BERGMAN

received FIVE WRITE IN

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We therefore declare F.C. HEDGES & JEFF BERGMAN
(Name) duly elected to the office of
COMMISSIONER
(Office) for the term of SIX (6) YEARS
(District, if any) (Term)

For the office of there were
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ABSTRACT OF VOTES

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(Rev. Sept. 1989)

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CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

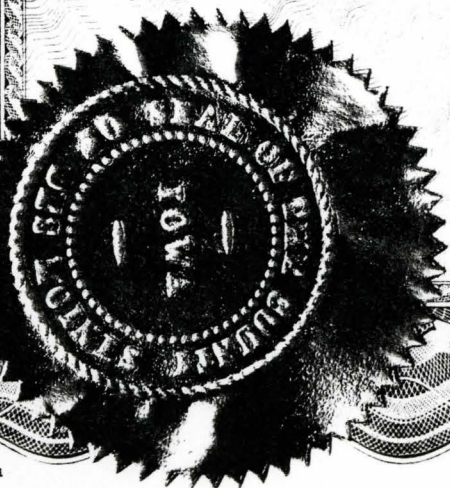


State of Iowa

DES MOINES
County

At an Election holden in said County on the THIRD day of NOVEMBER
A.D. 19 92, JEFF BERGMAN
was elected to the office of COMMISSIONER - SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
for the term of SIX years, from the FIRST
day of JANUARY A.D. 19 93, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Given this NINTH day of NOVEMBER A.D. 19 92



Stephen A. Pettit

Chairman Board of Canvassers.

Attest:

J. Victoria Leonard

County Commissioner of Elections (Clerk)

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION



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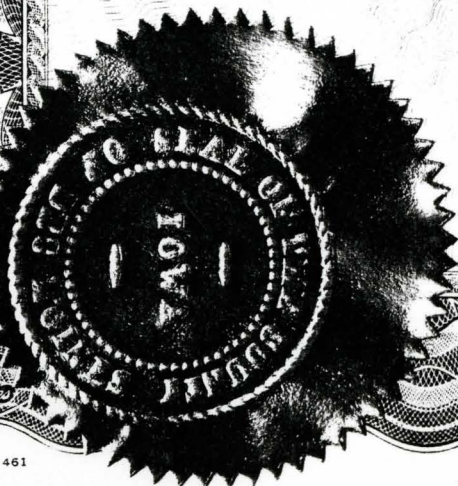
Stephen P. Little

Chairman Board of Canvassers.

Attest:

Victoria Leonard

County Commissioner of Elections (Clerk)



SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
ELECTION INFORMATION FOR THE
DES MOINES COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

COMMISSIONERS PRESENTLY SERVING:

Six Year Term	<u>Rex Troute</u>
Four Year Term	<u>Henry Dockendorff</u>
Two Year Term	<u>Harold Yohe</u> (Term which expires)

Since the Des Moines County Soil Conservation District election date falls on or after July 1, 1969, it will be necessary to elect enough commissioners to bring the total number of commissioners for the district from three to five.

The Law governing the election of commissioners now states in part: "7. Each district shall, at the next regular biennial election of a commissioner in that district after July 1, 1969, elect three commissioners whose terms shall each begin at the expiration of the term of the commissioner whose successor is to be elected at that election. The commissioner receiving the highest number of votes in such election shall serve a term of six years, the commissioner receiving the second highest number of votes shall serve a term of four years, and the commissioner receiving the third highest number of votes shall serve a term of two years."

After the election is held, the district will have one commissioner serving in the six year term, two commissioners serving in the four year term and two commissioners serving in the two year term. This is due to one commissioner being elected for the six year term, one for the four year term, and one for the two year term plus the two holdover commissioners, including Rex Troute who will serve in the four year term and Henry Dockendorff who will serve in the two year term, after the election, making a total of five commissioners for the district.

The number of commissioners the district will elect in succeeding years will be as follows and these will be for the six year term: 1971 - 2; 1973 - 2; 1975 - 1; 1977 - 2; 1979 - 2; 1981 - 1. This will hold true unless vacancies are created because of resignations or deaths and then the number of commissioners elected in a given year would increase.

The law also states in part: "the district shall consist of five commissioners, elected as provided in section four hundred sixty-seven A, point five (467A.5), who shall be residents of the district and no more than one of whom shall be a resident of any one voting precinct established pursuant to Chapter forty-nine (49) of the Code. No person shall be eligible to the office of commissioner who is a resident of a city or town not subject to the jurisdiction of the district, unless such person owns land in the district outside such city or town. - - - - -".

This is self explanatory in that not more than one commissioner may be a resident of the same voting precinct. However, this does not mean that not more than one candidate may be nominated from the same precinct. In the event more than one candidate is nominated from the same voting precinct, only the candidate receiving the highest number of votes will be eligible to serve as a commissioner and the remaining candidate(s) will be disqualified due to this change in the law.

This section of the law also states that a person who is a resident of a city or town, not subject to the jurisdiction of the district, may not be a commissioner unless the person is a landowner in the district outside the city or town. This means that a person living in a city must be a landowner in the district before being eligible to run for the office of district commissioner and if the person is an operator living in town and does not own land, he is not eligible. However, those operators living on farms within the district are eligible to be commissioners.

The official ballot for the district's election, which will increase the number of commissioners from three to five, will resemble the following example ballot:

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF IOWA

OFFICIAL BALLOT

July 16, 1969

ELECTION OF COMMISSIONERS OF POLK COUNTY

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

(Vote for Three)

☐

John Doe, Crocker Township

☐

Joe Smith, Washington Township

☐

Sam Jones, Franklin Township

☐

Dudley Hamsinger, Lincoln Township

☐

Elmer Somerville, Douglas Township

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Frank Jeffco, Lee Township

If the district is filling a vacancy in addition to electing three new commissioners the ballot would then appear as follows;

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FOR COMMISSIONER, POLK COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT,
FOR UNEXPIRED TERM ENDING (Charter Date)

(Vote for One)

☐

H. W. Dollar, Madison Township

☐

S. E. Bluebonnet, Union Township

☐

I. W. Doe, Four Mile Township

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STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF IOWA

NOTICE OF ELECTION RESULT OF COMMISSIONERS OF Des Moines
COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT.

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

That the tabulations set out below give a full, correct, and
true report of the result of an election of commissioners for
the Des Moines County Soil Conservation Dis-
trict held on the 12 day of February, 19 70.

<u>NAMES OF ALL CANDIDATES</u>	<u>NO. OF VOTES RECEIVED</u>
<u>S. S. Barton</u>	<u>59 4^{ys}</u>
<u>Clyde Scherer</u>	<u>27</u>
<u>Albert Schultz</u>	<u>62 6^{ys}</u>
<u>Darrell Tucker</u>	<u>44</u>
<u>William Vierling</u>	<u>51 2^{ys}</u>
	<u>243</u>

TOTAL VOTES CAST IN ELECTION:

THEREFOR, ALBERT SCHULTZ, S.S. BARTON,
and WILLIAM VIERLING, being the candidates who received
the largest number of votes, were declared the elected commissioners of
said district.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

BY:

Wayne Casey
Chairman

Dated this 12th day of February, 19 70.

(PLEASE RETURN ONE COPY TO THE STATE OFFICE)

Notice sent to Hawkeye - New ERA, Register who, KBR, KYND

NOTE: TO BE PRINTED 1 ICE - SIX DAYS APART - BEFORE DATE OF ELECTION IN PAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN COUNTY.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF IOWA -- NOTICE OF ELECTION OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE DES MOINES COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT, EMBRACING LANDS LYING IN THE COUNTY OF DES MOINES IN THE STATE OF IOWA:

To all owners and/or operators of lands lying within the DES MOINES County Soil Conservation District, comprising the territory described as follows:

All land lying within the boundaries of DES MOINES County, Iowa, exclusive of incorporated cities and towns.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of FEBRUARY, 1970, between the hours of 11:00 A. M, and 2:00 P. M, an election will be held for the election of ~~a~~ commissioner^s for the DES MOINES County Soil Conservation District.

All owners and/or operators of lands lying within the above mentioned territory are eligible to vote.

Polling places for the election are as follows:

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM
BURLINGTON, IOWA

Eligible voters residing within the district shall cast their ballots at one of the polling places. Eligible voters not residing within the district, or who will be absent from the district on the day of election, may apply in person or in writing to the County Auditor at BURLINGTON, Iowa, for "absentee ballots." Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location, and acreage of land owned or possessed, and interest therein.

State Soil Conservation Committee

By: Wayne Casey
Chairman *JK*

*copy sent
to Hawkeye*

(NOTE: To Be Printed Twice - Six (6) Days Apart Before Date Of
Election In Paper Of General Circulation In County.)

DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION
STATE OF IOWA

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE Des Moines County
SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT, ENCOMPASSING LANDS LYING IN THE COUNTY OF
Des Moines IN THE STATE OF IOWA:

TO ALL QUALIFIED ELECTORS RESIDING WITHIN THE Des Moines
COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 10 DAY OF February,
19 72, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10 A.M., AND 1 P.M., AN ELECTION
WILL BE HELD FOR THE ELECTION OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE Des Moines
COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT.

POLLING PLACES FOR THE ELECTION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Municipal Auditorium
Burlington, Iowa

ELIGIBLE VOTERS RESIDING WITHIN THE DISTRICT SHALL CAST THEIR
BALLOTS AT ONE OF THE POLLING PLACES. ELIGIBLE VOTERS WHO WILL BE
ABSENT FROM THE DISTRICT ON THE DAY OF ELECTION, MAY APPLY IN PERSON,
OR IN WRITING, TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR AT Burlington,
IOWA, FOR "ABSENTEE BALLOTS". EACH APPLICANT FOR AN ABSENTEE BALLOT
SHALL STATE HIS NAME AND ADDRESS WHEN APPLICATION FOR SUCH BALLOT IS
MADE.

DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION

BY: George K. Arman
CHAIRMAN, STATE SOIL CONSERVATION
COMMITTEE
DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION

(PLEASE RETURN ONE COPY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION.)

District File Copy

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DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION

STATE OF IOWA

RESULT OF Des Moines COUNTY

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSIONER ELECTION

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

That the tabulations set out below give a full, correct, and true report of the result of an election of commissioner(s) in the

Des Moines County Soil Conservation District held on the 18th day of February, 19 74.

<u>NAMES OF ALL CANDIDATES</u>	<u>No. of Votes Received</u>
<u>Wayne Carter</u>	<u>33</u>
<u>William Vierling</u>	<u>62</u>
<u>Joseph T. Beckman</u>	<u>53</u>
<u>Jack Jacobs</u>	<u>48</u>
<u>Charles Matsch</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>Ray Pilling</u>	<u>76</u>
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DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION

By: Ronald L. Johnson
Chairman, State Soil Conservation
Committee, Department of Soil
Conservation

Dated this 18th day of February, 19 74.

NOTE: If two candidates live in the same voting precinct and each receives a sufficient number of votes to be declared a winner, an explanation will have to be given regarding why only the person receiving the highest number of votes can serve as a commissioner. This is due to the change in the State Soil Conservation Law which states that not more than one commissioner can serve from any one voting precinct at the same time.

(PLEASE RETURN ONE COPY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION)

DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION
STATE OF IOWA

TALLY OF VOTES

ELECTION OF Des Moines COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER(S).

DATE OF ELECTION: Feb. 18, 1974

POLLING PLACE: Burlington, Iowa

BALLOTS CAST: 98

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Dwight Stuckler
JUDGE
Ray H. Monte
JUDGE
Paul Shumaker
JUDGE

DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION

STATE OF IOWA

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Dwight Stucker
JUDGE
Lee H. Trout
JUDGE
Carl Schumaker
JUDGE

Des Moines County Soil Conservation District

ROOM 230 - FEDERAL BLDG., P.O. BOX 537
BURLINGTON, IOWA 52601 - PHONE 754-8983

November 8, 1976

TO: WILLIAM H. GREINER
COMMISSIONERS: DEPARTMENT OF SOIL CONSERVATION

RE: 1976 GENERAL ELECTION OF SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT
COMMISSIONERS IN DES MOINES COUNTY

Des Moines County elected two candidates to the office of soil conservation district commissioner. There was only one candidate on the ballot for each of the two offices.

	<u>Six-Year Term</u>	<u>Two-Year Unexpired Term</u>
NAME	Rex H. Troute	Clyde W. Scherer
ADDRESS	Rt. 1 Burlington, IA 52601	Rt. 1 Burlington, IA 52601
TELEPHONE NO.	(319) 752-7561	(319) 752-8074
RESIDING TOWNSHIP	Concordia	Union
SOCIAL SECURITY NO.	*	485-24-2781
NO. OF VOTES CAST	<u>1,173</u>	<u>1,243</u>

*We have been unable to contact Rex H. Troute to obtain his social security number, so we'll inform you on this later.

Sincerely,

Dorothy E. Davis

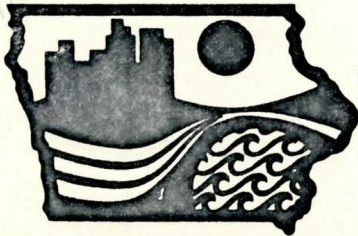
Dorothy E. Davis
District Clerk

November 9, 1976

Rex H. Troute's Social Security No. - 349-28-9908

Dorothy Davis

Iowa Department of Soil Conservation



Grimes State Office Building / Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Telephone: (515) 281-5851

William H. Greiner, Director

December 16, 1976

TO: SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

RE: JANUARY MEETING OF DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

It has come to our attention that a number of districts are not aware of the following provision of House File 54, the act which changed the manner of election of soil conservation district commissioners:

"The commissioners of each soil conservation district shall convene on the first day of January that is not a Sunday or holiday in each odd-numbered year. Those commissioners whose term of office begins on that day shall take the oath of office prescribed by section sixty-three point ten (63.10) of the Code. The commissioners shall then organize by election of a chairman and a vice chairman."

In accordance with this portion of the law, a meeting of commissioners in each district should be held January 3, 1977. At that time commissioners whose terms of office begin on that date must take the oath of office and the district governing body should elect a chairman, vice chairman, treasurer, and secretary.

It should be noted that the Department of Soil Conservation will no longer be issuing certificates to commissioners upon their election. The county commissioner of elections should provide a certificate of election to these individuals. The Department will continue to issue certificates to retiring commissioners, commissioners appointed to fill a vacancy, and assistant commissioners.

Following the January 3rd commissioners meeting, your district clerk should complete the bottom portion of this sheet and return it to the Department of Soil Conservation. The directory of soil conservation district commissioners of Iowa will be revised in January and this information is needed for inclusion. Also, if there are any changes in your district's listing in the directory, please advise this office.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Greiner

William H. Greiner
Director

The names of William Vierling and Jack Jacobs should be omitted from the directory.

Clyde W. Scherer, Commissioner, should be added.
His address - Rt. 1, Burlington, IA 52601
Phone number - (319) 752-8074

Des Moines

County Soil Conservation District

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Mailing Address</u>	<u>Phone No.</u>
CHM	Dwight Stucker,	New London, IA 52645	(319) 392-4665
V CHM	Ray W. Pilling,	Mediapolis, IA 52637	(319) 394-3577
TREAS	Horace Sutton, Jr.,	P.O. Box 953, Burlington, IA 52601	(319) 752-6819
SECY	Harold Linder,	Sperry, IA 52650	(319) 985-2415

State Soil Conservation Committee Members

J. Thomas Kenny, Akron
Chairman

Walter Hagen, Waterville
Vice Chairman

George Annan, Clarinda
Carroll Hagen, Eldon

Donald Johnson, Fairfield

Gerald Norland, Cylinder

DATE: November 16, 1978

TO: Iowa Department of Soil Conservation
State Capitol Complex
Des Moines, IA 50319

FROM: Des Moines County Soil Conservation District
P.O. Box 637
Burlington, IA 52601

RE: Election Results

Two Des Moines County soil conservation district commissioners were elected to six-year terms in the November 1978 general election. Their names, home address, telephone number, and township are as follows:

Douglas L. Cling, Rt. 2, Mediapolis, IA 52637, 319-394-9213, Huron Twp.

James (Sam) Jennison, Rt. 3, Burlington, IA 52601, 319-753-1450, Flint River Twp.

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR IOWA SOIL CONSERVATION BOOK

This form should be used to identify the most important figure in the soil and water conservation movement in your soil conservation district. Each of these questions should be self-explanatory; however, if you have any questions, let us know. Our objective is simply to give recognition to one early Iowa soil conservation leader in each SCD, and events of major importance to the movement in this state.

1. Our most important soil conservation figure has been _____

Walter Eyre

2. He/she is our nominee because (list contributions to soil conservation movement)

See attached sheet.

3. His/her relationship to the district, if any? _____

Secretary, Commissioner and Chairman

4. His/her years of service? 5 years as secretary; 6 years as commissioner,
4 years as chairman.

5. Additional comments? (Use back side of this questionnaire, please.)

6. What was the most significant soil and water conservation event, project, or development in your district? When did it occur? Why was it so important?

See attached sheet

(Your signature)

Ray D. Pilling

(Soil Conservation District)

Des Moines County

(date)

January 9, 1980

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR IOWA SOIL CONSERVATION BOOK

2. He/she is our nominee because:

Walter Eyre was instrumental in setting up a referendum to form the district and to elect commissioners. The referendum was held January 26, 1946. He was immediately appointed secretary. He served as secretary to the district through August 31, 1951.

Through the years 1944 to 1951, Walter Eyre was the Extension Director of Des Moines County and in that position he promoted conservation and education in the rural areas of the county. The Soil Conservation District and Extension worked very closely holding tours, field days, demonstrations and soil management programs.

Walter Eyre was elected district soil commissioner in January 1954 and served for six years. He was elected chairman in January 1956 and served four years.

For many years he wrote a news column, "Off the Cob" for the Hawkeye Gazette in Burlington.

Walter Eyre served as agricultural representative in the loan department of Farmers and Merchants Bank of Burlington from September 1951 to July 1967 and was a career underwriter for the Farm Bureau Insurance until his death in 1976.

Walter Eyre graduated from Iowa State University in 1926 and held many public service positions over the years. He was co-chairman of the Community Chest in 1965, chairman in 1966-67, president in 1968, president of the Executive Club, member of the State Advisory Committee of Farmers Home Administration in 1957, member of the Burlington School Board and president in 1968 and a member of the Hawkeye Fair Board. He was the first layman to be elected president of the Burlington Council of Churches.

6. What was the most significant soil and water conservation event, project, or development in your district? When did it occur? Why was it so important?

