

### ROAD PETITION

For the Alteration of a Road in Richland Township Township,  
 Improvement No. 28 Petitioned for by Samuel Greig. 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*

*Alteration 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 a point where the Methodist Ridge Road joins the Bull Run Road and continuing as nearly as possible in a straight course down the Valley making necessary changes to keep the run on the right hand side of the road-bed, which will naturally follow the left hand side of the valley and continuing in such a course to a point near near Elmer Harvey's gate, , thence across the run by bridge, this being the end of the proposed alteration. This alteration will eliminate nine fordings of the run and will cover a distance of half a mile more or less.*

*Dated this 12th day of June A. D. 1917.*

PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES
Samuel Greig, Jemima Alexander J. R. Lochary Lena Ault Mike Kozlowski	Benjamin Fennell Jennie E. Giffin Jo Kuebel Fred Kurth J. E. Harvey	Harry Christy J. V. Sutton James B. Wiley John Dane John Albert

*Filed July 2, 1917 A. D. 19*

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Samuel Greig J. V. Sutton and R. R. Sutton are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of Two 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 administrators.

Signed by us and dated at St. Clairsville, Ohio, this 2nd day of July A. D. 19 17

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

(For description of Route see page 245 this Volume.)

THEREFORE if, 1st. The petition be not granted; or if 2nd. 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 for said improvement.

ATTEST:

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Samuel Greig

J. V. Sutton

R. R. Sutton

Filed July 2, 1917 A. D. 19

St. Clairsville, Ohio, July 2, 1917 19

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. Arthur Dickson, F. A. Hagedorn, and W. R. King Commissioners, and Bert W. Hopkins Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that Samuel Greg and others, have filed a petition in the office of the Commissioners of the County, on the 2nd day of July 1917 for the Alteration of a public road, along the following route, to-wit: Beginning

(For Description of Route see page 245 this volume)

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 Samuel Greig has filed herein a bond as required by law. It is ordered that the 31st day of July 1917 at One o'clock P.M. be fixed as a date to view the same, at which date they will meet at the Commencing point of said proposed road and go over the route of said proposed road.

They also fixed the 13th day of August 1917 at One o'clock P.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 Belmont Chronicle a newspaper published and having a general circulation in the County of Belmont.

Attest:

Bert W. Hopkins,  
County Auditor.

F. A. Hagedorn

Arthur Dickson

W. R. King

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 31, 1917 19

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. Arthur Dickson, F. A. Hagedorn, and W. R. King Commissioners and Bert W. Hopkins, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the Alteration of the public road, petitioned for by Samuel Greig 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 the road petitioned for by Samuel Greig and others, in the Belmont Chronicle, a newspaper of general circulation in said county as required by law, and the former orders of this Board, the commissioners on this 31st day of July 1917 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 13th day of August 1917 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 30 feet nor more than 60 feet, and also recommend any changes in the improvement, which in his judgment, should be made.

Attest:

Bert W. Hopkins  
County Auditor.

F. A. Hagedorn  
Arthur Dickson  
W. R. King  
Commissioners.

## SURVEYOR'S REPORT ON ROAD.

Surveyor's Office, Belmont County,

St. Clairsville, Ohio, August 13, 1917 19

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

Pursuant to your order dated July 31, 1917 19, I make my report to you as follows in the matter of the Alteration of the public road petitioned for by Samuel Greig and others.

1. My opinion is is in favor of the granting of the improvement; ~~but with the following changes, which in my judgment should be made, to wit:~~ as shown by line "B" on plat



St. Clairsville, Ohio, August 13, 1917 19

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. Arthur Dickson, F. A. Hagedorn, and W. R. King Commissioners and Bert W. Hopkins, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the Alteration of the Public Road petitioned for by Samuel Greig and others, the same came on to be heard for final hearing on the matter of granting said improvement, on this 13th day of August 1917, and find that notice thereof has been given as provided by law, and the former orders made herein, and after having made a view of said proposed road improvement, and having had the report of the surveyor read, and heard the protests for and against the same, find that said improvement will serve the public convenience and welfare and said improvement is granted, and the same is hereby ordered on Route "B" as designated on the plat filed herein by the County Surveyor, and it is further ordered that said improvement as granted above be established.

