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FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO”

FRANKLIN CO. O., ROAD RECORD No. 13

ESTABLISHMENT OF GENEVA AVENUE AND JACKSON ROAD

Geneva Avenue - from Harrisburg Pike to Jackson Road

Jackson Road - from Geneva Avenue to Harrisburg Pike

PUBLIC ROAD PETITION.

ROW = 50' each road

To the County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio.

The undersigned petitioners, freeholders of said County, residing in the vicinity of the proposed improvement hereinafter described, respectfully represent that the public convenience and welfare require the establishment of a public Road on the line hereinafter described; and make application to you to institute and order proper proceedings in the premises to establish such road; the same not being an inter-county, highway or a main market road.

The following is the route and termini of said road:

Beginning at the intersection of the Columbus & Washington C. H. Road (I. C. H. # 50) and Geneva Avenue (said intersection point being near stop #3 on the Ohio Electric, or about 300 feet north of the Eakin Road (Road #287)); thence in a northwesterly, northerly direction with the line of said Geneva Avenue to its intersection with Jackson Road; thence in an easterly direction with the line of said Jackson Road to its intersection with I. C. H. # 50, and there to terminate, being about 3200 feet in length and located in Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio.

Petitioners' Names: George A. Phillips, Mary E. Phillips, Earl Canter, W. B. Walton, Celia Sigman, Avada Sigman, Robert A. Goodrich, Mary L. Goodrich, Lester R. Ollam, Clara Smith, Gertrude F. Shafer, J. B. Mendenhall, Laura E. Fisher, John W. Canter, Earl Ashbaugh, Elizabeth M. Walton, Claude M. Sigman, Sr., Robert B. Senter.

Filed April 2, 1923.

BOND.

Know All Men by these Presents: That we, George A. Phillips, L. R. Ollam, W. B. and Elizabeth Mathew, Robert A. Goodrich, Claude and Celia Sigman, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use and benefit of Franklin County, in the penal sum of two hundred dollars, to the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we do hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators.

Signed by us and dated at Briggsdale, this 26th day of March 1923.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, application by petition has been made to the County Commissioners of said Franklin County by George A. Phillips and others for the establishment of a public road; the following being the route and termini thereof; Beginning at the intersection of the Columbus and Washington C. H. Road (L. C. H. #50) and Geneva Avenue (said intersection point being near stop #3 on the Ohio Electric, or about 300 feet north of the Eakin Road (Road #287)); thence in a southwesterly, northerly direction with the line of said Geneva Avenue to its intersection with Jackson Road; thence in an easterly direction with the line of said Jackson Road to its intersection with I. C. H. # 50, and there to terminate, being about 3200 feet in length and located in Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio.

Now if the said petitioners will pay into the Treasury of said County, the costs and expenses incurred in the proceedings for such improvement, in case the prayer of such petition be not granted; then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be in full force and law.

Signed:

George A. Phillips, L. R. Ollam, W. B. Walton, Elizabeth M. Walton, Robert A. Goodrich
Claude & Celia Sigman.

Filed April 2, 1923.

April 4, 1923.

G. A. Phillips and others, on the 2nd. day of April, 1923, filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, a petition praying for the establishment and laying out of a county road located in Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, described in said petition. On motion of Mr. Barthman, seconded by Mr. Westlake, Tuesday, May 1, 1923, at 9 o'clock central standard time, on the line of said proposed road, was fixed as the time and place for the viewing thereof, and Saturday, June 2, 1923, at 9 o'clock A. M. central standard time, at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, was fixed as the time and place for final hearing thereon, and the clerk of the Board was directed to cause legal publication thereof to be made in the Ohio State Journal.

Voting Aye thereon; Fred W. Atcherson, H. E. Barthman and Milton W. Westlake.

