

ROAD PETITION

For the \_\_\_\_\_ Vacation \_\_\_\_\_ of a Road in \_\_\_\_\_ Warren \_\_\_\_\_ Township,  
Improvement No. 508 \_\_\_\_\_ Petitioned for by \_\_\_\_\_ J. V. Jeffries \_\_\_\_\_ 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 improve-  
ment 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 foot of the hill North of the Children's  
Home and running in a Northerly direction through the lands of Joe Jeffers, ending at the residence of  
Tom Bennett, in Warren Township.

Dated this 5 \_\_\_\_\_ day of Aug. \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 19 46

PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES	PETITIONER'S NAMES
J. V. Jeffries	Leonard Armstrong	C. O. Mellon
J. W. Thompson	Lola I. Thompson	Grover Sutton
Glen Long	Alma Long	Stanley Van Syoc
H. G. Hanes	Lawrence Jeffries	Sarah Jeffries
E. T. Neptune	J. N. Shepard	T. S. Fowler
Fred McLaughlin	Chas. Schafer	W. L. Schafer
J. R. Cassels	L. H. Froehlich	

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, this \_\_\_\_\_ day 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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Filed \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 19\_\_\_\_

St. Clairsville, Ohio, Jan. 20 1947

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present Hays, Hardesty, and Reasbeck Commissioners, and E. E. Taylor Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that J. V. Jeffries and others, have filed a petition in the office of the Commissioners of the County, on the 20 day of Jan. 1947 for the Vacation of a public road, along the following route, to-wit: Beginning ( See previous page )

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. V. Jeffries has filed herein a bond as required by law. It is ordered that the 11 day of Feb. 1947, at 2:30 (E.S.T.) o'clock P.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. (E.S.T.)

They also fixed the 17 day of Feb. 1947, at 10:00 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 Barnesville Whetstone a newspaper published and having a general circulation in the County of Belmont.

Attest:

E. E. Taylor  
County Auditor.

Hays  
Hardesty  
Reasbeck  
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, Feb. 11 1947

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session, present Hays, Hardesty, and Reasbeck Commissioners and E. E. Taylor Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the Vacation of the public road, petitioned for by J. V. Jeffries 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 J. V. Jeffries and others, in the Barnesville Whetstone, a newspaper of general circulation in said county required by law, and the former orders of this Board, the Commissioners on this 11 day of Feb. 1947, 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 17 day of Feb. 1947, 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 [redacted], and also recommend any changes in the improvement, which in his judgment, should be made.

Attest: E. E. Taylor County Auditor. Hays Hardesty Reasbeck Commissioners.

SURVEYOR'S REPORT ON ROAD

Surveyor's Office, Belmont County,

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio: St. Clairsville, Ohio, April 7, 1947

Pursuant to your order dated 17, Feb. 1947, I make my report to you as follows, in the matter of the Vacation of the public road petitioned for by J. V. Jeffries and others.

