

ROAD PETITION,

FOR Alteration of Co. ROAD IN Washington Tp.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

*Washington Tp* in *prayer* for an  
Your The undersigned petitioners, resident ~~freeholders~~ of said county, respectfully represent that the public convenience  
requires the *Alteration* of a *County* road on the line hereinafter described; and  
pray that your body will institute and order the proper proceedings in the premises to  
such road, to-wit: Beginning ~~at~~ *on the South bank of Captina Creek*  
*at the ford on the North boundary of the lands of E B Armstrong in sec. 16*  
*in said township, thence running west through the lands of said E. B. Arm-*  
*strong along the South bank of Captina Creek until it intersects the Old*  
*Road; thence along the line of the old road to the ford, thence through the*  
*lands of Jason Read along the South bank of said Captina Creek and running*  
*north of the dwelling on said land thence through the lands of Jno. Sanford*  
*running north of the barn and dwelling occupied by M. W. Sanford and*  
*terminating in the public road a short distance west of said dwelling*  
*your petitioners represent that the proposed alteration will avoid three fords on said*  
*Captina Creek and thereby avoid the building of three bridges and pray that such*  
*proceedings may be had as are authorized and required by law and that the*  
*proposed alteration may be made at the expense of said Belmont Co*  
*to be paid out of funds applicable to such purpose.*

Dated this *Ninth* day of *Dec* A. D. 18*90*

| PETITIONERS' NAMES.  | PETITIONERS' NAMES. | PETITIONERS' NAMES. | PETITIONERS' NAMES.   |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>John Sanford</i>  | <i>A B Caldwell</i> | <i>Audy Baker</i>   | <i>J M Scott</i>      |
| <i>Jason Read</i>    | <i>Jno Perkins</i>  | <i>Jason Lucas</i>  | <i>Jno Scott</i>      |
| <i>Marin Atkison</i> | <i>Jno Louden</i>   | <i>A B Caldwell</i> | <i>and 118 others</i> |
| <i>W Z Stout</i>     | <i>J E Hamilton</i> | <i>D E Lucas</i>    |                       |

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we, *Jason Read* and *Jno Sanford*  
are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of *one*  
*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.

Sealed with our seals and dated at *St Clairsville* this *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Feby* 18*91*

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 *Alteration* of a *County* road on the following line, to-wit:

*See petition above for description*

Now if the said applicants shall pay into the Treasury of the said county the amount of all costs and expenses  
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.

*E B Armstrong*  
*Emmet Sanford*

*Jason Read* Seal  
*Jno Sanford* Seal

St. Clairsville, O., Febry 7 1891

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 Lee Evans, Samuel Thrall, Samuel Myers three disinterested freeholders of the county viewers, and Jennings Perkins surveyor of said proposed road, to meet at Township Court, Washington Tp. Me. 10-91-10 am for the purpose of discharging their official duties relative to the object prayed for in the foregoing petition.

ATTEST.

A. Henderson  
County Auditor.

Job. Israel  
Miles R. Hart  
Winfield S. Mechem } Commissioners.

### SURVEYOR'S REPORT.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, proceeded, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ to survey and mark the \_\_\_\_\_ described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

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

Surveyor of said \_\_\_\_\_

# REPORT OF VIEWERS.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your Feb 26 session, A. D. 1891, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with Jennings Perkins Surveyor, at Phous Washington on 10th day of Mch 1891 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.

Mr Travis and Foreuzs Reed were selected by us as chain carriers, and Mr Atkinson as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed Road 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 Establishment of said road as follows:

We would respectfully report that the said Road ought to be made for the following reasons:  
That the same will save the Crossing the Creek at three long fordings

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

All of which is respectfully submitted.  
Mch 10 1891

Lee Evans  
Samuel Thrall  
Samuel Myers } Viewers.

## FEEES.

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| <u>Mr Lee Evans</u> Viewer, 1 days, \$ <u>1.50</u>        | <u>Mr Travis</u> Chainman, 1 days, \$ <u>1.00</u> |
| <u>Samuel Thrall</u> " 1 " \$ <u>1.50</u>                 | <u>Foreuzs Reed</u> Ch- 1 " \$ <u>1.00</u>        |
| <u>Samuel Myers</u> " 1 " \$ <u>1.50</u>                  | <u>Mr Atkinson</u> Marker, 1 " \$ <u>1.00</u>     |
| <u>Jennings Perkins</u> Surveyor, 2 days, \$ <u>10.00</u> |   |

# 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:

To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;

Each of the above sums has been assessed without deduction for benefits to any property of the owner, which would accrue by the opening of said road."

The following sums are allowed as damages to be paid to claimants whose premises will be rendered less valuable by the opening and construction of said road through the same:

To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;  
 To \_\_\_\_\_ dollars;

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ } Viewers and Jurors to  
 \_\_\_\_\_ } award Damages.

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St. Clairsville, O., June 1 1891

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.