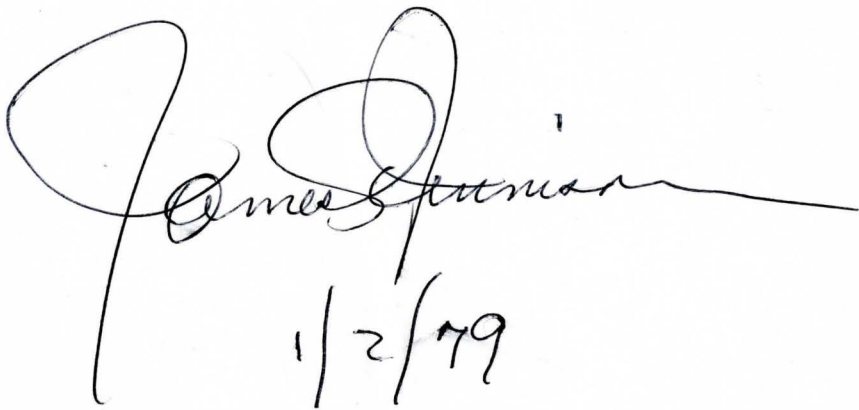
A broad education program carried on by the district in the late 1940's was of major importance to soil conservation in the district. Many field days, demonstrations and tours were held to arouse general interest and promote conservation practices.

The following paragraphs were taken from the district 1948 annual report.

"Probably the major event of the year was a demonstration and field day held on the farms of John Blaul, Kenneth Redfern and Plon Oberman. Here in one day we demonstrated most of the conservation measures that could be shown at that time of year. This included construction of diversions and terraces using four different kinds of equipment, filling gullies and building watercourses with heavy equipment and with regular farm equipment an old bluegrass pasture was prepared for reseeding. Also, demonstrated was the spraying of weeds and shrubs in pasture clearing. A contour plowing contest was held as a part of the day's activities. There were observational plots of various forage plants and areas of pasture renovation, some new and others of various ages to demonstrate the value of improved bluegrass pasture. Although it was necessary to postpone the event a day because of rain, there was an attendance of approximately 4,000 people. This field day was held in cooperation with the Louisa County Soil Conservation District who together with the Burlington Hawk-Eye Gazette were the co-sponsors. Much credit must go to this newspaper, local contractors, equipment dealers, bankers, merchants, Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service and the farm bureau ladies for helping with the arrangements."

"Walter Eyre, County Extension Director, carried on a definite program of showing soil conservation films during the winter and spring months. He used them on perhaps 15 to 20 special programs. After the conservation field day, colored slides of the event were shown to several groups of people."

"I JAMES S. LEWISON, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constituion of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of SOIL CONSERVATION COMMISSIONER (naming it) in (naming the township, city, county, district, or state, as the case may be), as now or hereafter required by law."


1/2/79

OATH

"I, Leonard Lane, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of Soil Conservation Commissioner as now or hereafter required by law."

Leonard L. Lane

The above being certified by Wesley S. Cahill
Judge of District Court

OATH

"I, Hayne Ertzinger, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of Soil Conservation Commissioner as now or hereafter required by law."

Hayne Ertzinger

The above being certified by William S. Cahill
Judge of District Court

"I Douglas L. Ching, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constituion of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of District Soil Conservation Commissioners (naming it) in (naming the township, city, county, district, or state, as the case may be), as now or hereafter required by law."

Douglas L. Ching
Sworn to before me this 4th day of
January, 1979.

Myranell Dockendorff



MAR 16 1983

"I, William C. Walker do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States of America and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of Soil Commissioner in Des Moines County as now or hereafter required by law."

(s) William C Walker

March 8, 1983

Myranell Dockendorff
Des Moines County Auditor

FILED
MYRANELL DOCKENDORFF
Des Moines County Auditor

MAR 8 1983

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I, Donald W. Mathews, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and Impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of Soil Conservation Commissioner in Des Moines County as now or hereafter required by law.

Donald W. Mathews

Sworn to before me by Donald W. Mathews on this 14th day of December, 1982.

Myranell Dockendorff
Des Moines County Auditor

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MYRANELL DOCKENDORFF
Des Moines County Auditor

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Jan. 1985

OATH OF OFFICE

"I, Keith B Renner, DO SOLEMNLY
SWEAR THAT I WILL SUPPORT THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED
STATES AND THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF IOWA, AND THAT I
WILL FAITHFULLY AND IMPARTIALLY, TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY
DISCHARGE ALL THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE OF Sail Conservation
IN DES MOINES COUNTY, AS NOW OR HEREAFTER REQUIRED BY LAW."

ATTESTED BY:

Keith B Renner
Jacqueline V. Leonard
deputy auditor

Des Moines

County Soil Conservation District

1. Commissioners elected at November 4 election who are filling unexpired terms -

<u>Name</u>	<u>Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Telephone #</u>	<u>Social Security #</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
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2. Commissioners elected at November 4 election who will be taking office in January 1987 and have been appointed as assistant commissioners to attend the annual conference - appointment date 11/19/86 -

<u>Name</u>	<u>Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Telephone #</u>	<u>Social Security #</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
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Lloyd F. Schmeiser, R.R. 2, Burlington, IA 52601	Benton	319-937-6465	479-46-7867	1/2/93	12/31/92
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PLEASE GIVE COMPLETE INFORMATION (INCLUDING TELEPHONE AREA CODE). THIS INFORMATION MUST BE SENT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE OR A DELAY WILL OCCUR WHEN THE INDIVIDUAL SUBMITS EXPENSES FOR REIMBURSEMENT. PLEASE RETURN TO THE DIVISION OF SOIL CONSERVATION NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 14. THANK YOU.

NOV 26 1984

**DES MOINES COUNTY
AUDITOR
and
COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS**

Mrs. Myranell Dockendorff
Auditor

P.O. Box 784
Burlington, Iowa
52601-0784

(319) 753-8232

Carol Copeland
Deputy

Vicki Leonard
Deputy

November 20, 1984

Soil Conservation Service
Main and Jefferson
Burlington, Iowa 52601

Dear Sirs,

This is to certify the results of the November 6, 1984 election:
The following gentlemen were running for two positions on the Soil Conservation Commission.

Lyndell Honson received 1,720 votes
Keith B. Renner received 2145 votes
Sherman A. Smith received 2594 votes
William C. Walker received 2060 votes

According to the records, Keith B. Renner and Sherman A. Smith will be the new members of the Soil Conservation Commission.

Sincerely,



Des Moines Co. Auditor
Commissioner of Elections

ORGANIZATION OF IOWA SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICTS
DATE CHARTER RECEIVED BY DISTRICT

<u>SCD No.</u>	<u>Official District Name</u>	<u>Charter Received</u>
1	Montgomery	5-10-40
2	Adair County	7-9-40
3	Clayton County	6-5-40
4	Lucas County	7-13-40
5	Marion County	4-22-40
6	Taylor County	11-9-40
7	Monona County (original name was Soldier-Maple Valley)	9-19-40
8	Van Buren County	10-1-40
9	Mills County	6-25-41
10	Fremont County	6-30-41
11	Crawford County	7-8-41
12	Linn County	7-30-41
13	Wapello County	7-17-41
14	Winneshiek County	7-17-41
15	Page County	10-13-41
16	Jefferson County	8-16-41
17	Wayne County	10-22-41
18	Woodbury County	1-7-42
19	Tama County	1-21-42
20	Harrison County	1-26-42
21	Shelby County	4-7-42
22	Audubon County	3-23-42
23	Jones County	3-23-42
24	Allamakee County	3-6-42
25	Mahaska County	2-25-42
26	Jasper County	4-13-42
27	Cass County	8-25-42
28	Madison County	10-5-42
29	Decatur County	11-20-42
30	East Pottawattamie County	11-20-42
31	Union County	5-28-43
32	Adams County	5-4-43
33	Ringgold County	12-20-43
34	Keokuk County	10-25-43
35	Warren County	2-16-44
36	Appanoose County	3-22-44
37	Webster County	4-28-44
38	Washington County	4-18-44
39	West Pottawattamie County	4-28-44
40	Jackson County	2-16-44
41	Dickinson County	2-4-44
42	Cherokee County	4-18-44
43	Monroe County	5-25-44
44	Delaware County	9-29-44
45	Davis County	9-29-44
46	Henry County	10-20-44
47	Carroll County	1-17-45
48	Lee County	1-12-45
49	Hardin County	4-12-45
50	Ida County	2-19-45

2-Organization of Iowa Soil Conservation Districts

<u>SCD No.</u>	<u>Official District Name</u>	<u>Charter Received</u>
51	Humboldt County	4-4-45
52	Dubuque County	3-26-45
53	Clarke County	4-3-45
54	Poweshiek County	4-26-45
55	Iowa County	6-22-45
56	Louisa County	4-28-45
57	Guthrie County	12-18-45
58	Marshall County	6-22-45
59	Black Hawk County	7-30-45
60	Benton County	7-30-45
61	Grundy County	2-6-46
62	Polk County	12-29-45
63	Wright County	3-18-46
64	Johnson County	3-26-46
65	Dallas County	5-10-46
66	Cedar County	3-11-46
67	Boone County	3-25-46
68	Hancock County	5-10-46
69	O'Brien County	5-10-46
✓70	Des Moines County	2-28-46
71	Greene County	4-23-46
72	Scott County	5-14-46
73	Hamilton County	5-10-46
74	Muscatine County	5-14-46
75	Winnebago County	7-11-46
76	Plymouth County	7-22-46
77	Sac County	5-28-46
78	Fayette County	4-11-46
79	Buchanan County	7-11-46
80	Calhoun County	6-28-46
81	Pocahontas County	5-21-46
82	Buena Vista County	11-27-46
83	Emmet County	3-18-47
84	Butler County	5-13-47
85	Floyd County	4-11-47
86	Kossuth County	3-18-47
87	Franklin County	7-7-47
88	Story County	5-13-47
89	Cerro Gordo County	10-27-47
90	Clinton County	2-4-48
91	Chickasaw County	6-2-48
92	Worth County	8-13-48
93	Clay County	5-5-49
94	Palo Alto County	5-5-49
95	Sioux County	5-5-49
96	Bremer County	5-19-49
97	Osceola County	4-18-50
98	Lyon County	4-18-50
99	Mitchell County	4-25-50
100	Howard County	2-11-52

