

**DITCH COMMITTEE  
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**Autie Howard Ditch**

James Corder  
Robert Howard  
Harvey Karn

**Blue Anderson Ditch**

Donald E. Shaw  
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**Braskett Ditch**

Charles Byrne  
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**Brill Surface Drain**

Terry Brill  
Glenn Gulick  
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Terry Sheets  
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Nathan Wilson

**Cook Ditch**

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Robin Kuhlwein

**Dry Run Ditch**

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Terry Sheets  
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**Fulks/Moore/Wolford  
Ditch**

Wayne Wright

**George's Run Ditch**

Jeff Wippel  
Ruth Renick

**Greenbriar Ditch**

Jerrold Fields  
Clyde Ohnewehr  
Mike George

**2023  
PICKAWAY COUNTY  
MAINTENANCE DITCH  
NEWSLETTER**



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**Ditch Work in 2022**

In 2022, as part of our ditch maintenance program PCE crews removed silt and straightened Buskirk Ditch back to original design grade between Federal Road and Scioto Darby Road. Fulks Moore Wolford Ditch was cleaned back to original grade for its entire length. Replacement of all tile outlets and reconstruction of side inlets on Fulks Moore Wolford was also completed.

Pickaway County Engineer crews worked on Buskirk Ditch as well. Crews spread spoils from Atkins Rd to Federal Rd.

**Know the Numbers**

**802** The number of landowners that benefit from a County Maintenance Ditch

**33.46** The number of miles that our ditches measure combined in length

**30** The number of Maintenance Ditches in Pickaway County



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**Ditch Mowing**

All of the Pickaway County Maintenance Ditches were mowed twice in 2022. Crews mowed the tops of the ditches in late spring and then the tops and bottoms in September/October. PCE is working with a contractor to get the woody vegetation sprayed on all ditches.

*Interested in  
Ditch Maintenance?*

**We are always looking for committee members. We strive for 3 members per ditch. Contact our office if you are willing to help.**

**2023**

As weather permits this season, Pickaway County Engineer crews have been and will continue work on cleaning and miscellaneous repairs to the following maintenance ditches:

- Fulks Moore Wolford – Spread spoils
- Buskirk Ditch – Spread spoils from Federal Rd to Scioto Darby Rd.
- Mud Run – clean and remove silt and debris in various sections of the ditch
- Cook Ditch – clean silt back to original grade.