And the 27th day of August 1917 at Ten o'clock A. M. is fixed as the date for hearing claims for compensation and damages.

And it is further ordered that the Auditor cause notice in writing to be given to the owner or owners through or upon whose lands said improvement is established, and this matter is adjourned to said date.

Attest:

Bert W. Hopkins County Auditor. F. A. Hagedorn Arthur Dickson W. R. King Commissioners.

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 directed to make a transcript of the procedure herein, and file the same in the Probate Court of this County.

Attest:

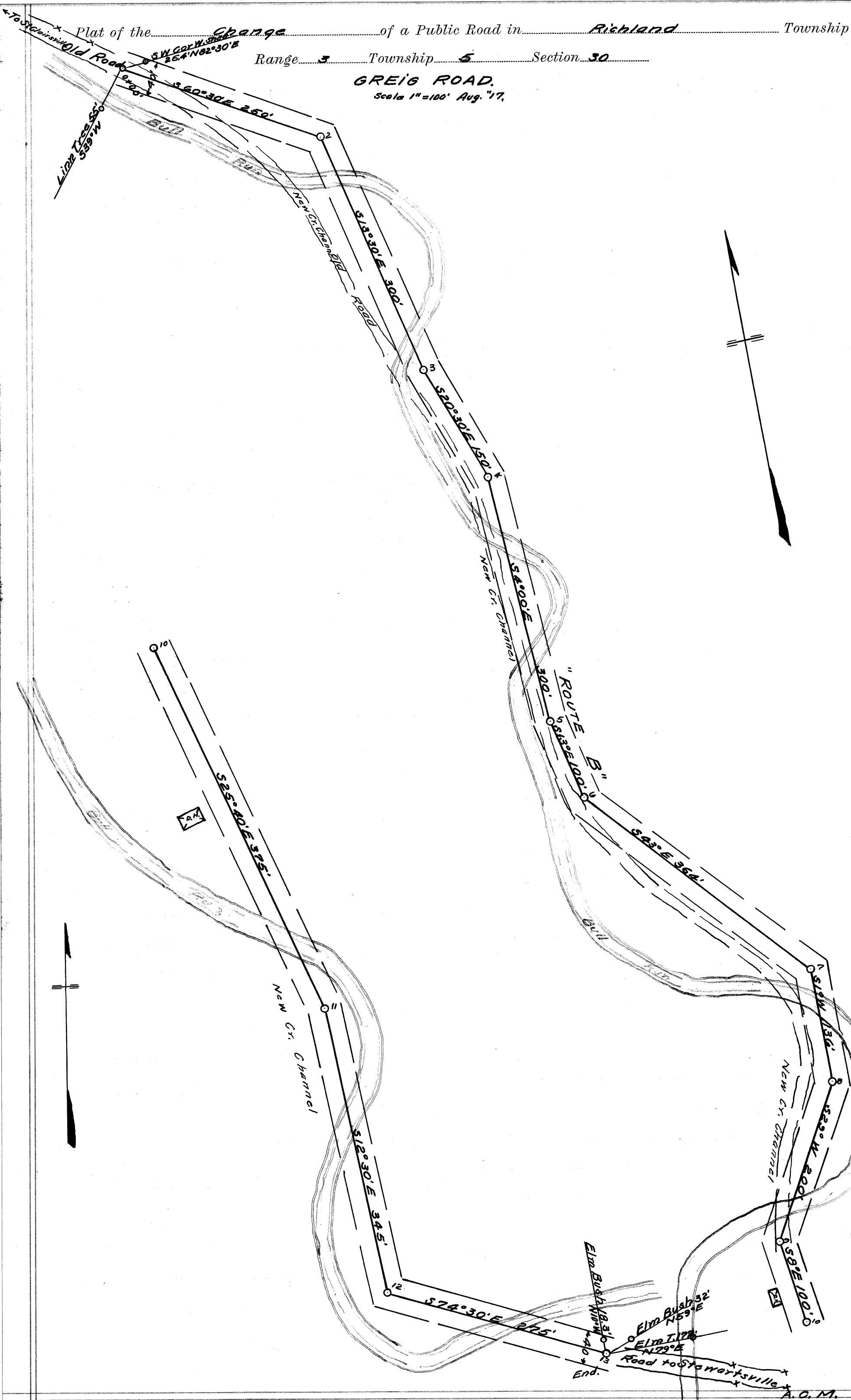
County Auditor. Commissioners.