Des Moines

County Soil Conservation District

Commissioners	Name	Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)	Township	Telephone # (Area Code)	Social Security #	Term Expires
	1. Sherman A. Smith, 1115 Summer St., Burlington 52601		Burlington	319/752-3603	478-14-4970	12/31/90
	2. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis 52637		Yellow Spring	319/394-3307	482-48-0124	12/31/86
	3. Keith Renner,	Danville 52623	Danville	319/392-4284	485-32-7840	12/31/90
	4. Donald W. Mathews, Rt. 2,	Danville, 52623	Pleasant Grove	319/392-8872	482-56-8769	12/31/88
	5. Wayne L. Ertzinger, Rt. 1, Box 57, Burlington 52601		Union	319/752-8097	484-48-7279	12/31/86

Directory
Information

CHM Sherman A. Smith

V CHM Leonard L. Lane

TREAS Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601 Burlington 319/752-6819 480-01-7289

SECY Dorothy E. Davis, Room 230 Federal Bldg., Burlington 52601 319/753-6221 485-28-6386

Assistant
Commissioners

1. Roger Gay, c/o First National Bank, P.O. Box 1088, Burlington 319/752-2761 478-70-2205 12-31-86

2. Harold Linder, Sperry, 52650 Franklin 319/985-2415 483-34-6408 12-31-86

3. William C. Walker, Rt. 1, Mediapolis 52637 Benton 319/937-6402 482-48-0164 12-31-86

4. James S. Jennison, 860 Washington, Burlington 52601 Flint River 319/753-1667 484-36-6352 12-31-86

5. Barbara A. Bonnett, Rt. 1, Box 61A, Burlington 52601 Union 319/752-3224 478-38-2174 12-31-86

6. Arlyn Musselman, Southeastern Community College 319/752-2731 359-38-9823 12-31-86

1015 Gear Ave., P.O. Drawer F, 12-31-86

West Burlington 52655 12-31-86

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Des Moines

County Soil Conservation District

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2. Wayne L. Ertzinger, Rt. 1, Box 57, Burlington 52601		Union	(319)752-8097	484-48-7279	1-2-87
3. Donald W. Mathews, Danville 52623		Pleasant Grove	(319)392-8872	482-56-8769	1-2-89
4. Sherman A. Smith, 1115 Summer St. Burlington 52601		Burlington	(319)752-3603	478-14-4970	1-2-91
5. Keith B. Renner, Danville 52623		Danville	(319)392-4284	485-32-7840	1-2-91

CHM Leonard L. Lane

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SECY Dorothy E. Davis, Room 230, Federal Bldg., Burlington 52601 (319) 753-6221 485-28-6386

Effective
Date

1/2	1.	Harold Linder, Sperry, Iowa 52650	(319) 985-2415	483-346408	12-31-85
1/2	2.	Barbara A. Bonnett, Rt. 1, Box 61A, Burlington 52601	(319) 752-3224	478-38-2174	12-31-85
1/2	3.	James S. Jennison, 860 Washington, Burlington 52601	(319) 753-1667	484-36-6352	12-31-85
1/2	4.	William C. Walker, Rt. 1, Mediapolis, Iowa 52637	(319) 937-6402	482-48-0164	12-31-85
1/25	5.	Roger L. Gay, c/o First National Bank, P.O. Box 1088, Burlington 52601	(319) 752-2761	478-70-2205	12-31-85
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Des Moines

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2. Wayne L. Ertzinger, Rt. 1, Box 57, Burlington 52601		Union	(319)752-8097	484-48-7279	1-2-87
3. Donald W. Mathews, Danville 52623		Pleasant Grove	(319)392-8872	482-56-8769	1-2-89
4. Sherman A. Smith, 1115 Summer St. Burlington 52601		Burlington	(319)752-3603	478-14-4970	1-2-91
5. Keith B. Renner, Danville 52623		Danville	(319)392-4284	485-32-7840	1-2-91

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List the commissioners, their address, town, zip code, phone number, and township.
In the left-hand margin, indicate the year their terms will expire.

1/85	1. James S. Jennison, 860 Washington, Burlington, Iowa, 319-753-1667, Flint River Twp.
1/85	2. Douglas L. Cling, Rt. 2, Mediapolis, Iowa 52637 -----319-394-9213, Huron Twp. Vacated
1/87	3. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis, Iowa 52637, 319-394-3307, Yellow Springs Twp.
1/87	4. Wayne L. Ertzinger, Rt. 1, Box 57, Burlington, Iowa 52601, 319-752-8097, Union Twp.
1/89	5. Donald W. Mathews, Danville, Iowa 52623, 319-392-8872, Pleasant Grove Twp.

Officers of the District (for use in Department Directory)

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address (ZIP)</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
CHM:	James S. Jennison,	860 Washington, Burlington, Iowa 52601	319-753-1667
V CHM:	Leonard L. Lane,	Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis, IA 52637	319-394-3307
TREAS:	Horace Sutton, Jr.,	P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601	319-752-6819
SECY:	Dorothy E. Davis,	P.O. Box 637, Burlington 52601	319-753-6221

Assistant Commissioners (name, address)

Harold Linder	Sperry, Iowa 52650
Barbara Bonnett	Rt. 1, Box 61A, Burlington, Iowa 52601
Sherman Smith	1115 Summer St., Burlington, Iowa 52601
Keith Renner	Danville, Iowa 52623

When we ask for this information, it may sometimes seem repetitious to you; but when information is omitted from the form, we have to either look it up or call you. Please be complete. Thanks for your help. If other changes should be made for your district's entry in the DSC Directory, please note them below.

Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Telephone #</u> <u>(Area Code)</u>	<u>Social Security #</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Commissioners	1. <u>Sherman A. Smith, 704 S. 9th St., Burlington, 52601</u>		Burlington	319-752-1828	478-14-4970	1/2/91
	2. <u>Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis, 52637</u>		Yellow Spring	319-394-3307	482-48-0124	1/2/93
	3. <u>Keith Renner, Danville, 52623</u>		Danville	319-392-4284	485-32-7840	1/2/91
	4. <u>Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Rt. 2, Burlington, 52601</u>		Benton	319-937-6465	479-46-7867	1/2/93
	5. <u>Charles T. Nealey, Rt. 2, Danville, 52623</u>		Pleasant Grove	319-392-4543	482-56-7927	1/2/95
Directory Information	CH <u>Sherman A. Smith</u>					
	V-CH <u>Leonard L. Lane</u>					
	TREAS <u>Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington, IA 52601</u>			319- 752-6819	480-01-7289	
	SECY <u>Dorothy E. Davis, 1104 Derek Lincoln Drive, West Burlington 52655</u>			319-753-6221	485-28-6386	
Assistant Commissioners	1. <u>William C. Walker, Rt. 1, Mediapolis, 52637</u>			319-937-6402	482-48-0164	12-31-89
	2. <u>Arlyn Musselman, c/o Southeastern Community College, P.O. Drawer F, West Burlington, 52655</u>			319-752-2731	359-38-9823	12-31-89
	3. <u>Jeff S. Bergman, Rt. 2, Box 320-A, Burlington, 52601</u>			319-753-8260	484-68-6812	12-31-89
	4. <u>Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington, IA 52601</u>			319-752-6819	480-01-7289	12-31-89
	5. <u>Gary Wagner, Rt. 5, Box 287, Burlington, IA 52601</u>			319-652-8476	483-34-6127	12-31-89
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Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

	Name	Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)	Township	Telephone #	Social Security #	Term Expires
				(Area Code)		
Commissioners	1. Sherman A. Smith,	704 S. 9th St., Burlington, 52601	Burlington	319-752-1828	478-14-4970	1/2/91
	2. Leonard L. Lane,	Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis, 52637	Yellow Springs	319-394-3307	482-48-0124	1/2/93
	3. Keith B. Renner,	Danville, 52623	Danville	319-392-4284	485-32-7840	1/2/91
	4. Lloyd F. Schmeiser,	Rt. 2, Burlington, 52601	Benton	319-937-6465	479-46-7867	1/2/93
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Directory Information	CH	Sherman A. Smith				
	V-CH	Leonard L. Lane				
	TREAS	Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington, 52601		319-752-6819	480-01-7289	
	SECY	Dorothy E. Davis, 1104 Derek Lincoln Dr., West Burlington 52655		319-753-6221	485-28-6386	
Assistant Commissioners	1. William C. Walker,	Rt. 1, Mediapolis, 52637		319-937-6402	482-48-0164	12-31-90
	2. Arlyn Musselman,	c/o Southeastern Community College, P.O. Drawer F, West Burlington, 52655		319-752-2731	359-38-9823	12-31-90
	3. Jeff S. Bergman,	Rt. 2, Box 320-A, Burlington, 52601		319-753-8260	484-68-6812	12-31-90
	4. Horace Sutton,	P.O. Box 953, Burlington, 52601		319-652-6819	480-01-7289	12-31-90
	5. Gary Wagner,	Rt. 5, Box 287, Burlington, 52601		319-652-8476	483-34-6127	12-31-90
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Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

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Commissioners	1. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis 52637		Yellow Springs	319-394-3307	482-48-0124	1/2/93
	2. Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Rt. 2, Burlington 52601		Benton	319-937-6465	479-46-7867	1/2/93
	3. Charles T. Nealey, Rt. 2, Danville 52623		Pleasant Grove	319-392-4543	482-56-7927	1/2/95
	4. Sherman A. Smith, 704 S. 9th St., Burlington 52601		Burlington	319-752-1828	478-14-4970	1/2/97
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	V CH Sherman A. Smith					
	TREAS Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601			319-752-6819	480-01-7289	
	SECY Dorothy E. Davis, P.O. Box 547, West Burlington 52655			319-753-6221	485-28-6386	
Assistant Commissioners	1. William C. Walker, Rt. 1, Mediapolis 52637			319-937-6402	482-48-0164	12/31/91
	2. Arlyn Musselman, Rt. 1, ⁵⁴⁷⁶ Carman, IL 61425			319-752-2731	359-38-9823	12/31/91
	3. Jeff S. Bergman, Rt. 2, Box 320-A, Burlington 52601			319-753-8260	484-68-6812	12/31/91
	4. Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601			319-652-6819	480-01-7289	12/31/91
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Please complete and return to the Division of Soil Conservation by January 4, 1991. Information according to the columns at the top should be filled in for every person named. If your district's section in the DSC Directory is incorrect, Please make a note below.

Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

Date of SWCD Meeting - January 2, 1992

COMMISSIONERS

Name	Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)	Township	Telephone # (Area Code)	Social Security #	Term Expires
1. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis 52637		Yellow Springs	(319) 394-3307	482-48-0124	1/2/93
2. Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Rt. 2, Burlington 52601		Benton	(319) 937-6465	479-46-7867	1/2/93
3. Charles T. Nealey, Rt. 2, Danville 52623		Pleasant Grove	(319) 392-4543	482-56-7927	1/2/95
4. Sherman A. Smith, 704 S. 9th St., Burlington 52601		Burlington	(319) 752-1828	478-14-4970	1/2/97
5. Gary Wagner, Rt. 5, Box 287, Burlington 52601		Tama <i>Flint River</i>	(319) 752-8476	483-34-6127	1/2/97

CH Lloyd F. Schmeiser

V CH Sherman A. Smith

TREAS Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington

(319) 752-6819 480-01-7289

SECY Dorothy E. Davis, P.O. Box 547, West Burlington 52655

(319) 753-6221 485-28-6386

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS

1. Arlyn Musselman, Rt. 1, Box 76, Carman, IL 61425	(319) 752-2731	359-38-9823	12/31/92
2. Jeff S. Bergman, Rt. 2, Box 320-A, Burlington 52601	(319) 753-8260	484-68-6812	12/31/92
3. Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601	(319) 652-6819	480-01-7289	12/31/92
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Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

Date of SWCD Meeting - January 6, 1993

<u>Name</u>	<u>Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Telephone # (Area Code)</u>	<u>Social Security #</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
1. Charles T. Nealey, Rt. 2, Danville 52623		Pleasant Grove	(319) 392-4543	482-56-7927	1/2/95
2. Sherman A. Smith, 704 S. 9th St., Burlington 52601		Burlington	(319) 752-1828	478-14-4970	1/2/97
3. Gary Wagner, Rt. 5, Box 287, Burlington 52601		Flint River	(319) 752-8476	483-34-6127	1/2/97
4. Jeff S. Bergman, Rt. 2, Box 320-A, Burlington 52601		Tama	(319) 753-8260	484-68-6812	1/2/99
5. Frank C. Hedges, Rt. 1, Box 54, Oakville 52646-9617		Huron	(319) 766-3143	484-52-3610	1/2/99
CH Gary Wagner (see above)					
V CH Sherman A. Smith (see above)					
TREAS Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601			(319) 752-6819	480-01-7289	12/31/93
SECY Dorothy E. Davis, P.O. Box 547, West Burlington 52655			(319) 753-6221	485-28-6386	12/31/93
1. Horace Sutton (see above)					12/31/93
2. Arlyn Musselman, Rt. 1, Box 76, Carman, IL 61425			(319) 752-2731	359-38-9823	12/31/93
3. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis 52637			(319) 394-3307	482-48-0124	12/31/93
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Mailed 1/21/93

SWCD Program Profile

Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

In each category, please fill in all blanks to accurately reflect the situation in your district.

Current SWCD Commissioners

In the November 1990 elections, candidates for SWCD commissioner and election results were:

Candidates (show number)

Male	<u>1</u>
Female	<u>0</u>
Minority*	<u>0</u>

Elected as New Commissioner

Male	<u>2</u>
Female	<u>0</u>
Minority*	<u>0</u>

Current Membership on SWCD Board

Male	<u>5</u>
Female	<u>0</u>
Minority*	<u>0</u>

Current SWCD Assistant Commissioners

Male	<u>3</u>
Female	<u>0</u>
Minority*	<u>0</u>

Current Non-Commissioner or Non-Assistant Commissioners

Serving on SWCD Task Forces, Committees, etc.

Male	<u>0</u>
Female	<u>0</u>
Minority*	<u>0</u>

*Indicate how many, either male or female, are of Asian (or Pacific Islander), American Indian, Black (not of Hispanic origin) or Hispanic origin.

Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship

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DALE M. COCHRAN
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE



SHIRLEY DANSKIN-WHITE
DEPUTY SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

HENRY A. WALLACE BUILDING
DES MOINES, IOWA 50319

(515) 281-6146

TO: Soil and Water Conservation Districts

FROM: James B. Gulliford, Director
Division of Soil Conservation

DATE: November 10, 1992

RE: Election of Officers (SWCD-DO-10-4) &
Appointment of Assistant Commissioners (SWCD-DO-10-5)

Please review the above-referenced sections in your Soil and Water Conservation District Policies and Procedures Manual.

The Iowa Code states: "The commissioners of each soil and water conservation district shall convene on the first day of January that is not a Sunday or a holiday in each odd-numbered year. Those commissioners whose term of office begins on that day shall take the oath of office prescribed by section 63.10. The commissioners shall then organize by election of a chairperson and a vice chairperson." The Division recommends that the commissioners also appoint a treasurer and a secretary at the January meeting, as well as assistant commissioners for the 1993 calendar year. The election of officers and all appointments require a motion and must be recorded in the official district minutes.

Please complete and return the attached information sheet and SWCD Program profile to the Division following the January meeting (no later than January 31).

Elaine Ilvess will assume staff responsibility for commissioner elections, vacancies in the office of commissioner, and appointment of assistant commissioners. When events occur relative to these offices, please contact her with the same information requested on the attached sheet; and she can assist you, if you have questions. A data base is maintained by the Division. In addition, this information is necessary in order for commissioners and assistant commissioners to be eligible to receive reimbursement of expenses.

JBG:ejj
attachments
DO/Janmtg

County Soil and Water Conservation District

Date of SWCD Meeting - January ____, 1993

Name

Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)

Township

Telephone #
(Area Code)

Social
Security #

Term Expires

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STATE OF IOWA

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION



DES MOINES

County

At an election held in said County on the 4th day of November A. D. 19 86

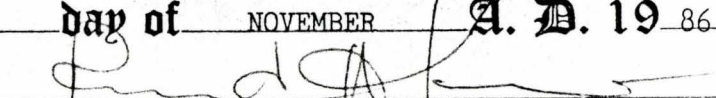
LEONARD LANE

was elected to the office of SOIL CONSERVATION COMMISSIONER

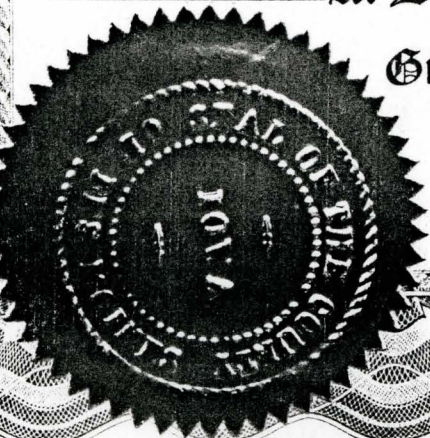
for said county for the term of SIX years from the SECOND day of
JANUARY A. D. 19 87 and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Given this 14th day of NOVEMBER A. D. 19 86

ATTEST:


PRESIDENT BOARD OF CANVASSERS

Myranell Dockendorff
COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS



STATE OF IOWA

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION



DES MOINES

County

At an election held in said County on the 4th day of November A. D. 1986

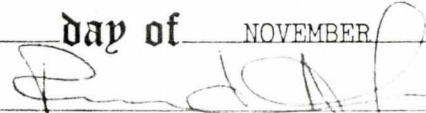
LLOYD SCHMEISER

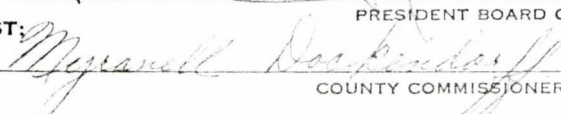
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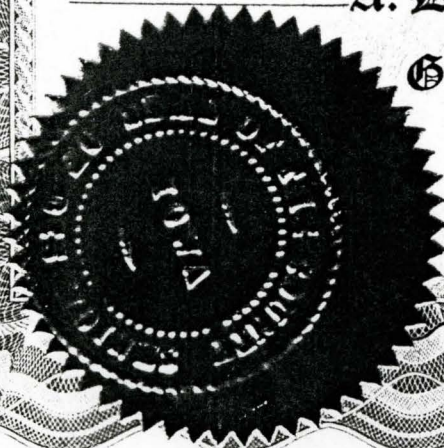
for said county for the term of SIX years from the SECOND day of
JANUARY A. D. 1986 and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Given this 14th day of NOVEMBER A. D. 1986

ATTEST:


PRESIDENT BOARD OF CANVASSERS


COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS



CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION



State of Iowa

DES MOINES

County

At an Election holden in said County on the 6th day of NOVEMBER
A.D. 19 90, GARY WAGNER
was elected to the office of SOIL & WATER COMMISSIONER FLINT RIVER TOWNSHIP
for the term of SIX (6) years, from the 1st
day of JANUARY A.D. 19 91, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Given this 13th day of NOVEMBER A.D. 19 90

Dale H. Anderson

Chairman Board of Canvassers.

