## **DITCH INSPECTION FORM**

DITCH NAME John Blausey Ditch		TYPE 6131		OVERALL RATING  ☐ 5 EXCELLENT
RECONST DATE 1961		LAST EXC 2001, 2007		☐ 4 GOOD  ☐ 3 FAIR
0+00 STA Wood county		LENGTH 19941'		2 POOR 1 VERY POOR
ASSESSMENT BASE \$2118.70				
CURRENT CONDITION AND PLAN OF ACTION				
SEDIMENT	☐ GOOD CONDITION ☐BOTTOM EXCAVATION 5-10 YRS ☑ NEEDS EXCAVATION SOON		Planned	for 2018-2019
BANK STABILITY	☐ BANKS GOOD ☐ BANKS STEEP LESS ☐ RIP RAP NEEDED	THAN 1.5:1		
OUTLET PIPES	GOOD CONDITION NEED REPAIR			
VEGETATION	☐GOOD CONTROL ☐ NEEDS MOWING ☐ BRUSH ☐ CATTAILS ☐ PHRAGMITIES			
FUTURE	2019		2020	

Trowbridge Rd north to the outlet (Crane Creek) has good flow and very little sediment. This reach was excavated in 2001 and some banks repaired and rip rap installed, but there is the start of some meandering due to more grade in this reach. Trowbridge Rd south to Bury's drive was excavated and banks stabilized in 2007, along with a severly eroded curve in the woods. There is another eroded curve in Bury's woods which is a natural aging process of a creek. This area needs extensive work. The remainder of the ditch needs a bottom excavation to bring it up to a good rating. Up to SR 51 has good access. From SR 51 south to the Conrail RR has houses, garages, fences and other obstacles. From the RR south moving upstream to SR 795 and then to the old abandoned RR has good access. The grade is flatter in this reach with 2.0'+ sediment. The ditch continues on the west side of Fostoria Rd. The section along Fostoria Rd is in good condition side slopes average 1.5:1. There are some filter strips on areas along Fostoria Road with only light brush. The biggest issue is the section between SR 51 and the RR. There are numerous fences buildings and other obstacles. Survey work done in 2017 & 2018. The engineering plan is in process. A meeting of the landowners is planned for spring of 2018 to discuss project procedures. This project needs a six year review and base increase hearing, since the watershed shares boundaries with other projects. Most likely project construction will be late 2018 to spring 2019.

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