J. H. Henderson }  
 County Auditor.

Jacob Israel }  
 Miles R. Hart } Commissioners.  
 Winfield S. Truheim }

St. Clairsville, O., June 2 1891

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.

J. H. Henderson }

Jacob Israel }  
 Miles R. Hart } Commissioners.  
 Winfield S. Truheim }

St. Clairsville, O., June 3 1891

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, it is ordered that no further action be taken upon said report until July 6, 91.

Jacob Israel }  
 Miles R. Hart } Commissioners  
 Winfield S. Truheim } of Belmont Co

St Clairsville, O. July 6 1891.

Board met this day as per adjournment, and further consideration of said road report was postponed until Aug 3, 1891.

Attest:

Amos B. Israel  
Miles R. Hunt.

Winfield S. Muehlen

} Commissioners  
of  
Belmont Co

St Clairsville O Aug 3 - 1891

Board met this day as per adjournment and the report of the viewers of said road in favor of its establishment having been publicly read, and L. W. Armstrong and others, citizens of Belmont Co., Ohio, having filed their petition for a review of said road, it is therefore ordered that one or more of said applicants for a review enter into a bond to the State of Ohio, for the use of said County, in the sum of one hundred dollars, conditioned for the payment of the costs of such review in case said road be finally established, with sureties to be approved by this board.

Jason Read having filed his bond with John Sanford and Alice M. Read sureties, executed in accordance with the former order of the board, said bond is accepted and approved. And it appearing to the board, that the petitioners for a review are free holders of said County, residing in the vicinity where said road is to be reviewed, and that the prayer of said petitioners is just and reasonable, further proceedings under the original petition are suspended, and it is ordered that Wm. Day, W. W. Wath, Joshua Worley, James Powell and A. J. Frost, five disinterested freeholders of said County be, and they hereby are, appointed a committee to review said road, and report thereon to this board at its next session in September. It is further ordered that said reviewers meet at Armstrongs Mills, on the 27th day of August 1891, at 10 o'clock a.m. and that the County Auditor issue, in the name of the board, an order to said reviewers, according to law.

Attest:

Amos B. Israel  
Miles R. Hunt.

Winfield S. Muehlen

} Commissioners  
of  
Belmont Co

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of Henry Wiley; thence northwest through the lands of Henry Wiley to a point on run near a walnut tree, thence west near a fence through the lands of Henry Wiley to lands of James Wiley near a gate; thence south west through the lands of James Wiley near a fence to a point near some locust trees in a small ravine; thence in a northwest direction around a brush to lands of Wm Senham; thence through lands of Wm Senham in a northwest direction to near a sycamore tree in a ravine; thence west to a small ravine; thence along said ravine to brow of bank near McMalons Creek; thence downward along the bank to a point near mouth of run emptying into McMalons Creek to lands of Jno Sawyers, deed; thence along north bank of creek through lands of Jno Sawyers, deed to a pair of bars; thence southwest along or near a fence to the lands of Thos. Powell's Heirs; thence by way of the most practicable of the following described routes, to wit:

1st. From the last point named thence southwest through the lands of Thos. Powell's heirs to a point where a small Hickory tree stands at west side of road leading from the Warnock pike to McMalons Creek; thence around bank to lands of John Baugh near an elm tree; thence through lands of John Baugh to lands of Central Ohio Railroad Co., operated by B & O R R Co; thence across the lands and track of said railroad Company to the lands of James and Jno M Warnock; thence through said lands of James and Jno M Warnock to McMalons Creek; thence across said Creek to present County road; thence along present road to near residence of James Warnock; thence through lands of James and Jno M Warnock to the southeast corner of the lands of Jno Baugh; thence through the lands of Jno M & S B Warnock to a point in Jacobsburg and Warnock road near a gate on said lands.

2nd. Or, from a point described in the foregoing on line between lands of Jno Sawyers deed and the lands of Thos. Powell's heirs; thence southwest through lands of Thos. Powell's heirs to point on creek near tenant house on said lands; thence across McMalons Creek to lands of Geo T. Fulton; thence through said Fulton's lands to lands of Central Ohio R R Co., operated by B & O R R Co; thence across said railroad Company's lands and track to lands of Geo T. Fulton; thence west along said Fulton's lands to creek bank near railroad bridge; thence along south bank of creek to lands of James and Jno M. Warnock; thence N. W. through the lands of James and Jno M Warnock and the lands of Jno M & S B Warnock to a point in the Jacobsburg & Warnock road near a gate on lands of said Jno M & S B Warnock. Your petitioners therefore ask that such proceedings may be had as are authorized <sup>and required</sup> by law for the establishment of a road along the proposed route.