Attest:

J. Victoria Leonard

County Commissioner of Elections (Clerk)



CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION



State of Iowa

DES MOINES

County

At an Election holden in said County on the 6th day of NOVEMBER
A.D. 19 90, SHERMAN A. SMITH
was elected to the office of SOIL & WATER COMMISSIONER - BURLINGTON TOWNSHIP
for the term of SIX (6) years, from the 1st
day of JANUARY A.D. 19 91, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Given this 13th day of NOVEMBER A.D. 19 90

Wale K. Anderson
Chairman Board of Canvassers.

Attest:

J. Victoria Leonard
County Commissioner of Elections (Clerk)



Qualification of Officer Not Required to Give Bond

STATE OF IOWA, Des Moines County, ss.

I, Charles Nealey, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially to the best of my ability discharge the duties of the office of Fish Conservation Comm. in Des Moines County as now or hereafter required by law.
(TOWNSHIP, CITY, COUNTY, DISTRICT OF STATE)

Charles Nealey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 1988

J. Victoria Leonard

Des Moines County Auditor

Sec. 63.10 **OTHER OFFICERS.** All other civil officers (not required to give bond), elected by the people or appointed to any civil office, unless otherwise provided, shall take and subscribe an oath substantially as follows: * * * (Exceptions Sec. 63.5-63.6. Also see 740.11.)

Des Moines

County Soil and Water Conservation District

Commissioners	Name	Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)	Township	Telephone # (Area Code)	Social Security #	Term Expires
	1. Sherman A. Smith, 704 S. 9th St., Burlington, 52601,		Burlington	319-752-1828	478-14-4970	1/2/91
	2. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis, 52637		Yellow Spring	319-394-3307	482-48-0124	1/2/93
	3. Keith Renner, Danville, 52623		Danville	319-392-4284	485-32-7840	1/2/91
	4. Donald W. Mathews, Rt. 2, Danville, 52623		Pleasant Grove	319-392-8872	482-56-8769	1/2/89
Directory Information	5. Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Rt. 2, Burlington 52601		Benton	319-937-6465	479-46-7867	1/2/93
	CH Sherman A. Smith					
	V-CH Leonard L. Lane					
	TREAS Horace Sutton, P.O. Box 953, Burlington 52601			319-752-6819	480-01-7289	
	SECY Dorothy E. Davis, 1104 Derek Lincoln Drive, West Burlington 52655			319-753-6221	485-28-6386	
Assistant Commissioners	1. William C. Walker, Rt. 1, Mediapolis 52637			319-937-6402	482-48-0164	12-31-88
	2. Arlyn Musselman, c/o Southeastern Community College, P.O. Drawer F, West Burlington 52655			319-752-2731	359-38-9823	12-31-88
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Des Moines

County Soil Conservation District

Name	Complete Mailing Address (ZIP)	Township	Telephone # (Area Code)	Social Security #	Term Expires
1. Sherman A. Smith, 1115 Summer St., Burlington 52601	Burlington	319/752-3603	478-14-4970	1/2/91	
2. Leonard L. Lane, Rt. 2, Box 30, Mediapolis 52637	Yellow Spring	319/394-3307	482-48-0124	1/2/87 ⁹³	
3. Keith Renner, Danville 52623	Danville	319/392-4284	485-32-7840	1/2/91	
4. Donald W. Mathews, Rt. 2, Danville 52623	Pleasant Grove	319/392-8872	482-56-8769	1/2/89	
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SECY Dorothy E. Davis, 1104 Derek Lincoln Drive, West Burlington 52655 319/753-6221 485-28-6386

Roger Gay					
1.	c/o First National Bank, P.O. Box 1088, Burlington 52601, Burlington	319/752-2761	478-70-2205	12-31-87	
2.	William C. Walker, Rt. 1, Mediapolis 52637	Benton	319/937-6402	482-48-0164	12-31-87
3.	James S. Jennison, 106 Washington, Burlington 52601	Flint River	319/753-1667	484-36-6352	12-31-87
4.	Barbara A. Bonnett, Rt. 1, Box 61A, Burlington 52601	Union	319/752-3224	478-38-2174	12-31-87
5.	Arlyn Musselman, c/o Southeastern Community College, P.O. Drawer F, West Burlington, 52655		319/752-2731	359-38-9823	12-31-87
6.	Elizabeth Christiansen, P.O. Box 397, Burlington 52601	Burlington	319/753-5107	356-52-2042	12-31-87
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Please complete and return to the Division of Soil Conservation by January 12, 1987. Information according to the columns at the top should be filled in for every person named. If your district's section in the DSC Directory is incorrect, please make a note below.

Incorrect listing of our address in the DSC Directory. Our new address is: 1104 Derek Lincoln Drive
West Burlington, IA 52655

We have the same telephone number.

DEC. 11 1986

OATH OF OFFICE

"I, Leonard L. Lane, DO SOLEMNLY

SWEAR THAT I WILL SUPPORT THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED

STATES AND THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF IOWA, AND THAT I

WILL FAITHFULLY AND IMPARTIALLY, TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY

DISCHARGE ALL THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE OF Sail Conservation Commissioner

IN DES MOINES COUNTY, AS NOW OR HEREAFTER REQUIRED BY LAW."

Leonard L. Lane

ATTESTED BY:

Myranell Dockendorff - Des Moines Co.
Auditor



DEC. 11 1986

"I Lloyd F. Schmeiser, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of District Soil Conservation Commissioner in Hess Moenies Co. (township, city, county, district, or state, as the case may be), as now or hereafter required by law."

Lloyd F. Schmeiser

Sworn to before me this 5th Day of December, 1986



Myranell Dockendorff

Beginning Jan. 1. 1987

DEC. 11 1986

"I Lloyd J. Schmeiser, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Iowa, and that I will faithfully and impartially, to the best of my ability, discharge all the duties of the office of District Soil Conservation Commissioner in Des Moines Co. (township, city, county, district, or state, as the case may be), as now or hereafter required by law."

Lloyd J. Schmeiser

Sworn to before me this 5th Day of December, 1986



Myranell Dockendorff

Beginning Jan. 1. 1987

Honors:

Past President's Award, American Consulting Engineers Council
for recognition of significant contributions (1976)
Fellow Member of American Consulting Engineers Council (1974)
Anston Marston Award, Iowa Engineering Society for Service
to the Society (1960)
Committee of One Hundred, Consulting Engineer magazine (1973)
Distinguished Engineers, E.J.C. (1974)
Who's Who in America (1978 -)
Distinguished Service Award, Iowa Engineering Society for
Service to the Engineering Profession (1978)

Professional Activities:

American Consulting Engineers Council:

1973-1976 Chairman - Professional Standards Committee
1973-1977 Chairman - Ethical Practices Committee
1974-1976 ANEA Group*

Consulting Engineers Council:

1970-1972 Ethical Practices Council
1968-1970 Research Institutes and State Technical
Services Committee
1964-1966 Chairman NSPE - CEC Study Committee
1958-1963 Office Practices Committee
1957-1961 Member of a number of ad hoc committees
1957-1959 Director of IACE
1958 Arranged and attended first meeting of en-
gineers in Florida prior to organization
of CEC/F
1958 One of incorporators of CEC

National Society of Professional Engineers:

1966-1973 Board of Ethical Review
1971-1972 Chairman of B.E.R.
1963-1965 Ethical Practices Committee

*ANEA - Promoted dialogue between chairmen of the Ethical Practices Committees
of ASCE, NSPE, ECPD, and ACEC: proposed to obtain commonality of
statements concerning ethics. Results: New codes for RCPD, ASCE,
ASPE, and ACEC with much commonality.

Consulting Engineers Council of Iowa:

- 1973-1989 Chairman - Education and Scholarship Committee
- 1968-1973 Education and Scholarship Committee
- 1970-1971 Chairman - Service Methods and Techniques Committee
- 1961-1970 Past President's Steering Committee
- 1959-1964 Nominating Committee
- 1958-1963 Chairman - Office Practices Committee
- 1956-1959 Board of Directors
- 1956-1958 President - one of original organizers

Iowa Engineering Society:

- 1968-1970 Chairman - Chapters Committee
- 1965-1970 Past President's Steering Committee
- 1965-1969 Chairman - Joint Committee of AGC, APWA, and IES
- 1961-1964 Executive Committee
- 1962-1963 President - Reoriented objectives of the Society and instrumental in organizing liaison with AGC and APWA; closer cooperation with founder societies; instigating sustaining memberships for employers; acceptance of the function section concept; acceptance of the chapters concept.
- 1956-1961 Chairman - Ethics Committee; reorganized committee for aggressive enforcement.
- 1953-1956 IES representative to Iowa Joint Construction Council

Southeast Iowa Chapter of the Iowa Engineering Society:

- 1973-1974 Chairman of Organization Steering Committee
- 1974-1976 Chairman - Nominating Committee

Public Service:

Current Activities:

- Des Moines County Resource Conservation and Development Committee - Executive Committee (12 years)
- Geode Wonderland RC&D - Executive Committee Vice Chairman
- Des Moines County Soil Conservation Commission - Chairman
- Des Moines County Republicans - Co-Chairman
- United Way - Advance Gifts Audit Committee

Past Activities:

Iowa-Cedar River Conservancy District - Past Chairman of Board of Directors*

Environmental & Pollution Control Council - President, Board of Directors (9 years). A local, non-profit corporation.

Iowa Center for Industrial Research & Service, Advisory Board (3 years).*

Burlington Engineers Club - President, organizer, Board of Directors (4 years).

