

Scioto & Darby Creek Road - from Dublin Road to Big Darby Creek

ROW = 60'

ROAD RECORD #6

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(SCIOTO & DARBY CREEK)

JOHN MCCAN ROAD THROUGH NORWICH TOWNSHIP TO THE HONORABLE THE COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY

Gentlemen:

We the Undersigned freeholders of said County Humbly represent that a County Road is necessary to commence at or near the house of Solomon Whitman in Norwich Township on the County Road leading from Franklinton to Du blin thence westwardly to John McCan's Farm, thence westwardly on the most suitable route so as to Intersect the road leading from Urbana to Fuller's Mill on Big Darby at or near George Harris and from or near said harris Dwelling house; pray your homes to appoint suitable viewers for said rout and proceed as the Law directs and your petitions as in duty bound shall ever pray.

Ordered that Andrew McElvain, John Starr Sen. and Joseph Hunter Sen. are and they be hereby appointed viewers and Jerimiah McCline surveyor on said rout and that they meet at the Office of Jacob Gruble Esq. in Franklinton on the Twenty-six day of this Instant June and after being duly qualified as the law directs proceed to view and survey said rout and make report thereof at the next session of the Commissioners of Franklin County.

Commissioners Office
Franklin County
June 6th. 1826

Robert Armstrong
Andrew Dill
Wm. Stewart

Copy furnished to John McCan

The State of Ohio)
Franklin County) S.S.

Personally came before me the subscriber a Justice of the Peace for said County the above named viewers and surveyor of said road and severally took the oath required by Law to qualify them for the discharge of the duties required of them June 26th. 1826.

John McCan, J.P.

Pursuant to the foregoing order I proceeded under the direction of the viewers therein named to admeasure and survey the Ground for a road as hereon protracted.

Beginning at a stake in the western edge of the road leading from Franklinton to Dublin on the west side of the Scioto a short distance north of the house of Solomon Whitman running from thence (marking the Mile according to Law) S. 63. W. 44 poles, S. 52 W. 69 poles, S. 15° 30. W. 70 poles opposite Lattimore's corner S. 62° 45" W. 70 poles to a post S. 72° 30" W. 116 poles to post at Mound, thence N. 63 W. to 82 poles to Oak in Road N. 70 W. 162 poles N. 63 W. 561 poles passing McCan's house , thence S. 80 w. 184 poles opposite John Vanschoyck house, thence N. 81 W. 364 poles crossing the East branch, thence S. 85 W. 116 poles, thence N. 87 W. 806 poles to a stake in the County line in the Lane leading to George Kane's house which stands on the east side of Darby Creek opposite Fuller's Mill which stands on west side of said Creek the hold distance or length of the road being Eight Miles 284 poles.

Jer McLean, Surveyor

We the viewers unanimously agree in recommending the ground surveyed for a road and conceived that when opened and improved it will be of great public utility.

Viewers each three days.

William Kain) C. Carriers) 3 days * Pd. Joseph Hunter)
John McCan) C. Carriers) 3 days * Pd. Andrew Mc Elvain) Viewers
Jno. Vanskeyk) Mkr. 3 days * Pd. John Starr)
Surveyor 4 days Paid. *
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It is therefore ordered that the above road be henceforth of record agreeably to the foregoing field notes and that it be opened 60 feet wide and made in all other respects as the law directs and notice therefore be given to the trustee of the Townships through which said road runs

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Dec 5th. 1826

and order said road to be opened according law.
Robert Armstrong
Wm. Stewart

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COMMISSIONERS OFFICE
FRANKLIN COUNTY

TO

THE TRUSTEES OF
NORWICH TOWNSHIP

February 26th. 1827

Gentlemen:

By order of the Commissioners of Franklin County, I have the Honour to inform you that on the Petition of John McCan Esq. and others for a County Road to be laid out, Commencing at a point at or near Solomon Whitman's on the road leading from Franklinton to Dublin and from thence to Fullers Mill and Big Darby, was by said Commissioners approved of and established according to the new plat and Survey of said road now on file in this office, ordered (to-wit) by the Commissioners of Franklin County that the road is petitioned for by John McCann Esq. and others be henceforth of record agreeable to the field notes thereof and that said road be opened 60 feet wide and made in all other respects as the law directs.

Gentlemen, I have the honour to be your very
noble servant.

J.C. Broderick,

Clerk to the Commissioners of the County.