**Greenbriar Ext 1**  
Clyde Ohnewehr  
Dennis Wyschmeyer  
Jerrold Fields

**Grove Run Ditch**  
Glenn Gulick  
Mike Struckman

**Hughes #1 Ditch**  
Daniel Smith  
Tim Wells

**Hughes #3 Ditch**  
Kenny Cookson  
Larry Valentine

**Hughes Main Ditch**  
Robert List  
George W. Speakman

**Hughes Upper Ditch**  
Charles Hines  
Paul Pence  
Bob Black

**Metzger/Ewing/Johnson Ditch**  
Paul Ewing  
Randy Metzger

**Mud Run Ditch**  
Whispering Wind Farms  
Art Taylor

**PC Acres Stormwater Basin**  
Julie Heidish  
MR-VI Investments

**Pence Tile Main**  
Paul Pence

**Rhoads Ditch**

**Springwater Run Ditch**  
Brian George  
Jason Hartssock

**Wampler Hills Stormwater Ditch**  
John Lambert  
Greg Bryant  
Chuck Grieve

**Wilson Ditch**  
Nathan Wilson

**Wolf Run Ditch**  
Andy Hamman  
Donald E. Shaw

**Writsel Ditch**  
Jeffrey L. Writsel

DITCH	LAND OWNERS	BASE COST	2023 BEGINNING BALANCE	2023 COLLECTIONS	2023 EXPENSES TO DATE
Autie Howard	5	\$ 67,024.23	\$ 14,184.81	\$ 1,868.30	\$ 105.00
Blue Anderson	8	\$ 96,891.35	\$ 4,610.10	\$ 2,759.27	\$ 2,884.00
Braskett	22	\$ 17,262.44	\$ 1,116.71	\$ 631.79	\$ 100.00
Brill Group	6	\$ 58,308.73	\$ 9,572.17	\$ 1,903.96	\$ 100.00
Bulen/Bulen	31	\$ 77,722.27	\$ 12,340.13	\$ 2,267.52	\$ 1,433.43
Buskirk	55	\$ 233,331.87	\$ 44,328.62	\$ 8,985.59	\$ 22,024.27
Clark's Run	43	\$ 232,779.74	\$ 44,645.00	\$ 8,182.08	\$ 7,710.32
Congo	12	\$ 84,537.00	\$ 2,480.12	\$ 2,562.11	\$ 2,981.81
Cook	5	\$ 27,185.00	\$ 6,517.69	\$ -	\$ 147.98
Dry Run	15	\$ 65,448.57	\$ 673.49	\$ 2,520.27	\$ 201.00
DS Drainage	137	\$ 116,031.96	\$ 23,509.52	\$ -	\$ 364.54
Fulks Moore					
Wolford	8	\$ 32,897.31	\$ 4,978.54	\$ 1,050.65	\$ 864.94
George's Run	9	\$ 54,535.64	\$ 8,477.70	\$ 2,035.97	\$ 153.00
Greenbriar	26	\$ 164,670.90	\$ 13,896.70	\$ 5,403.17	\$ 2,077.56
Greenbriar Ext 1	202	\$ 150,320.74	\$ 7,626.92	\$ 4,837.44	\$ 6,387.00
Grove Run	24	\$ 102,586.70	\$ 18,491.48	\$ 3,520.20	\$ 301.00
Hughes #1	4	\$ 120,021.05	\$ 13,405.93	\$ 4,005.72	\$ 882.02
Hughes #3	18	\$ 53,573.39	\$ 11,586.71	\$ 1,339.39	\$ 153.00
Hughes Main	99	\$ 158,776.70	\$ 13,755.09	\$ 5,815.78	\$ 1,893.34
Hughes Upper	78	\$ 144,282.68	\$ 25,553.71	\$ 4,191.42	\$ 1,109.35
Metzger Ewing					
Johnson	8	\$ 96,643.53	\$ 11,609.96	\$ 2,491.94	\$ 420.00
Mud Run	21	\$ 145,100.93	\$ 21,950.56	\$ 5,733.93	\$ 477.00
PC Acres	6	\$ 38,160.10	\$ 8,212.87	\$ 26.12	\$ 100.00
Pence Tile Main	10	\$ 35,667.18	\$ 6,090.74	\$ -	\$ 100.00
Rhoads Ditch	12	\$ 69,405.59	\$ 42,966.85	\$ 15,432.52	\$ -
Springwater Run	7	\$ 33,529.14	\$ 8,080.15	\$ -	\$ 100.00
Wampler Hills	37	\$ 66,977.90	\$ 11,016.13	\$ 1,855.23	\$ 100.00
Wilson	18	\$ 87,304.24	\$ 5,151.02	\$ 934.30	\$ 452.29
Wolfe Run	10	\$ 107,703.82	\$ 13,171.41	\$ 3,735.03	\$ 408.00
Writsel	26	\$ 18,605.34	\$ 3,110.64	\$ 3.72	\$ 100.00

**DITCH MEETINGS**

**September 18, 2023**

Spring Water Run 8:00 AM 7786 Darby Creek Rd. Harrisburg  
 Autie Howard Ditch 9:00 AM Culvert on London Rd.  
 Greenbriar Ditch 10:00 AM Bambies Lot US RT 62  
 Greenbriar Ext. 11:00 AM Bridge on Renick Rd.  
 Georges Run 12:30 PM Crossing at the Head of Ditch  
 Buskirk Ditch 1:30 PM Bridge crossing on McKinley Rd.  
 Dry Run Ditch 2:30 PM Culvert crossing on Clifton Rd.  
 Clarks Run Ditch 3:30 PM Culvert on Davis Rd.

**September 19, 2023**

Grove Run Ditch 8:00 AM Culvert on Matville Rd  
 Braskett Ditch 9:00 AM Bridge on Scioto Darby Rd by Graham  
 Writsel Ditch 10:00 AM Culvert on Matville Rd.  
 Brill Group 11:00 AM Culvert on Scioto Darby Rd.  
 Hughes Main 12:30 PM Bridge crossing on ST.RT. 316  
 Hughes Lateral #1 1:30 PM 1881 Weigand Road  
 Hughes Upper 2:30 PM Inter of Weigand Rd. & Bulen Pierce  
 Hughes Lateral #3 3:30 PM Inter. of Ashville Pk. & Weigand

**September 20, 2023**

Mud Run Lateral #1 8:00 AM Culvert on Egypt Pk.  
 Folks/Moore/Wolford 9:00 AM Culvert on Plummer Rd.  
 Metzger/Ewing/Johnson 9:30AM Culvert on Rector Rd.  
 Blue Anderson Ditch 10:30 AM Culvert on Tootle Rd.  
 Wolfe Run Ditch 12:30 PM Culvert on Tootle Rd.  
 DS Drainage 1:30 PM Culvert on Dunkel Rd.  
 Wampler Hills 2:30 PM Wampler Dr. & Cody Ct.

**September 21, 2023**

Bulen/Bulen Ditch 8:00 AM Culvert on Bulen Pierce Rd.  
 Pence Tile Main 9:00 AM Farm Drive east of Duvall Rd.  
 Cook Group Ditch 10:00 AM Culvert on Goodman Rd.  
 PC Acres 11:00 AM Cul-de-sac of Home Ct.  
 Congo Lateral #1 12:30 PM Culvert on Boggs Rd.  
 Wilson Group Ditch 1:30 PM Farm Lane at 9839 Tarlton Rd.  
 Rhoads Ditch 2:30 PM Entrance of Barthelmas Park