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COUNTY ROAD

Rathmel Road - from Reese Road to Groveport Road

ROW - 60'

BY THOMAS RATHMILL et. al

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Franklin County State of Ohio

the petition of the undersigned respectfully represent that their interest and Convenience require the location of a County road commencing in the new County Road leading from the Chillicothe and Columbus road in Hamilton Township to Sharps Warehouse in Madison Township on the line dividing Sections Number 26 and 23 in the Township of Hamilton thence East with the section line to the section corner near 100 poles thence North with the section line passing between the lands of E. Reese and Robert Lysle 40 poles thence East to the lands of Thomas Rathmill near 160 poles thence North with said Rathmells line to his North west corner near 40 poles, thence East between the lands of the said Rathmill and Lockard Ramsey to Gahanah Creek or as near thereto as a good road can conveniently be made supposed to be about 135 or 140 Poles thence Northerly up said Creek bearing as near thereto as a good road can conveniently be made to intersect the Lancaster and Columbus road near the Bridge Across Said Creek 80 or 90 Poles and your petitioners therefore pray that the proper steps may be taken to authorize the location and establishment of said road And your petitioners will ever pray ect Oct. 2nd 1839 Thomas Rathmill, Robert Lysle, Thomas Morris Jacob C. Lone, David Whitsel Jeremiah Clark, Amos Reese, James Lysle, Geo. W. Williams, Z. P. Thompson, Francis Johnston, Jacob Fisher Wm Johnston, Benjamin Hoff John Herr George Whitman, John Thompson, John Landis, William Weatherington, Andrew Flennicken J. W. Milligan Peter Stimel A. Harrison Alfred Thompson P. Adams Emmor Cox William Cox Joseph Berger William Barr On the petition of Thomas Rathmill and others for a new County Road to Commence in the New County road leading from the Chillicothe and Columbus Road in Hamilton Township to sharps Warehouse in Madison Township on the line dividing sections Number 26 and 23 in the Township of Hamilton thence east with the section line to the section corner near 100 Poles thence north with the section line passing between the lands of E. Reese and Robert Lysle 40 Poles thence east to the Lands of Thomas Rathmill near 160 Poles thence north with said Rathmill line to his North west corner near 40 Poles thence East between the Lands of the said Rathmill and Lockard Ramsey to Gahanah Creek or as near thereto as a good road can conveniently be made Supposed to be about 135 or 140 Poles Thence Northerly up said Creek bearing as near thereto as a good road can conveniently be made to intersect the Lancaster and Columbus Road near the Bridge across said Creek 80 or 90 Poles Whereupon The Commissioners of Franklin County appointed William Miller Jacob Huffman and Jacob Stimell as viewers and John Sharp as Surveyor and that they meet at the office of J. Murray Justice of the peace in and for Hamilton Township on or before the 11th day of January 1840 or within five days thereafter and after being duly sworn according to law proceed to view survey mark and locate said road and a true plat and survey thereof return to this office on Or before the first monday in the month of March 1840

Attest
 J. C. Brodrick
 Audt. F. County

The State of Ohio Franklin County S S
 Be it remembered that on the 11th day of January 1840 the within Named William Miller Jacob Huffman and Jacob Stimel as viewers and John Sharp as Surveyor of the County Road within referred to appeared before me J. Murray an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County and were severally sworn as the law directs previous to their entering upon the duties of their respective appointments given under my hand and seal the 11th day of January 1840

J. Murray J. P. (Seal)

On an order of the Commissioners of Franklin County made on the petition of Thomas Rathmill and others for a new road in said County and under the view of Wm Miller Jacob Huffman and Jacob Stimel according to said order, after being duly qualified as the law directs on the 11th day of January 1840

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The following was made of which the above is a plat Beginning in the public road in Hamilton Township that leads from the Chillicothe and Columbus road to Sharps Warehouse in Madison Township on the line dividing sections 26 and 23 in said Hamilton Township at a stake erected, thence east with said section line 99 Poles and 20 links to the section corner, thence North with the section line between the lands of E. Reese and Robert Lysle 41 Poles thence East 161 Poles and 15 links to the lands of Thomas Rathmell thence North with said Rathmells line 17 Poles and 15 links to the 1 Mile post thence same course 20 Poles and 18 links to said Rathmells Northwest corner, thence East between the lands of said Rathmell and Lockard Ramsey 136 Poles near to Gahanah Creek (also known by the Name of big Walnut Creek) thence up said Creek N $2\frac{1}{2}$ E 88 Poles and 7 links intersecting the Public Road, leading from Lancaster to Columbus some distance from the Bridge across said Creek on the last mentioned road to a stake whole length 1 mile 245 Poles- Surveyed January 11th 1840

John Sharp Surveyor
appointed in said order

Jacob K. Low)Chainmen
John Sharp Jr.)
Thomas Rathmell Marker

Were all sworn to the calling before entering on their duties

We the undersigned Viewers as Named in the Order of the commissioners of Franklin County as mentioned above by John Sharp the Surveyor have viewed the ground for said new road on the 11th day of January 1840. After being duly qualified, and caused the same to be surveyed having taken matters into consideration as required by law we find the ground generally very favorable for a road and of not much Expense to make a good road, and Consider if the same was Opened that it would conduce to public utility

We therefore report favorable for said road

Jacob Stimmel)
Jacob Huffman)Viewers
William Miller)

