

Separate Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, Viewers of the _____ petitioned for by _____ and others, make the following separate report of the compensation and damages assessed and awarded by them to persons entitled thereto. The parties named below have filed their written applications for the said allowances, according to law, and the same are hereto appended and returned with this report.

Compensation for land taken for said road has been awarded in the following sums:

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} Viewers and Jurors to
award Damages.

18____

St. Clairsville, O., _____ 18____

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Surveyor and Viewers appointed to survey and view the road, as described in the above petition, was read the first time.

ATTEST.

County Auditor.

} Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., _____ 18____

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ATTEST.

} Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., *Sep 3* 18*90*

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the Applicants, sixteen in number, freeholders of Belmont County, residing in that portion of the County in which the County and State road leading from up the west bank of Captina Creek, to Armstrongs Mills, is located, having filed their petition for the vacation of said road, it is ordered that before further proceedings be had upon said application, one or more of the petitioners execute to the State of Ohio, for the use of the County, a

bond in the sum of One hundred dollars, conditioned according to law, with sureties to be approved by this board.

And now comes A. G. Bonar and files his bond in the sum of One hundred dollars, payable to the State of Ohio for the use of the County, conditioned for the payment of the costs of said application in case the prayer of the petitioners be not granted, with Ferdinand Dorsey and sureties thereon; which bond is accepted and approved. And it appearing that notice of the filing of said petition has been given, according to law, said petition was publicly read for the first time, and continued to the next regular session of the board, for further proceedings.

Attest:

W. J. Bury	} Commissioners of Belmont Co.
Geo. L. Israel	
Miles R. Hart	

ROAD PETITION,

FOR An Alteration of Co ROAD IN Pullman, Ib

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned petitioners, resident freeholders of said county, respectfully represent that the public convenience requires the Alteration of or a new survey Road on the line hereinafter described; and pray that your body will institute and order the proper proceedings in the premises to Alter such road, to-wit: Beginning at on Indian run at the west line of the corporate limits of the city of Bellaire, Ohio, thence through the lands of W G Barnard; thence through the lands of Bellaire Rail work; thence through the lands of Michael Dean, thence through the lands of Millard Smith, Ernest and Julia Fabra, lands of Joseph Nelson's heirs, H J Hartenstein Jno H Coulter J T Steel, McIlyar Rowles, Hugh Giffin Elmer Tarbit and terminating in the County road near the barn of Elmer Tarbit.

Dated this 25th day of June A. D. 1890

PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.
Robt Nelson	Mr. Dean	Jno H Coulter	
A A Wise	Millard Smith	Geo M Merty	
R L Hopkins	J A Wise	Wm Nichol	
E M Rowles	Geo K Wise	Jas E Nelson	
N H Rowles	H. Hartenstein		

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we, Robt Nelson and Hugh Giffin residents of Belmont Co are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the ~~penal~~ sum of One ~~hundred~~ hundred Dollars, for the true and faithful payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, our heirs, executors and administrators, by these presents. Witness our hands and seals this 30 day of Aug 1890 Sealed with our seals and dated at

The Conditions of the above Obligations are Such, That whereas application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of said Belmont County for the of a road on the following line, to-wit: the said Hugh Giffin et al have filed their petition with the Commissioners of said County for the alteration of or a new survey of a County road along the following described route: (See petition above)

~~Now if the said applicants shall pay into the Treasury of the said county the amount of all costs and expenses of the new survey of said road accruing thereon, in case the prayer of said petitioners shall not be granted, or when the proceedings had in pursuance thereof shall not be finally confirmed and established, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to be in full force in law.~~

ATTEST.

Robt Nelson Seal
Hugh Giffin Seal
Seal

St. Clairsville, O.,

Sep 4

1890

The Commissioners met in regular session at Auditor's Office, and the Board being satisfied that the foregoing petition was signed by at least twelve freeholders of the county, residing in the vicinity of the Alteration of said county road, and that the proper notices have been given according to law, bond filed, approved and accepted, thereupon the Board appointed Am Ramsey, Jno A Neff, Wm Say three disinterested freeholders of the county viewers, and A J Norton surveyor of said proposed road, to meet J Anderson's office Bellair, Sept 17 1890, 10 AM for the purpose of discharging their official duties relative to the object prayed for in the foregoing petition.

ATTEST.

R. R. Barrett
County Auditor.

W W Berry
Jno A. Neff
Wm R. Hart
Commissioners.

SURVEYOR'S REPORT.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated Sept 5 1890, proceeded, on the 17 day of Sept to survey and mark the Alteration of Indian run road described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

See page 550 for plat.

