



DITCH REPAIR + IMPROVEMENTS

Jackson County - Judicial Ditch 19

September 18th, 2018

Construction of the improvements for the Jackson County- Judicial Ditch 19 have continued. Svoboda Excavating has continued making progress on the branch pipe installation. Due to recent dry weather, construction progress has been moving forward quite quickly.

Construction of the pond has been placed on hold until Svoboda feels that conditions are adequate enough to continue excavation.

Regarding tile installation, Svoboda has finished installing 42-inch HDPE tile on the mainline up to station 65+00. The crew also started and completed branch D. At station 5+38 on branch D, Randy Richter from RCMT was on site to monitor the collector line crossing. Svoboda also began installing 24-inch HDPE tile on branch C. At station 6+97 on branch C, Randy Richter was on site to monitor the collector line crossing. Svoboda has finished installing 24-inch HDPE tile on branch C at station 10+67 and has changed to installing 18-inch HDPE tile. Svoboda has also went back to the mainline and completed cross connections from the existing 27-inch concrete mainline and the 24-inch clay mainline to the new 48-inch mainline at station 18+75 and 52+00. Due to previous high water levels, one standard connection was competed at station 24+50 from the 27-inch concrete to the new 48-inch mainline. Svoboda also removed 72 LF of the existing 24-inch clay and 27-inch concrete outlets near the pond.

The next step in construction will be to continue installing 18-inch HDPE tile on branch C. Due to private tile maps, the crew will be installing branch C from approximately station 10+50-21+50 about 200 feet toward the north. This will allow the crew to avoid crossing numerous private tile lines. Svoboda also plans to begin construction on branch C3, C4, and branch B in the weeks to come. Svoboda plans to have a subcontractor complete the mainline boring under the highway on TH 14 (station 65+10-66+60) on the mainline as well as on branch D1 (station 1+30-2+30) by the end of the year. If weather conditions improve, Svoboda plans to come back to the pond and continue excavation.

Project Summary

CONSTRUCTION SUMMARY

- Pond
- Installation of Mainline

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