Des Moines County Board of Health - Board member (5 years). One of the first County Board of Health organizations in the state.

Burlington Industrial Development Committee - Board member (5 years).

Burlington Riverfront Development Committee - Executive Committee (2 years).

Kiwanis - Board of Directors (2 years). Chairman of Conservation and Environment Committee (4 years).

Member of Advisory Board to Burlington Community College (4 years).

Boy Scouts of America - Merit Badge Council for Public Health and also Architectural (20 years).

St. Luke United Church of Christ - President of Council and active in governmental structure (3 years).

Served in the armed forces: a Captain in the Army Corps of Engineers; Major in Cavalry, Iowa National Guard.

Iowa Health Systems Agency - Plan Development Committee, Area Five.

Burlington Construction Board of Appeals - Chairman (7 years).

Des Moines County Health Services Planning Council - Board member and president.

Organization Representative to Iowa Wildlife Federation (5 years).

Literature:

Paper on ethics for ASCE seminar.

Contributor to P.E. magazine (NSPE) on subject of ethics.

Articles on ethics for use in connection with courses taught at Iowa State University and the University of Iowa.

Member of "Committee of 100" for Consulting Engineer magazine.

Educational Activities:

One of several lecturers for one semester hour credit course in the private practice of engineering at the University of Iowa since 1968.
As Chairman of CEC/I Committee on Education, organized a new course (one quarter hour credit) in the practice of engineering for Iowa State University. The course is taught with other consultants.
Periodic lectures on ethics for engineering students.
A lecture team member for NSPE's "So You Want to Manage" seminars for young engineers.
Various panels on national levels on subject of "Professional Conduct and Ethics".
Currently co-authoring book on professional conduct for use of engineering students and educational programs for practicing engineers.

Professional Experience:

1940-41	Clay Equipment Corporation	Draftsman/Designer: Metal fabrication.
1941-42	Day & Zimmerman, Inc., Engineers	Designer/Checker: Industrial facilities.
1942-45	Corps of Engineers	Pvt through Capt. Company Commander, S-2, Actg. S-3 in Engr. Combat Bn.
1946	Carn. Illinois Steel Corp.-Cowles & Co.	Structural designer and physical plan coordinator on blast furnace design.
1947-48	Penn Construction, Inc.	Designer and field supt., housing.
1949-50	Federal Engineering Co.	Architectural and Structural Designer: civil and architectural projects.
1951-53	Silas Mason-Mason Hanger	Project Engineer on Corps of Engineers work and resident engineer on A.E.C. work
1951-85	Sherman Smith & Assoc., Inc.	President - E.A. projects
1985-	Smith Engineering Associates, Inc.	President

Resume - Sherman A. Smith

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Types of Professional Experience
in Responsible Charge:

Industrial and educational plant facilities (buildings)
Apartments
Medical clinics
Sewage and water treatment facilities
Sewage collection and water treatment facilities
Utility rate studies
Airports
Streets, highway, and storm drainage
Subdivision developments
Engineer for Mississippi River levee and drainage districts

DES MOINES COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

1947 District Office located in Tama Bldg.,
 Burlington

1946-1951 Walter Eyre Secretary

1951-1964 James Hodges Secretary

1964 Harold Yohe Secretary

1964-1980 Harold Linder Secretary

1981- ~~1994~~ Dorothy Davis Secretary

1995- Jamil Fair

1949- 1994 Horace Sutton, Jr. Treasurer

1994 - Jeff Bergman

Deceased Commissioners:

Noah Schrock

John Blaul

Kenneth Redfern

S.S. Barton 1972

Walter Eyre

Hugh Jamison 1980

Edwin Cling 1980

DES MOINES COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

<u>Date</u>	<u>Commissioner Elected</u>	<u>Term</u>	<u>Replacing</u>
1946 - 1950	John Blaul	4 yr.	
1946 - 1947	Noah Schrock	6 yr.	
1946 - 1948	Edwin Cling	2 yr.	
1947 - 1952	Howard Gieselman	appointed	Schrock
Dec. 1947 - 1954	Kenneth Redfern	6 yr.	Cling
Dec. 1947	Howard Gieselman	4 yr.	Schrock
Jan. 1950 - 1956	Hugh Jamison	6 yr.	Blaul
Jan. 1952 - 58	Homer Woodard	6 yr.	Gieselman
Jan. 1954 - 60	Walter Eyre	6 yr.	Redfern
Jan. 1956 - 62	C. E. Pilling	6 yr.	Jamison
Jan. 1958 - 64	Theodore Berning	6 yr.	Woodard
Jan. 1960 - 66	Eugene Schulte	6 yr.	Eyre
Jan. 1962 - 68	Art Corman	6 yr.	Pilling
Jan. 1964 - 70	Harold Yohe	6 yr.	Berning
1966 - 72	Henry Dockendorff	6 yr.	Schulte
Feb. 1968 - 74	Rex Troute	6 yr.	Corman
Feb. 1970 - 72	Albert Schulz (resigned in 1972)		
Feb. 1970	William Vierling		
Feb. 1970 - 72	S. S. Barton		
Feb. 1972 - 78	Dwight Stucker		
Feb. 1972 - 74	Carl Shumaker (resigned 1974)		
Apr. 1972	William Vierling	appointed	Schulz
1973	Ray W. Pilling	appointed	Barton
Feb. 1974 - 80	Ray W. Pilling	6 yr.	
Feb. 1974 - 80	Joseph T. Beckman	6 yr.	Troute
Feb. 1974	William Vierling		
1974 - 76	Jack Jacobs	appointed	Shumaker
Nov. 1976 - 78	Clyde Scherer	2 yr.	
Jan. 1977 - 82	Rex H. Troute	6 yr.	
Jan. 1979 - 85	James S. Jennison	6 yr.	
Jan. 1979 - 83	Douglas L. Cling	6 yr.	
Jan. 1981 - 92	Leonard L. Lane	6 yr.	
Jan. 1981 - 1987	Wayne L. Ertzinger	6 yr.	
Jan. 1983 - 88	Donald W. Mathews	6 yr.	
Jan 1984 - 85	William C Walker	appointed	
Jan 1985 -	Sherman Smith		Jennison
Jan 1985 - 91	Keith Renner		Walker
Jan 1987 - 93	Lloyd Schmeiser		Ertzinger
Jan 1988 - 94	Charles Nealey		Mathews
Jan 1991 - 94	Gary Wagner		
Jan 1993 -	Jeff Bergman		
Jan 1993 -	Frank C Hedges		

Thru 1-77

DES MOINES COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Tom Brukenstock replaced Gary appointed

Jan 1995 Don Lounsbury

Date	Commissioner	Term	Replacment
Jan 1995	Don Lounsbury	4 yr.	
Dec. 1947 - 1954	Kenneth Redfern	6 yr.	Schrock
1947 - 1952	Howard Gieselman	2 yr.	Cling
1946 - 1948	Edwin Cling	4 yr.	Schrock
1946 - 1947	Noah Schrock	6 yr.	Blau
1946 - 1950	John Blau	6 yr.	Gieselman
Jan. 1950 - 1952	Hugh Jamison	6 yr.	Redfern
Jan. 1952 - 58	Homer Woodward	6 yr.	Jamison
Jan. 1954 - 60	Walter Eyre	6 yr.	Woodward
Jan. 1956 - 62	C. E. Pilling	6 yr.	Eyre
Jan. 1958 - 64	Theodore Berning	6 yr.	Pilling
Jan. 1960 - 66	Eugene Schulte	6 yr.	Berning
Jan. 1962 - 68	Art Gorman	6 yr.	Schulte
Jan. 1964 - 70	Harold Yohe	6 yr.	Gorman
1966 - 72	Henry Dockendorff	6 yr.	
Feb. 1968 - 74	Rex Trout	6 yr.	
Feb. 1970 - 72	Albert Schulz (resigned in 1972)		
Feb. 1970	William Vierling		
Feb. 1970 - 72	S. S. Barton		
Feb. 1972 - 78	Dwight Stucker		
Feb. 1972 - 74	Carl Shumaker (resigned 1974)		
Apr. 1972	William Vierling	appointed	Schulz
1973	Ray W. Pilling	appointed	Barton
Feb. 1974 - 80	Ray W. Pilling	6 yr.	
Feb. 1974 - 80	Joseph T. Beckman	6 yr.	Trout
Feb. 1974	William Vierling		
1974 - 76	Jack Jacobs	appointed	Shumaker
Nov. 1976 - 78	Clyde Scherer	2 yr.	
Jan. 1977 - 82	Rex H. Trout	6 yr.	
Jan. 1979 - 85	James S. Jamison	6 yr.	
Jan. 1979 - 85	Douglas L. Cling	6 yr.	
Jan. 1981 - 83	Leonard L. Lane	6 yr.	
Jan. 1981 - 83	Wayne L. Fitzinger	6 yr.	
Jan. 1983 - 88	Donald W. Matthews	6 yr.	
Jan 1984 - 85	William C. Hubler	appointed	
Jan 1985 -	Sharon Smith		
Jan 1985 - 91	Keith Kenna		
Jan 1987 - 93	Robert Schumaker		
Jan 1988 - 94	Charles Tholey		
Jan 1991 - 94	Gary Lounsbury		
Jan 1993 -	Jeff Lounsbury		
Jan 1995 -	Frank C. Hubler		

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YEAR	CHAIRMAN	VICE CHAIRMAN
1982	Rex H. Troute	James S. Jennison
1983	James S. Jennison	Leonard L. Lane
1984	Leonard Lane	Wayne Ertzinger
1985	"	"
1986	Sherm	Leonard
1987	"	"
88	"	"
89		
90	Sherm	Leonard
91	Lloyd	Sherm
92	"	"
93	Gary	"
94	Gary (Sept) Charles (S-B)	Charles (Sept)
95	Jeff	Sherm

