

St. Clairsville, Ohio, July 26, 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. 191 petitioned for by J. W. Ritchey 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 awards made	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....
	Compensation	\$.....	Damages	\$.....

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.

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:

be

Attest: County Auditor. J. F. Shry, J. W. Dillon, C. W. Wise Commissioners.

No plat

ROAD PETITION

For the re-location of a Road in York Township,
 Improvement No. 192 Petitioned for by T. U. Steiner 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 re-location 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 or near Cove Run Bridge on the State Road leading up Captina Creek; thence through lands of Walter Pearsall, Theodore M. Steiner, E. E. Weil, Bert Galaher, Ross Carpenter, Omar Carpenter, Jacob Kocher and Emmett Bilyeu to connect with road leading from Pea Vine Bridge to Clover Ridge.

Dated this 10th day of June A. D. 1926

PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES
T. U. Steiner Ross Carpenter J. B. Galaher John Schnegg Robert Schupbach Thomas Wilson A. G. Bonar Alex Kanzig E. E. Swegart Phyllis Schepbach J. R. Kocher E. V. Bilyeu O. R. Carpenter George Schupbach		

Filed June 10, A. D. 1926

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Theodore U. Steiner, Ross Carpenter and John Kocher
are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of.....
One Hundred.....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.....Powhatan Point.....Ohio, this 12th day of
June.....A. D. 19 26

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

See Petition

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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T. U. Steiner
Ross Carpenter
John Kocher

Filed.....A. D. 19.....

St. Clairsville, Ohio, June 28, 19 26

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

T. U. Steiner and others, have filed a petition in the office of the Commissioners of the County, on the 10th day of June 19 26 for the re-location 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 T. U. Steiner has filed herein a bond as required by law. It is ordered that the 27th day of July 19 26, 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 9th day of August 19 26, 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 Bellaire Democrat a newspaper published and having a general circulation in the County of Belmont.

Attest:

County Auditor.

C. W. Wise

J. W. Dillon

J. F. Shry

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 27, 1926

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present C. W. Wise, J. W. Dillon, and J. F. Shry Commissioners and Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the re-location of the public road, petitioned for by T. U. Steiner 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 T. U. Steiner and others, in the Bellaire Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation in said county required by law, and the former orders of this Board, the Commissioners on this 27th 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 9th day of August 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.

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

SURVEYOR'S REPORT ON ROAD

Surveyor's Office, Belmont County,

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

St. Clairsville, Ohio, April 11, 1927

Pursuant to your order dated 19....., I make my report to you as follows, in the matter of the re-location of the public road petitioned for by T. U. Steiner and others.

1. My opinion is opposed to the granting of the improvement but with the following changes, which in my judgment should be made, to-wit: **As a grade can not be gotten that is travelable to modern conveniences and the ground is slippery and wet.**
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.