

STATE OF INDIANA	)	IN THE FULTON CIRCUIT COURT
	) SS:	
COUNTY OF FULTON	)	CAUSE NO. 25C01-1101-MI-1
IN THE MATTER OF THE	)	
SOUTH RICHLAND	)	
CONSERVANCY DISTRICT.	)	

**FINDINGS OF FACT AND ORDER APPROVING  
DISTRICT PLAN OF THE  
SOUTH RICHLAND CONSERVANCY DISTRICT**

The Board of Directors of the South Richland Conservancy District, having received approval of its District Plan from the Natural Resources Commission of the State of Indiana, a copy of said approval having been filed with this Court on February 8, 2012, and the Board of Directors having, subsequent to said approval, filed the District Plan with this Court in compliance with I.C. 14-33-6-5; and the Court having been advised of the filing of said District Plan, set the final hearing for said District Plan for March 14, 2012 at 3:30 p.m. and ordered public notice of said hearing by publication in the *Rochester Sentinel*; and proofs of publication having been filed with the Court pursuant to said order. At said hearing time and place, no exceptions having been filed and no interested persons appearing except for the counsel for the District, the Court now finds as follows:

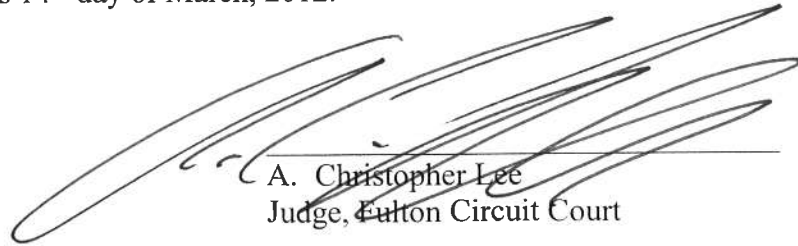
1. The South Richland Conservancy District has complied with the provisions of I.C. 14-33-6-5, by giving notice of this hearing pursuant to the order of this Court and allowing at least 21 days for interested persons to file exceptions.
2. The District Plan is necessary, proper and feasible for the accomplishment of the purpose for which the district is established.
3. The District Plan will immediately serve the public health and convenience of the District's freeholders.

4. The District Plan reasonably assures compatibility with water projects as listed in I.C. 14-33-2-17.

5. The District Plan meets all the criteria as set forth in I.C. 14-33-6-6(a).

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the District Plan of the South Richland Conservancy District, as filed in this cause, is hereby approved.

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012.



A. Christopher Lee  
Judge, Fulton Circuit Court

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