Beginning at a stake at the forks of Indian run, said stake being as near as could be ascertained in the Corporation line of the City of Bellair, Ohio. thence up the north fork of Indian run as follows. (A large elm on the east side of the run bears $N 48^{\circ} 30' E$ 72 feet, and an apple tree on the west side of same bears $N 55^{\circ} 50' W$ 41.5 feet from said stake. $N 24^{\circ} 50' W$ 300 feet to Sta 1 from which a sycamore bears $S 89^{\circ} 15' W$ 6 feet thence $N 8^{\circ} 50' E$ 194.6 feet to Sta 2 thence $N 88.7$ feet to Sta 3 thence $N 16^{\circ} 30' W$ 268.8 feet to Sta 4. thence $N 13^{\circ} 30' W$ 246.4 feet to Sta 5 thence $N 14^{\circ} 15' E$ 142.9 feet to Sta 6 thence $N 26^{\circ} 45' E$ 258.2 feet to Sta 7 from which the south east corner of the brick ventilating stack of W. G. Barnock coal mines bears south $73^{\circ} 35' W$ 26.7 feet and the north west corner of the brick escape stack for same bears $S 11^{\circ} 50' E$ 34 feet thence $N 10^{\circ} E$ 377 feet to Sta 8 thence $N 23 E$ 218 feet to Sta 9 thence $N 2^{\circ} 16' E$ 434 feet to Sta 10 thence $N 26^{\circ} W$ 284.4

" " " $N 11^{\circ} 10' W$ 262.2 " " " 12 " $N 70^{\circ} 45' W$ 251.8 to Sta 13 thence $N 53^{\circ} 10' W$ 282 feet to Sta 14 thence $N 68^{\circ} 15' W$ 150.8 feet to Sta 15 thence $N 60^{\circ} 45' W$ 182 feet to Sta 16 thence $N 71^{\circ} 10' W$ 116 feet to Sta 17 thence $S 49^{\circ} 50' W$ 68.5 ft to Sta 18 thence $N 36^{\circ} 50' W$ 193.4

" " " 19 from which an elm tree 2 feet in diameter bears $N 0^{\circ} 45' E$ 12.6 feet thence $N 71^{\circ} 15' W$ 235 feet to Sta 20 thence $N 50^{\circ} 45' W$ 190 ft to Sta 21 thence $N 33^{\circ} 30' W$ 158.7 feet to Sta 22 thence $N 32^{\circ} 10' W$ 71.5 ft to Sta 23 thence $N 38^{\circ} 10' W$ 83.7 ft to Sta 24

" " $51^{\circ} 25'$ " 120.4 " " " 25 " " $63^{\circ} 10'$ " 169 " " " 26 " " $35^{\circ} 20'$ " 141 " " 27

" " 67° " 40.6 " " " 28 " " $77^{\circ} 45'$ " 139 " " " 29 " " $N 42^{\circ} W$ 127 " " 30

" " $20^{\circ} 10'$ " 103. " " " 31 " " $51^{\circ} 30'$ " 87.2 " " " 32 " " $77^{\circ} 05' W$ 152.7 " " 33

" " $34^{\circ} 30'$ " 112.2 " " " 34 " " $14^{\circ} 15'$ " 38.5 " " " 35 " " $17^{\circ} 30' E$ 124 " " 36

" " $23^{\circ} 50'$ " 44.4 " " " 37 " " 56° " 212.5 " " " 38 from which a red oak 2 feet in diameter bears $N 46^{\circ} W$ 44.5 feet thence $S 55^{\circ} 15' W$ 109.8 feet to Sta 39 thence $N 72^{\circ} 45' W$ 776.7 feet to Sta 40 thence $N 35^{\circ} 15' W$ 105.9 ft to Sta 41 thence $N 18^{\circ} 45' W$ 186.4 feet to Sta 42 thence $N 39^{\circ} 19' E$ 177.9 feet to Sta 43 thence $N 18^{\circ} 15' E$ 60 feet to Sta 44 from which the north east corner of Hugh Giffins barn on the west side of the road bears $N 64^{\circ} 05' W$ 7.4 feet and the north west corner of a barn on the east side of same bears $S 71^{\circ} E$ 33.5 feet thence $N 21^{\circ} 35' E$ 122 feet to Sta 45 thence $N 10^{\circ} 15' E$ 66.57 feet to Sta 46 thence $N 46^{\circ} 15' W$ 99 feet to Sta 47 thence $N 35^{\circ} 45' W$ 263.4 feet to Sta 48 thence $N 40^{\circ} 15' W$ 425 ft to Sta 49 thence $N 59^{\circ} 15' W$ 428 feet to Sta 50 thence $N 86^{\circ} 20' W$ 468 feet to Sta 51 thence $S 79^{\circ} 50' W$ 444.3 feet to Sta 52 thence

I CERTIFY that the above is a correct plat and return of the survey of the named above.

Surveyor of said

See opposite page for balance of Surveyors report

REPORT OF VIEWERS.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your Sept session, A. D. 1890, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with A. J. Norton Surveyor, at Pellaine on Sept 17th and were severally sworn to discharge, faithfully and impartially the duties required of us in said order.

If any viewer is unable to attend, here state by whom the vacancy was filled.