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, Ohio, made at the session, 19, of said Public Road, and has this day filed appeal bond, approved by the County Auditor.

County Auditor.





St. Clairsville, Ohio, August 27, 1917.

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in special session, present J. Arthur Dickson, F. A. Hagedorn, and W. R. King, Commissioners and Bert W. Hopkins, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that this being the day and 10;00 o'clock A. M. being the hour at which claims for compensation and Damages in the above entitled matter were to be heard, as evidenced by notice heretofore issued in this matter, and the Commissioners not being fully advised in the premises, said hearing is postponed until Monday, September 17, 1917 at ten o'clock A. M.

ATTEST:

Bert W. Hopkins, County Auditor.

F. A. Hagedorn

Arthur Dickson

W. R. King,

Commissioners

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St. Clairsville, Ohio, September 17, 1917.

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in special session, present J. R. Greenlee, A. J. Geller and W. R. King, Commissioners and Bert W. Hopkins, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that this being the day and 10;00 o'clock A. M. the hour at which claims for compensation and damages in the above entitled matter were to be heard, in accordance with the former order of this Board, and the Commissioners not being fully advised in the premises, said hearing is postponed until Monday October 1st, A. D. 1917, at 1;00 o'clock P. M. , and the Auditor is hereby directed to notify each of the claimants in the above entitled matter for compensation and Damages, in writing, that the present Board of Commissioners desire to hear said claimants personally, before awarding compensation and Damages.

ATTEST:

Bert W. Hopkins, County Auditor.

J. R. Greenlee,

A. J. Geller

W. R. King.

Commissioners

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St. Clairsville, Ohio, October 1, 1917.

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in special session, present, J. R. Greenlee, A. J. Geller, and W. R. King, Commissioners and Bert W. Hopkins, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that this being the day and one o'clock P. M. being the Hour at which claims for compensation and damages in the above entitled matter were to be heard, and in accordance with the former order of this Board, and the Commissioners not being fully advised in the premises, said hearing is postponed until Tuesday, October the 9th, A. D. 1917, at 9;00 o'clock A. M. , and the Auditor is directed to notify J. E. Harvey one of the claimants in the above entitled matter for compensation and Damages, in writing, of said date of Continuation. The other claimants in said matter having been present on this day and having been personally notified by said Board to appear here personally on October 9th, 1917, at 9th, 1917 at 9;00 o'clock A. M.

ATTEST:

Bert W. Hopkins, County Auditor.

J. R. Greenlee,

A. J. Geller

W. R. King,

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St. Clairsville, Ohio, October 9, 1917 19

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. R. Greenlee, A. J. Geller, and W. R. King Commissioners and Bert W. Hopkins Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the Alteration of the public road, Improvement No. 28 petitioned for by Samuel Greig 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.

Jemima N. Alexander	Compensation	\$ 15.00	Damages	\$
Joseph E. Harvey	Compensation	\$ 15.00	Damages	\$ 20.00
Agnes M. White	Compensation	\$ 20.00	Damages	\$ 30.00
	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.

And it is ordered that the Auditor draw his warrant on the County Treasury in favor of the claimants above named for the amounts awarded to them respectively as aforesaid.

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 and designated on the plat herein

be opened up and established, and shall thereafter be a public road to be kept and maintained and improved as provided by law.

Attest:

Bert W. Hopkins  
County Auditor.

J. R. Greenlee,  
A. J. Geller  
W. R. King

Commissioners.