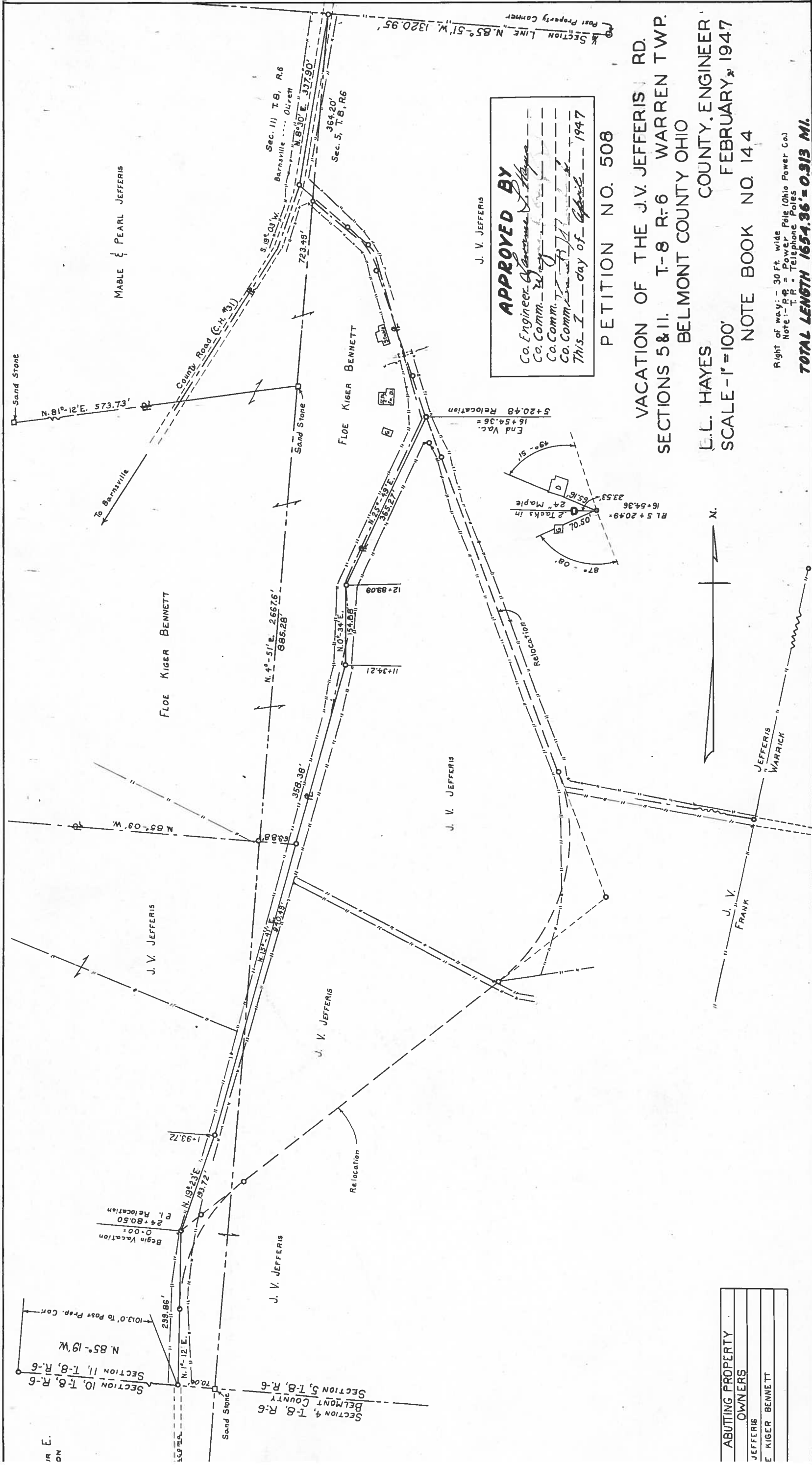
- 1. My opinion is that the granting of the improvement but with the following changes, which in my judgment should be made, to-wit: is should be made because a relocation has been improved thereby making the old road useless to the public.
- 2. The width should be 30 feet See Map
- 3. Estimated compensation 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,





**APPROVED BY**  
Co. Engineer *L.L. Hayes*  
Co. Comm. *W. J. J. J.*  
Co. Comm. *T. J. J. J.*  
Co. Comm. *H. J. J. J.*  
This I day of *April* 1947

PETITION NO. 508

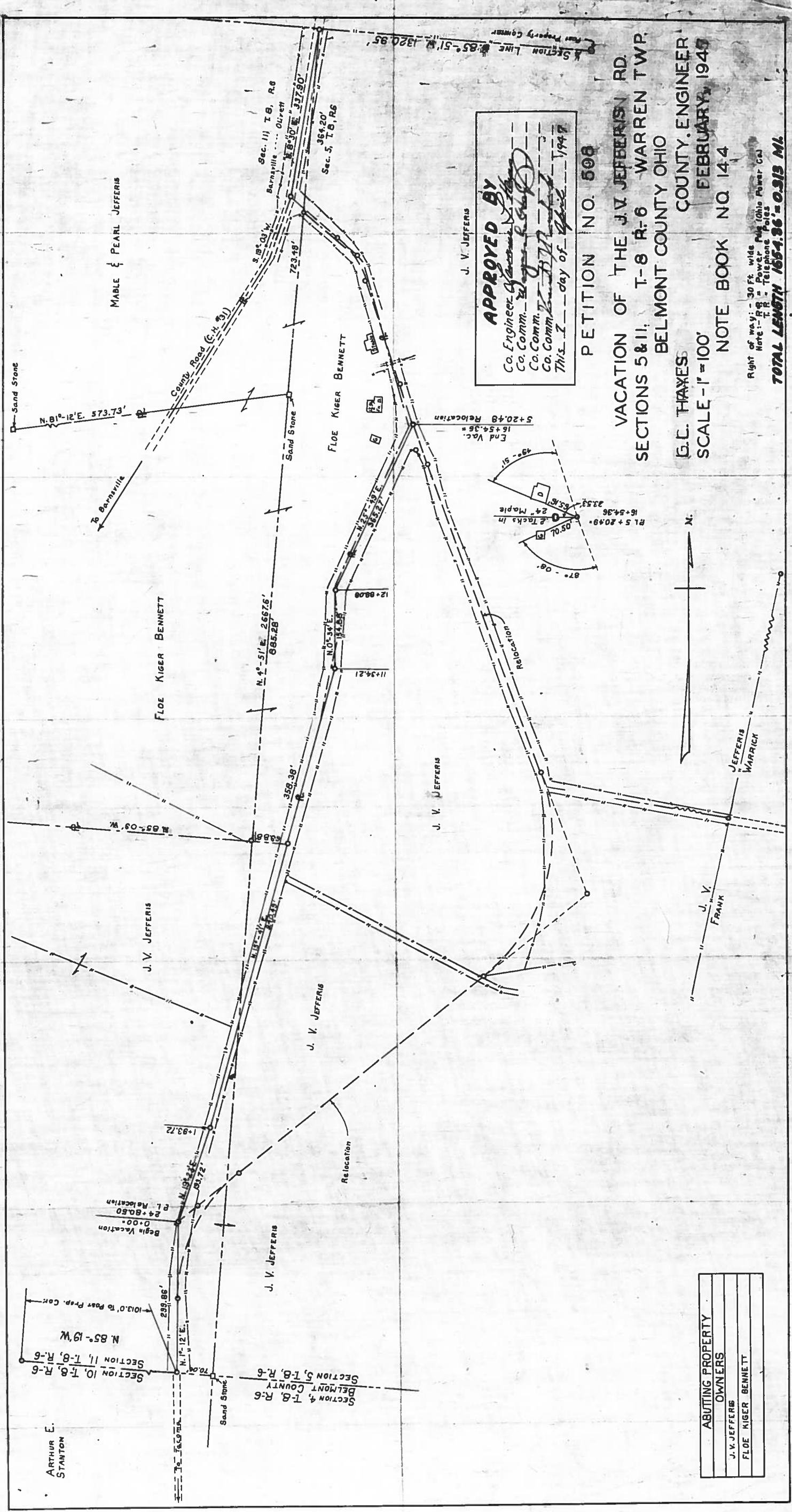
VACATION OF THE J.V. JEFFERIS RD.  
SECTIONS 5&11. T-8 R-6 WARREN TWP.  
BELMONT COUNTY OHIO  
L.L. HAYES COUNTY ENGINEER  
FEBRUARY 2, 1947  
SCALE - 1"=100'  
NOTE BOOK NO. 144