John R. Giffin and George Thompson were selected by us as chain carriers, and Israel H. Day as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed Alteration on the line described in your order, and caused the same to be surveyed, "as prayed for in the petition, or as near the same as in our opinion a good road can be made at a reasonable expense, taking into consideration the utility, convenience, and inconvenience and expense which will result to individuals as well as the public," by the _____ of said road as follows:

For a more extended report see surveyors report.
We also declare such part of the old road vacated which does not come within the limit of this review.

Surveyors report continued from opposite page
S. $17^{\circ}15'$ W 178.6 feet to Sta 53. thence S $56^{\circ}35'$ W 267.4 feet to Sta 54, thence N $49^{\circ}25'$ " 219.5 " " " 55 " N 86° " 180. " " " 56 " S $84^{\circ}30'$ " 276.8 " " " 57 " N $69^{\circ}50'$ " 318 " " " 58 from which the south east corner of Elmer E. Jarbets barn on the north side of the road bears N $14^{\circ}10'$ W 31.6 feet and the north east corner of a wagon shed on the south side of same bears S $28^{\circ}25'$ W 38.3 feet. Also beginning at Sta No 46 thence N $76^{\circ}45'$ E 74.7 feet to Sta 59 thence N $58^{\circ}15'$ E 305 feet to Sta 60. in County road.

I certify that the above is a correct return of the survey of alteration of Indian run road.

A. J. Norton
Surveyor of said alteration

We would respectfully report that the said proposed Alteration ought to be made for the following reasons:

The old road is mostly in the — with clean crossings. The new line places the road out of the run on good road bed and reduces the crossings to three and reduces the grade to some extent.

We have also determined that the public convenience requires that such Alteration shall be established 30 feet in width.

All of which is respectfully submitted.)

Sept 19th 1890

William Day
Geo. A. Huff
Wm Ramsey

Viewers.

FEES

<u>Wm Day</u> Viewer, 3 days, \$4.50	<u>John R. Giffin</u> Chainman, 2 days, \$2.00
<u>Geo. A. Huff</u> " 3 " \$4.50	<u>Geo. Thompson</u> " 2 " \$2.00
<u>Wm Ramsey</u> " 3 " \$4.50	<u>Israel H. Day</u> Marker, 2 " \$2.00
<u>A. J. Norton</u> Surveyor, 4 days, \$20.00	

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To <u>Michael Dean</u>	<u>\$5.00</u> Pd <u>811</u>	dollars;
To <u>John Coulter</u>	<u>10.00</u> Pd <u>932</u>	dollars;
To <u>Nelsons heirs</u>	<u>10.00</u> Pd <u>933</u>	dollars;
To <u>Geo J. Stul</u>	<u>20.00</u> Pd	dollars;
To <u>Hugh Liffin</u>	<u>100.00</u> Pd No <u>503</u>	dollars;
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To		dollars;

Geo A. Huff
Wm Day
Wm Ramsey

Viewers and Jurors to
award Damages.

Sept 19th

1890

St. Clairsville, O., Dec 1st 1890

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ATTEST.

County Auditor.

Prob. Israel
Miles R Hart

Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., Dec 2nd 1890

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Surveyor and Viewers appointed to survey and view the road, as described in the above petition was read the second time.

ATTEST.

Prob. Israel
Miles R Hart

Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., Dec 3rd 1890

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the viewers in favor of the establishment of said road was this day publicly read being the third reading of the same. and said viewers having filed a separate report in writing of the amount of compensation and damages which they have assessed to land owners by reason of the location of said road through their several premises. said report was also publicly read and the Board being of the opinion that the compensation and damages awarded

by said viewers to said claimants to wit.

J. Michael Drau \$5.00^{Pd 811} Compensation and \$10.00 damages Pd 811,
 " John Coulter 10.00 Pd 932 " 5.00 " Pd 932
 " Jas T Stal 20.00 Pd 519. " 20.00 " Pd 519.
 " Hugh Giffin 100.00 Pd 503 " 80.00 " Pd 503

" Nelsons heirs 10.00 Pd 933. " is reasonable and just. That said road will be of public utility, and of sufficient importance to the public to justify the payment of the Compensation and damages out of the County Treasury, and no petition for review being filed, it is ordered that the County Auditor draw his order upon the County Treasurer in favor of said claimants for the amount of compensation and damages so awarded to them respectively (upon the filing of a certificate by the trustees of Outtery township that said road has been opened according to law) and also the costs of viewing, surveying, chain carriers & markers. That the several reports of the viewers, with the survey and plat of said road, be recorded, and that said road be recorded a public highway. It is further ordered that the County Auditor issue in the name of the Board, an order to the trustees of Outtery township, directing them to cause said road to be opened according to law.

Attest

J. A. Henderson
Auditor

Prob. Israel
Miles R. Hunt.

} Commissioner
of
Pub. Co

Order to Trustees to open road issued Feb 11-1891
 J. A. Henderson
Auditor