Bill of costs and charges on the above Road
To John Sharp for 1 day Surveying \$1.50
" " " " Platting and report 1 day 1.50 \$3.00
" Jacob Low as Chain Carrier 1 day .75
" John Sharp Jr. " " 1 day .75
" Thomas Rathmell Marker 1 day .75

Whereupon George W. Earhart and others presented the following Remonstrance

To the Honorable the board of Commissioners of the County of Franklin Ohio"

The undersigned would humbly state to your honors that they are advertised that a petition will be presented to your board on the 3rd day of December next Praying for the location and Establishment of a County Road on the following described rout viz; Commencing in the County Road leading from the Chillicothe and Columbus Road in Hamilton Township to Sharps Ware house in Madison Township.. on the line dividing sections Numbers 26 and 23 in the Township of Hamilton thence East with said section line to the section Corner near one hundred Poles thence North with the section line passing between the Lands of Reese and Robert Lysle 40 Poles thence East to the lands of Thomas Rathmell, near 160 Poles thence East Passing between the lands of said Rathmell and Lockart Ramsey to Gahanah Creek or as near thereto as a good Road can conveniently be made to intersect the Lancaster and Columbus Road near the Bridge crossing said Creek supposed to be 80 or 90 Poles, which said road if located and established your petitioners humbly believe would not be of Public utility but would be an unnecesssary but thereon many and Esentally injure to some and would not greatly Benefit any further than to gratify the caprice of an individual or two we do therefore intend to use every honorable and lawful means to prevent the location and establishing said road. Oct. 29th 1839- George Earhart, Charles Obez, Thomas Wright John Wright, William Weatherington Elias Johnston, H. Weatherington, Adam Ctstadt, Robert A. Kile, John Shoaf John Miller, John Plum, Jacob Keab James Flemming Ely Williams, James Lindsey, Scoti Chemmens, Forqus Moorhead, Samuel Johnston, John Spangler, Philip Helsel John Berger John W. Kile Ritita Salle, Jesse Welton Samuel Ramsey Alexander Mooberry

To the Honorable the Commissioners of Franklin County Gentlemen

the undersigned A freeholder in said county feeling himself much agrieved by the survey and location of a New County Road as petitioned for by Thomas Rathmell commencing in the new County road leading from the Chillicothe and Columbus road in Hamilton Township to Sharps Warehouse in Madison Township on the line dividing section number 26 and 23 in the Township of Hamilton thence East with the section to the section corner near 100 Poles thence North with the section line passing between the Lands of E. Reese and Robert Lisle 40 Poles thence East to the lands of Thomas Rathmill near 160 Poles thence North with said Rathmills line to his Northwest corner near 40 Poles thence East between the lands of the said Rathmill and Lockard Ramsey to Gahanah Creek or as near thereto as a good road can conveniently be made, Your Petitioners therefore pray your Honorable body to appoint suitable men to view said rout or location so far as it passes through his lands and estimate the damages if any that I may sustain and in duty bound will ever pray

Columbus March 2nd 1840

Lockart Ramsey

On the petition of Lockart Ramsey for damages on a New County Road Petitioned for by Thomas Rathmill and others Commencing in the New County Road leading from the Chillicothe and Columbus road in Hamilton Township to Sharps Ware house in Madison Township on the line dividing Sections Number 26. and 23 in the Township of Hamilton thence East with the section line to the Section Corner; thence North with the section line passing between the lands of E. Reese and Robert Lysle thence East to the lands of Thomas Rathmill, thence North with said Rathmills, line to his North west corner, thence East between the lands of said Rathmill and Lockart Ramsey to Gahanah Creek ect Whereupon the Commissioners of Franklin County appointed John Wintersteen William Kiles and William Rarey Senr. as viewers and that they meet at the office of William Kile Esqr. on the 14 day of May A. D. 1840 or within five days thereafter and after being duly qualified according to law proceed to view so much of said Road as passes through the premises of said Petitioner and estimate the damages if any he may Sustain and report the same to this office on or before the first Monday of June A. D. 1840

Commissioners Office
City of Columbus
March 4th 1840

Attest
F. Cole
Audt. F. C.

State of Ohio Franklin County S S

Personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, William Kile one of the above named viewers and was duly Sworn to act in the promises according to law this 9th day of May A. D. 1840

Alexander Cameron J. P.

State of Ohio Franklin County,

Personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for Said County John Wintersteen, and Wm Rarey Senr. two of the above named viewers and were duly Sworn to act in the Premises according to law this 14th day of May A. D. 1840

William Kile J. P.

State of Ohio Franklin County

We the undersigned viewers appointed by the Commissioners of the County aforesaid to view said damage if any therebe on said road as therein described through the premises of said Lockart Ramsey do assess the same at Forty five dollars for said Ramsey given under our hands this 14th day of May A. D. 1840

1 day 1.00 William Rarey)
2 "Pd2.00 Wm W. Kile)Viewers
1 " 1.00 John Wintersteen)

The foregoing damages having been paid, and the applicant having recieved the same, We the Commissionerw do hereby declare Said Road a public Highway and that the same be opened 60 feet wide and made in all other respects according to law and that notice of this Order be given to the Trustees of the Township through which the same passes

Commissioners Office
June 6 1840

R. W. Cowles)Comrs
John Tipton)F. C.
James Bryden)

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