Right of way - 30 Ft. wide  
P.P. = Power Pole (Ohio Power Co.)  
T.P. = Telephone Poles  
**TOTAL LENGTH 1654.36' = 0.313 MI.**

ABUTTING PROPERTY OWNERS
JEFFERIS
KIGER BENNETT







**APPROVED BY**  
Co. Engineer *[Signature]*  
Co. Comm. *[Signature]*  
Co. Comm. *[Signature]*  
Co. Comm. *[Signature]*  
This 7 day of April 1949

PETITION NO. 508  
VACATION OF THE J.V. JEFFERS RD.  
SECTIONS 5&11, T-8 R-6 WARREN TWP.  
BELMONT COUNTY OHIO  
COUNTY ENGINEER  
G.C. THAXES  
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ABUTTING PROPERTY OWNERS
J.V. JEFFERS
FLOE KIGER BENNETT



Plat of the Vacation of a public road in Warren Township.  
Range \_\_\_\_\_ Township \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

St. Clairsville, Ohio, Feb. 24 19 47

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in Special session,  
present Hays, Hardesty, and Reasbeck Commissioners  
and E. E. Taylor, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that  
in the matter of the Vacation of the public road petitioned for by J. V. Jeffries  
\_\_\_\_\_ and others, the same came on to be heard for final hearing in the matter of granting  
said improvement, on this 24 day of Feb. 19 47, and 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 improve-  
ment, 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 improvement is \_\_\_\_\_ granted,  
and the same is hereby ordered \_\_\_\_\_  
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and the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ 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 owners through or upon whose  
lands said improvement is established, and this matter is adjourned to said date.

Attest:

E. E. Taylor  
County Auditor.

Hays  
Hardesty  
Reasbeck  
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 \_\_\_\_\_, 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:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 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, made at the \_\_\_\_\_ session, 19\_\_\_\_,  
 of said public road, and has this day filed \_\_\_\_\_ appeal bond approved by County Auditor.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 County Auditor.



St. Clairsville, Ohio, Feb. 24, 1946

The Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio, met this day in \_\_\_\_\_ session, present Hays, Hardesty, and Reasbeck Commissioners and E.E. Taylor, Auditor and Secretary of the Board, and it appearing that in the matter of the Vacation of the public road, Improvement No. 508 petitioned for by H.V. Jefferies 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.

_____	Compensation	\$ _____	Damages	\$ _____
_____	Compensation	\$ _____	Damages	\$ _____
_____	Compensation	\$ _____	Damages	\$ _____
<u>None</u>	Compensation	\$ _____	Damages	\$ <u>None</u>
_____	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 futher ordered that upon the compensation and award being paid to the owners as above herein ordered, that the public road described as follows:

- See Plat -

(Comm. Journal  
#31 P. 553)

be That said road be vacation as designated in Comm. Journal

Attest:

E.E. Taylor

Hays

Hardesty

