

ROAD PETITION

For the Change, Extension & Re-Location of a Road in Smith Township,
 Improvement No. 30 Petitioned for by S. W. Ault 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 Change, Extension and 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 for the same at a point, the center of a small bridge, on the Glencoe and Warnock Road, on the lands of Albert P. Fulton, west of his residence, thence northwest through the lands of Albert P. Fulton, the lands of Emmett and Maggie Lucas, the lands of William McKelvey, south of the residence of William McKelvey, to the intersection of said road, at or near an oak sappling and an elm sappling north of an orchard on the lands of S. W. Ault.

We respectfully submit that the aforesaid change, extension, and re-location of said public road is necessary for the accommodation of public travel

Dated this 16th day of _____ A. D. 19____

PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES
S. W. Ault	J. W. Kettlewell	W. L. McFarland
John Burris	J. S. Dunfee	Ross Ogilbee
E. W. Irwin	J. C. Higgins	J. R. Piper
F. C. Phillips	John Helpbringer and wife	R. J. & D. R. Dunfee
		and four others.

Filed July 16, 1917 A. D. 19____

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, S. W. Ault, J. W. Kettlewell and W. L. McFarland
 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 administrators.

Signed by us and dated at Warnock Ohio, this _____ day of
July A. D. 1917.

The conditions of the above obligation are such, that WHEREAS, application has been made by
S. W. Ault and others to the Board of Commissioners of the said Bel-
 mont County, for the ~~Change, Extension and~~ ^{Re-location} of a public road, on briefly the following line, to-wit:

(For Description of Route see page 307 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:

S. W. Ault

J. W. Kettlewell

W. L. McFarland

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St. Clairsville, Ohio, July 16, 1917 19

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present J. R. Arthur Dickson, F. A. Hagedorn, and W. R. King Commissioners, and Bert W. Hopkins, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that S. W. Ault and others, have filed a petition in the office of the Commissioners of the County, on the 16th day of July 1917 for the Change, Extension and Re-Location of a public road, along the following route, to-wit: Beginning

(For Description of Route see page 307 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 S. W. Ault has filed herein a bond as required by law. It is ordered that the 14th day of August 1917 at Ten o'clock A.M. be fixed as a date to view the same, at which date they will meet at Commencing Point of said proposed road and go over the route of said proposed road.

They also fixed the 27th day of August 1917 at Ten 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:

Bert W. Hopkins
County Auditor.

J. Arthur Dickson,

F. A. Hagedorn

W. R. King

Commissioners of Belmont County.

St. Clairsville, Ohio, August 14, 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

this being the day and 10;00 o'clock A. M. being the hour at which view shall be had in the above entitled matter, according to notice duly published, in the Bellaire Democrat, a newspaper printed and of General Circulation in Belmont County, Ohio, and it appearing to the Board, that conditions have arisen such that such view cannot be had at this time, on motion duly made and seconded, the time of such view is deferred until August 20, A. D. 1917, at 2.00 P. M.

F. A. Hagedorn,

Arthur Dickson

W. R. King

Commissioners

ATTEST:

Bert W. Hopkins, County Auditor.

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St. Clairsville, Ohio, August 20, 19 17

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 Change, Extension and Re-location of the public road, petitioned for by S. W. Ault 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 S. W. Ault and others, in the Democrat, a newspaper

of general circulation in said county as required by law, and the former orders of this Board, the commissioners on this 20th day of August 19 17 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 27th 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, ~~and~~

~~and also to be taken if the proposed improvement is established~~ Such report shall also state the width of said im-

provement, which shall not be less than 30 feet nor more than 60 feet, and also recommend any changes in the im-

provement, 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 27 19 17

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

Pursuant to your order dated August 20 1917, I make my report to you as follows in the matter of the Change, Extension & Relocation of the public road petitioned for by S. W. Ault and others.

1. My opinion is that the granting of the improvement; but with the following changes, which in my judgment should be made, to-wit:

The width should be 30 and 40 feet that is it should be from Sta "0" to Station 23plus27 feet or (Station 10 on plat) forty feet; thence 32 feet remainder or 4621 feet with the right to slope for the whole distance of 6948 feet. The part herewith to be considered is from Station No. 10 near a small bridge, as mentioned as Big Point in petition to end.

2. ~~The width of road~~

~~Estimated Compensation and Damages~~

~~of the road~~

~~XXXXXX~~

~~XXXXXX~~
~~(Winkler's)~~

~~XXXXXX~~
~~XXXXXX~~

~~My plat and survey is also attached~~

Respectfully submitted,

Harry E. Rice

County Surveyor.

St. Clairsville, Ohio, August 27, 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 Change, Extension & Relocation of the Public Road petitioned for by S. W. Ault and others, the same came on to be heard for final hearing on the matter of granting said improvement, on this 27th 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 as designated on the plat filed herein by the County Surveyor, and it is further ordered that said road improvement as granted above be established.

And the 11th day of September 1917 at 10:00 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, September 11, 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 Change, Extension & Relocation of the public road, Improvement No. 30 petitioned for by S. W. Ault 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.

	Land Taken	Compensation	Fencing	Damages	
E. & M. Lucas	\$64.50	Compensation	\$ 108.80	Damages	\$
Wm. McKelvey	\$168.75	Compensation	\$ 297.60	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.

And it is ordered that the County Auditor draw his warrant in favor of the claimants above named for the amounts awarded 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. F. A. Hagedorn, Arthur Dickson, W. R. King, Commissioners.

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