

St. Clairsville, Ohio, July 19, 19 26

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. F. Shry, J. W. Dillon, and C. W. Wise Commissioners

and Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the vacation of the public road, Improvement No. 190 petitioned

for by Edward Doudna and others, this day this cause came on for hearing in the matter of award of compensation and damages to adjoining landowners and the Commissioners find that notice of the time and place of this hearing has been given to all the owners of land taken for such improvement or abutting thereon, as provided by law, and the former orders herein. That after hearing all applications for compensation and damages filed herein, and considering all claims of minors and those under disabilities, in the judgment of the Commissioners there is awarded and due to the following persons the sums respectively opposite their names.

No damages asked.	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
.....	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
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The Commissioners further find and are of the opinion that said improvement is.....of sufficient importance to the public for all of the Compensation and Damages to be paid from the County Treasury.

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It is further ordered that a record of the proceedings and the plat and survey be entered upon the road records of this County.

It is further ordered that upon the compensation and award being paid to the owners as above herein ordered, that the public road described as follows:

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Attest:

..... County Auditor.

..... J. F. Shry

..... J. W. Dillon

..... C. W. Wise

..... Commissioners.

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ROAD PETITION

For the vacation of a Road in Wheeling Township, Improvement No. 191 Petitioned for by J. W. Ritchey and Others

TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BELMONT COUNTY, OHIO:

The undersigned petitioners resident freeholders of said County, residing in the vicinity of the proposed improvement hereinafter described, respectfully represent that the public convenience requires the vacation of a Public Road on the line hereinafter described and pray that you will institute and order the proper proceedings for said improvement, to-wit: Beginning At the Watson Bridge and extending to the top of the Watson Hill in Wheeling Township.

Dated this 14th day of June A. D. 1926

PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES
J. W. Ritchey Fred Zeyer R. A. Lyle E. R. Brokaw G. W. Brokaw R. S. Dunlap R. W. Campbell Mrs. A.W. Brokaw Charles E. Campbell Will Waller E. R. Lyle C. H. Campbell		

Filed June 14, A. D. 1926

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, and
are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of.....
.....Dollars, to the payment of
which well and truly to be made, we do hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and admin-
istrators.

Signed by us and dated at.....Ohio, thisday of
.....A. D. 19.....

The conditions of the above obligation are such, that WHEREAS, application has been made by.....
.....and others to the Board of Commissioners of the said
Belmont County, for the.....of a public road, on briefly the following line, to-wit:

THEREFORE if first, The petition be not granted; or if, second, the Commissioners shall order a portion of the
compensation and damages to be paid by the petitioners, and the petitioners fail to pay same by the time fixed by the
Commissioners: then in either such case the said applicants will pay into the treasury of said County the COSTS AND
EXPENSES incurred in the proceedings of such improvement.

ATTEST:

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St. Clairsville, Ohio, June 14, 19 26

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session,
 present J. F. Shry, J. W. Dillon, and J. F. Shry Commissioners,
 and _____, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that
J. W. Ritchey and others, have filed a petition in the office of the Com-
 missioners of the County, on the 14th day of May 1926 for the vacation
 _____ of a
 public road, along the following route, to-wit Beginning

See Petition

the same was this day considered by the Commissioners, and it appearing that said petition is regular and in conformity
 to law, and that the said J. W. Ritchey has filed herein a bond as
 required by law. It is ordered that the 13th day of July 1926, at 10.00
 o'clock A. M., be fixed as a date to view the same, at which date they will meet at the commencing point
 _____ and go over the route of said proposed road.

They also fixed the 26th day of July 1926, at 10.00 o'clock A. M., as the date
 for final hearing at the office of the County Commissioners at which time it will be considered whether said improvement
 will be granted, and if granted, a time fixed for hearing claims for compensation and damages.

It is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of both such view and hearing be given by publication
 once a week for three consecutive weeks in the St. Clairsville Gazette a newspaper published and
 having a general circulation in the County of Belmont.

Attest:

County Auditor.

J. F. Shry

J. W. Dillon

C. W. Wise

 Commissioners of Belmont County.

St. Clairsville, Ohio,.....19.....

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in.....session,
present; and Commissioners,
and, Auditor and Secretary of the Board and it appearing

St. Clairsville, Ohio, July 13, 1926.

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. F. Shry, J. W. Dillon, and C. W. Wise Commissioners and _____, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the vacation of the public road, petitioned for by J. W. Ritchey and others, due and proper notice, proof of which is on file in this office, having been given of the time and place of meeting, to view road petitioned for by _____ and others, in the St. Clairsville Gazette, a newspaper of general circulation in said county required by law, and the former orders of this Board, the Commissioners on this 13th day of July, 1926, met at the time and place in said notice designated and did view the route of said proposed road improvement, and considering such improvement to be of sufficient public importance, it is ordered that the County Surveyor make a plat and survey of the same and report to the Board in writing on or before the 26th day of July, 1926, the time set for the hearing, and shall set forth in said report his opinion either for or against the granting of such proposed improvement, accompanied with a statement of the estimated compensation and damages due each person, firm or corporation whose land is to be taken if the proposed improvement is established. Such report shall also state the width of said improvement, which shall not be less than thirty feet nor more than sixty feet, and also recommend any changes in the improvement, which in his judgment, should be made.

Attest:

County Auditor.

J. F. Shry
J. W. Dillon
C. W. Wise
Commissioners.

SURVEYOR'S REPORT ON ROAD

Surveyor's Office, Belmont County,

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

St. Clairsville, Ohio, 19.....

Pursuant to your order dated _____, 19....., I make my report to you as follows, in the matter of the _____ of the public road petitioned for by _____ and others.

1. My opinion is _____ the granting of the improvement but with the following changes, which in my judgment should be made, to-wit:
2. The width should be _____ feet.
3. Estimated compensation and damages, due each person, firm or corporation (with a * before the name of each minor or other person under disability), to-wit:

NAME	AMOUNT (Written Out)	AMOUNT (In Figures)
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My plat and survey is also attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

County Surveyor.

St. Clairsville, Ohio,.....19.....

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in.....session, present, and Commissioners and, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the.....of the public road petitioned for by..... and others having given notice in writing of.....intention to appeal from

it is ordered that the amount of.....appeal bond, the said being, be fixed at \$.....(no bond is required of) and upon the filing of such bond the Auditor is to make a transcript of the procedure herein, and file the same in the Probate Court of this County.

Attest:

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County Auditor.

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Commissioners.

In the Matter of the.....of a Public Road, Improvement No..... Petitioned for by and others.

AS TO FILING APPEAL BOND

.....appeals from an order of the County Commissioners of Belmont County, made at the.....session, 19....., of said public road, and has this day filed.....appeal bond approved by County Auditor.

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County Auditor.