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YEAR	CHAIRMAN	VICE CHAIRMAN
1946	Noah Schrock	
1947	John L. Blaul	
1948	John L. Blaul	
1949	Howard Gieselman	
1950	Howard Geiselman	
1951	Hugh Jamison <i>Howard Geiselman</i>	
1952	Hugh Jamison	
1953	Kenneth Redfern	
1954	Hugh Jamison	
1955	Hugh Jamison	
1956	Walter Eyre	
1957	Walter Eyre	
1958	Walter Eyre	C. E. Pilling
1959	Walter Eyre	"
1960	C. E. Pilling	
1961	C. E. Pilling	
1962	Theodore Berning	Eugene Schulte
1963	Theodore Berning	Eugene Schulte
1964	Eugene Schulte	
1965	Eugene Schulte	
1966	Art Corman	
1967	Art Corman	
1968	Harold Yohe	
1969	Harold Yohe	<i>Henry Dockendorff</i>
1970	Henry Dockendorff	Rex Trouté
1971	Henry Dockendorff	Rex Trouté
1972	Rex H. Trouté	
1973	Rex H. Trouté	
1974	William Vierling	Dwight Stucker
1975	William Vierling	
1976	William Vierling	Dwight Stucker
1977	Dwight Stucker	Ray W. Pilling
1978	Dwight Stucker	Ray W. Pilling
1979	Ray W. Pilling	Joseph T. Beckman
1980	Ray W. Pilling	Joseph T. Beckman
1981	Rex H. Trouté	James S. Jennison

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<u>Date or Election</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
2/28/46	Noah Schrock, Oakville	(6-year)
	John L. Baul, Yarmouth	(4-year)
	Edwin Cling, Mediapolis	(2-year)
	Noah Schrock - resigned	
	Howard Gieselman, Burlington - appointed	
12/12/47	Kenneth Redfern, Yarmouth	(6-year)
	Howard Gieselman, Burlington	(4-year)
	John L. Blaul, Yarmouth	(2-year)
1/20/50	Hugh Jamison, Mediapolis	(6-year)
	Kenneth Redfern, Yarmouth	(4-year)
	Howard Gieselman, Burlington	(2-year)
1/23/52	Homer G. Woodward, Burlington	(6-year)
	Hugh Jamison, Mediapolis	(4-year)
	Kenneth Redfern, Yarmouth	(2-year)
1/21/54	Walter B. Eyre, Burlington	(6-year)
	Homer G. Woodward, Burlington	(4-year)
	Hugh Jamison, Mediapolis	(2-year)
1/17/56	C. E. Pilling, Mediapolis	(6-year)
	Walter B. Eyre, Burlington	(4-year)
	Homer Woodward, Burlington	(2-year)
1/23/58	Theodore Berning, Mediapolis	(6-year)
	C. E. Pilling, Mediapolis	(4-year)
	Walter B. Eyre, Burlington	(2-year)
2/11/60	Eugene Schulte, Burlington	(6-year)
	Theodore Berning, Mediapolis	(4-year)
	C. E. Pilling, Mediapolis	(2-year)
2/7/62	Arthur Corman, Sperry	(6-year)
	Eugene Schulte, Burlington	(4-year)
	Theodore Berning, Mediapolis	(2-year)
2/12/64	Harold Yohe, Mediapolis	(6-year)
	Arthur Corman, Sperry	(4-year)
	Eugene Schulte, Burlington	(2-year)
2/10/66	Henry Dockendorf, Danville	(6-year)
	Harold Yohe, Mediapolis	(4-year)
	Arthur Corman, Sperry	(2-year)
2/8/68	Rex H. Troute, Burlington	(6-year)
	Henry Dockendorf, Danville	(4-year)
	Harold Yohe, Mediapolis	(2-year)

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<u>Election</u>	<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
2/12/70	Albert Schulz, Burlington	(6-year)
	Rex Troute, Burlington	(4-year)
	S. S. Barton, Mediapolis	(4-year)
	Henry Dockendorf, Danville	(2-year)
	William Vierling, Mediapolis	(2-year)
2/10/72	Carl Shumaker, Danville	(6-year)
	Dwight Stucker, New London	(6-year)
	Albert Schulz, Burlington	(4-year)
	Rex Troute, Burlington	(2-year)
	S. S. Barton, Mediapolis	(2-year)
	Albert Schulz - resigned	
	William Vierling, Mediapolis - appointed 4/6/72	
	S. S. Barton - deceased	
	Ray Pilling, Mediapolis - appointed 2/6/73	
2/18/74	Term began 2/28/74	
	Joseph Beckman, Sperry (Franklin)	(6-year)
	Ray Pilling, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	(6-year)
	Carl Shumaker, Danville	(4-year)
	Dwight Stucker, New London	(4-year)
	William Vierling, Mediapolis	(2-year)
	Carl Shumaker, Danville - resigned 6/5/74	
	Jack Jacobs, Burlington (Burlington) - appointed 6/5/74	
CHANGE IN ELECTION PROCEDURE - 7/1/75		
	Joseph Beckman, Sperry (Franklin)	1/2/81
	Ray Pilling, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/2/81
	Jack Jacobs, Burlington (Burlington) - appointed 6/5/74 until . . .	11/2/76 (79)
	Dwight Stucker, New London	1/2/79
	William Vierling, Mediapolis	1/3/77
11/2/76	Rex Troute, Burlington - elected to 6-year term	1/3/83
	Joseph Beckman, Sperry (Franklin)	1/2/81
	Ray Pilling, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/2/81
	Clyde Scherer, Burlington - elected to unexpired term	1/2/79
	Dwight Stucker, New London	1/2/79
11/7/78	Douglas Cling, Mediapolis (Huron) - elected to 6-year term	1/2/85
	James (Sam) Jennison, Burlington (Flint River) - elected to 6-year term	1/2/85
	Rex Troute, Burlington (Concordia)	1/3/83
	Joseph Beckman, Sperry (Franklin)	1/2/81
	Ray Pilling, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/2/81

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11/4/80	Wayne L. Ertzinger, Burlington (Union) - elected to 6-year term	1/2/87
	Leonard L. Lane, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs) - elected to 6-year term	1/2/87
	Douglas Cling, Mediapolis (Huron)	1/2/85
	James (Sam) Jennison, Burlington (Flint River)	1/2/85
	Rex Troute, Burlington (Concordia)	1/3/83
11/2/82	Donald W. Mathews, Danville (Pleasant Grove) - elected to 6-year term	1/3/89
	Wayne L. Ertzinger, Burlington (Union)	1/2/87
	Leonard L. Lane, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/2/87
	Douglas Cling, Mediapolis (Huron)	1/2/85
	James (Sam) Jennison, Burlington (Flint River)	1/2/85
	Douglas Cling - resigned 3/3/83	
	William C. Walker, Mediapolis (Benton) - appointed 3/3/83 until . . . 11/6/84 (85)	
11/6/84	Sherman A. Smith, Burlington (Burlington) - elected to 6-year term	1/2/91
	Keith B. Renner, Danville (Danville) - elected to 6-year term	1/2/91
	Donald W. Mathews, Danville (Pleasant Grove)	1/3/89
	Wayne L. Ertzinger, Burlington (Union)	1/2/87
	Leonard L. Lane, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/2/87
11/4/86	Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Burlington (Benton) - elected to 6-year term	1/4/93
	Leonard L. Lane, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs) - elected to 6-year term	1/4/93
	Sherman A. Smith, Burlington (Burlington)	1/2/91
	Keith B. Renner, Danville (Danville)	1/2/91
	Donald W. Mathews, Danville (Pleasant Grove)	1/3/89
11/8/88	Charles T. Nealey, Danville (Pleasant Grove) - elected to 6-year term	1/3/95
	Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Burlington (Benton)	1/4/93
	Leonard L. Lane, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/4/93
	Sherman A. Smith, Burlington (Burlington)	1/2/91
	Keith B. Renner, Danville (Danville)	1/2/91
11/6/90	Sherman A. Smith, Burlington (Burlington) - elected to 6-year term	1/97
	Gary Wagner, Burlington (Pleasant Grove) - elected to 6-year term	1/97
	Charles T. Nealey, Danville (Pleasant Grove)	1/3/95
	Lloyd F. Schmeiser, Burlington (Benton)	1/4/93
	Leonard L. Lane, Mediapolis (Yellow Springs)	1/4/93
11/3/92		

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TO: All Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioners

FROM: James E. Gillespie, Field Services Bureau Chief 
IDALS - Division of Soil Conservation

RE: NACD Brochure -- Proud to Serve, Conservation District Board
Members Recruitment Reference Book (SWCD-DO-10-2)

DATE: February 2, 1996

Enclosed is the NACD publication Proud to Serve, Conservation District Board Members Recruitment Reference Book. Every soil and water conservation district experiences the need for recruitment of new district board members when a commissioner moves out of the county and is no longer eligible to serve, dies, resigns, chooses not to run for another term, etc. Page 4 of this booklet addresses that topic and directs district board members to complete the following exercises to assist them in this task.

Proud to Serve contains samples of valuable tools which will make your recruitment efforts easier, while at the same time inform the public about the SWCD mission, goals and objectives, legal authorities, and range of activities. Additional copies of the booklet may be purchased from the NACD Service Center.

As the time draws closer for the 1996 General Election, you will be receiving a letter regarding procedures your district must follow and the deadline for submitting nomination petitions. Please reference SWCD Policies and Procedures Manual Memorandum SWCD-DO-10-2 if you have general questions or call Elaine Ilvess (515/281-6146) at the Division of Soil Conservation.

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