ROAD PETITION,

FOR A Location of ROAD IN Richland & Smith Twp.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

*It is necessary for the*  
The undersigned petitioners, residents ~~freeholders~~ of said county, respectfully represent that ~~the public convenience~~  
*of themselves & neighbors* requires the ~~of a~~ County road on the line hereinafter described; and  
pray that your body will institute and order the proper proceedings in the premises to

*such road, to-wit: Beginning at* be established along the fol-  
lowing route. Beginning at the north end of bridge over  
McMakons Creek on the road leading from Glencoe to  
St. Charksville; thence north along a street in Carlile's  
addition to Glencoe and through the lands of Robt  
Carlile to a point in fence near a locust tree thence  
west to township line; thence north along township  
line between the lands of Robt Carlile and Frank  
Caldwell to a sugar tree on said line; thence north  
east along brow of hill through lands of Robt Carlile  
to a point near a spring; thence northwest to the lands  
(See opposite Page)

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January A.D. 1891

| PETITIONERS' NAMES.  | PETITIONERS' NAMES. | PETITIONERS' NAMES.   | PETITIONERS' NAMES.   |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>J H Senham</u>    | <u>R S Sutton</u>   | <u>J C Bowser</u>     | <u>Geo. C Meek</u>    |
| <u>Geo T. Fulton</u> | <u>Henry Wiley</u>  | <u>L B Potts</u>      | <u>Wm Fulton</u>      |
| <u>Walker Fulton</u> | <u>MA W. Kerker</u> | <u>W J Giffin</u>     | <u>Wm Warrnack Jr</u> |
| <u>H S Wiley</u>     | <u>A S King</u>     | <u>P W Helppinger</u> | <u>and 411 others</u> |

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we, J H Senham Walker Fulton and Geo Fulton  
are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of One  
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.

Sealed with our seals and dated at St Charksville this 2 day of Feb 1891

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 Alteration of a County road on the following line, to-wit:

See petition above and attached to this bond,  
for route

Now if the said applicants shall pay into the Treasury of the said county the amount of all costs and expenses  
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.

J H Senham Seal  
Walker Fulton Seal  
Geo T Fulton Seal

St. Clairsville, O., *Mo H 4* 1891

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* practices have been given according to law, bond filed, approved and accepted, thereupon the Board appointed *T. C. Lewis, Stephen Surin, Thos. Bentley* three disinterested freeholders of the county viewers, and *A. J. Norton* surveyor of said proposed road, to meet *at Peter Sullivan's office, Glencoe, April 28 1891, at 11 a.m.* for the purpose of discharging their official duties relative to the object prayed for in the foregoing petition.

ATTEST.

*J. A. Henderson*  
County Auditor.

*Amos Israel*  
*Miles R. Hart*  
*Winfield S. Mechem* } Commissioners.

## SURVEYOR'S REPORT.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, proceeded, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ to survey and mark the \_\_\_\_\_ described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

St. Clairsville, O., April 7, 1891.

Board met this day and it appearing to the board that Mr T. C. Lewis one of the viewers appointed in the matter of the alteration of the Glencoe and Wernock road, is related to some of the property owners through whose premises said road is to be altered, it is ordered that Mr T. C. Lewis be excused and John Stewart of Stewartsville is hereby appointed viewer instead of said Lewis.

Attest:  
*J. A. Henderson*  
Auditor

*Amos Israel*  
*Miles R. Hart*  
*Winfield S. Mechem* } Commissioners  
of  
Belmont Co

For Surveyors Report and plat see p 563.

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

Surveyor of said \_\_\_\_\_

## REPORT OF VIEWERS.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your McK session, A. D. 1891, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with A. J. Norton Surveyor, at Glencoe on \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Stewart a viewer appointed not being present W. W. Watt was appointed by the viewers and Surveyor.

James Miley and James Long were selected by us as chain carriers, and Geo. T. Bullon as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed County Road 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 establishment of said road as follows:

In our opinion the alterations hereby contemplated under unnecessary the following described part of the original road to wit:  
 From the residence of James Warrick eastwardly along creek to the boundary line between Smith and Richland townships.

We would respectfully report that the said County Road ought to be established for the following reasons:

That the road can be made at a reasonable expense; that it avoids nine crossings of Mc Mahon Creek; that it will be away from the B. & O. R. R. and crossing it but once, and that at a point where a clear view of the track can be had for from one to three rods either way.

We have also determined that the public convenience requires that such County Road shall be established thirty feet in width.

All of which is respectfully submitted.)

May 19 1891

Stephen Linn  
Thos W Deutley  
W W Watt

Viewers.

## FEES.

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| <u>Stephen Linn</u> Viewer, <u>6</u> days, \$ <u>9.00</u>      | <u>James Miley</u> Chainman, <u>5</u> days, \$ <u>5.00</u> | <u>Ad 5118</u> |
| <u>Thos W Deutley</u> " <u>7</u> " \$ <u>14.50</u>             | <u>James Long</u> " <u>5</u> " \$ <u>5.00</u>              | <u>Ad 391</u>  |
| <u>W W Watt</u> " <u>6</u> " \$ <u>9.00</u>                    | <u>Geo T Bullon</u> Marker, <u>5</u> " \$ <u>5.00</u>      | <u>Ad 371</u>  |
| <u>A J Norton</u> Surveyor, <u>6 1/2</u> days, \$ <u>32.50</u> |  | <u>Ad 509</u>  |