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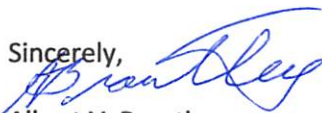
Dear Supervisor Carl Banks,

Attached is a petition to the Madison County Board of Supervisors that the Blackberry Creek Subdivision owners are requesting that you present to the board for the maintenance and improvement of the Blackberry Creek Road.

There are several concerns included in the petition. However, the most critical are the need for proper grading of the roadway to control rain water, which is now flowing across and destroying the use of the property. The other critical need is the prevention of flooding of the roadway, which at times maroons several of the owners from passage and emergency vehicles.

We would appreciate the board's recognition of this petition and the needed maintenance and improvements being made.

Sincerely,



Albert V. Brantley

Petition

Madison County, Mississippi

The below property owners of Blackberry Creek Subdivision wish to petition the Madison County Board of Supervisors to assist with flooding of the roadway, ditching, erosion and asphalt surface maintenance of Blackberry Creek Road, thus limiting Madison County's liability exposure.

The present asphalt roadway and surfacing was constructed approximately 9 years ago and is now failing as there are potholes and alligator configuration failures all along the roadway. The roadway is prone to be flooded up to two feet of water depth over the roadway, preventing passage. Proper ditching along the roadway is non-existent causing ditching and erosion of adjacent properties. Erosion at the arched culvert, box culvert and other locations jeopardize the integrity of the roadway. The undersigned adjacent property owners ask for appropriate repairs and grading of the Blackberry Creek Road. Pictures emphasizing these conditions are attached and made a part of this petition.

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| Lot 1 | Joe F. Reppeto, Jr. | _____ |
| | Lisa A. Reppeto | _____ |
| Lot 2 | Johnny F. Box | Johnny F. Box |
| Lot 3 & 4 | Al Steele | Al Steele |
| | Mary Lee Steele | Mary Lee Steele |
| Lot 5 | Calvin Owen | Calvin D. Owen |
| | Lauren R. Owen | Lauren R. Owen |
| Lot 6 | Johnny Franklin Box | Johnny Franklin Box |
| | Patricia W. Box | Patricia W. Box |
| Lot 7 | Albert Brantley | Albert Brantley |
| | Marilyn Brantley | Marilyn Brantley |
| Lot 8 & 10 | Kurt M. Forster | Kurt M. Forster |
| | Judith P. Forster | Judith P. Forster |
| Lot 9 | Ronnie J. Means | Ronnie J. Means |
| | Jill F. Means | Jill F. Means |
| Lot 11 & 12 | Travoy Mallett | Travoy Mallett |
| | Whitney Mallett | Whitney Mallett |

petition

Madison County, Mississippi

The below property owners of Blackberry Creek Subdivision wish to petition the Madison County Board of Supervisors to assist with flooding of the roadway, ditching, erosion and asphalt surface maintenance of Blackberry Creek Road, that limiting Madison County's liability concerns.

The present asphalt roadway and ditching was constructed approximately 2 years ago and is now failing as there are potholes and alligator configuration failures all along the roadway. The roadway is prone to be flooded up to two feet or water depth over the roadway, preventing passage. Erosion is occurring along the roadway, in some areas causing ditching and a loss of adjacent properties. Erosion at the graded culvert, box culvert and other locations jeopardize the integrity of the roadway. The undersigned adjacent property owners ask for appropriate repairs and grading of the Blackberry Creek Road. Pictures depicting these conditions are attached and made a part of this petition.

- Lot 1 Joe M. Heppers, Jr.
- Lisa A. Reppert
- Lot 2 Johnny R. Box
- Lot 3 & 4 Al Steele
- Mary Lee Steele
- Lot 5 Calvin Owen
- Lauren R. Owen
- Lot 6 Johnny Franklin Box
- Patricia W. Box
- Lot 7 Albert Stanley
- Marilyn Brantley
- Lot 8 & 10 Carl M. Foster
- Judith P. Foster
- Lot 9 Ronnie L. Means
- Bill F. Means
- Lot 11 & 12 Trevoe Mallett
- Wendy Mallett



Picture 1/14

The cracks and depression of the asphalt surface indicates erosion of the covering of the arched culvert of the creek. There is a required depth of covering . If less cover is present the arch is subject to deformation and failure.



Picture 2/14

This picture at the wing wall of the arched culvert shows continued erosion of the roadway base.

The picture of the following page shows continued erosion of the roadway base on the other side of the arched culvert.



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Picture 4/14

This picture shows erosion of the roadway base at the box culvert of the roadway.

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Long Cove Court

17. The above position of the roadway base at the box level of the roadway.

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Picture 5/14

This picture shows alligatoring and the formation of a large pothole in the roadway surfacing. This, as you know, indicates complete failure of the roadway surfacing.



Picture 6/ 14

This picture shows complete failure of the roadway surfacing.



Picture 7/14

This picture shows complete failure of the roadway surfacing.



Picture 8/14

This picture shows widespread alligatoring.



Picture 9/14

His picture shows the lack of proper roadway ditching that allows rainwater to flow freely across adjacent property causing erosion, ditching and prevents the use of the adjacent property.



Picture 10/14

This picture shows the erosion has formed a ditch east of the roadway at the box culvert. This eroded ditch that was caused by the rain water being "funneled" through the box culvert and not collected by a ditch that would take the water to the existing ditch south of the box culvert causing this property not to be usable.



Picture 11/14

This picture shows the eroded ditch west of the roadway at the box culvert that seems to be caused by water flowing from a pipe under the roadway west of the 90 degree westward turn in the roadway (as shown on picture 14). There is no ditch collecting the water at the effluent of the pipe that would take the water along the roadway instead of across the property.



Picture 12/14

This is a picture of the roadway approaching the box culvert. This picture shows the lack of roadway ditches.



Picture 13/14

This is a picture of the roadway near the 90 degree turn on the east side. This picture shows the lack of proper ditching of the roadway.



Picture 14/14

This picture shows the outflow of the pipe that is allowed to flow across the adjacent property. In the distance is the eroded ditch that is shown by the picture on page 11.