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Ohio ss: Franklin County

Paul Eisele, cashier of the Ohio State Journal, a newspaper published at Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio, with a paid circulation of more than 25,000, personally appeared and made oath that the attached printed advertisement was published for one time, April 23rd 1923 in said newspaper and that the rate charged therefor is the same as that charged to commercial advertisers for like services on annual contracts.

Paul Eisele
Subscribed and sworn to this 26th day of April 1923.
Notary Public in and for Franklin County.

Notice of Filing of Petition to Establish a County Road. Notice is hereby given that a petition was filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, on the 2nd day of April, 1923, praying for the establishment of a county road described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the Columbus-Washington C. H. Road (L. C. H. No. 50), and Geneva Avenue. Said intersection point being near stop No. 3 on the Ohio Electric, or about 300 feet north of the Eakin Road (Road No. 287); thence in a northwesterly, northerly direction with the line of said Geneva Avenue to its intersection with Jackson Road; thence in an easterly direction with the line of said Jackson Road to its intersection with I. C. H. No. 50, and there to terminate, being about 3200 feet in length and located in Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio. Notice is further given that Tuesday, May 1, 1923, at 9 o'clock A. M. Central Standard time, on the line of the proposed road, was fixed as the time and place for viewing thereof, and Saturday, June 2, 1923, at 9 o'clock A. M. Central Standard time, at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, was fixed as the time and place for the final hearing thereon. By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio. RALPH W. SMITH, Clerk of the Board. 4-7, 14, 21 3-t

May 1, 1923.

In the matter of the petition of G. A. Phillips and others praying for the establishment of a county road in Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, Mr. Barthman offered the following preamble and resolution and moved the adoption of the same, which was duly seconded by Mr. Westlake.

WHEREAS, On the 2nd. of April, 1923, G. A. Phillips and others filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, a petition praying for the establishment of a county road in Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, as required by provisions of Section 6862 of the General Code of Ohio; and

WHEREAS, On the 4th day of April, 1923, the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, did fix the 1st day of May, 1923 at 9 A. M. on the line of the proposed road as the time and place for the viewing of same, and did further fix the 2nd day of June, 1923, at 9 A. M. at the office of the Board, as the time and place for the final hearing thereon; and

WHEREAS, Legal notice by Publication in The Ohio State Journal, a newspaper published in and of general circulation in said county, was given of the time and place for the final

Franklin County Ohio

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Columbus, Apr. 2, 1923

This is to Certify, that the principal and sureties subscribing to the appended bond appear on the tax lists of Franklin County, Ohio, with the taxable valuations shown opposite their names:

Table with 2 columns: NAME and VALUATION. Entries include G. A. Phillips (4900) and G. A. Phillips (9220).

Signed:

A. J. Hatcher
County Auditor.

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hearing thereon; and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, did on the 1st. day of May 1923, the day fixed for the viewing of said proposed road, meet on the line thereof as described in the petition and heard all the proof offered by any parties affected by said proposed establishment and other persons competent to testify, did go over and along the line of said proposed road and by actual view of the same and premises along and adjacent thereto which are to be affected thereby, does find that said establishment is of sufficient importance to require that the county surveyor be instructed and directed to make a plat and survey of same; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, By The Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, that the county surveyor of Franklin County, Ohio, be and he hereby is directed and instructed to make a plat and survey of the proposed road and make report in writing to the board of county commissioners on or before the 2nd day of June, 1923, at 9 A. M. central standard time. Said report shall set forth the opinion of the county surveyor either for or against the granting of said proposed establishment, which report, together with the plat and survey of said improvement, shall be deposited with the county commissioners.

Voting Aye thereon; Fred W. Atcherson, H. E. Barthman and Milton W. Westlake.

June 2nd, 1923.

To The Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

As directed by your Board on May 1st., 1923, I hereby submit a plat showing Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road in Franklin Township as follows:

"Beginning at the intersection of the Columbus and Washington C. H. Road (L. C. H. #50) and Geneva Avenue (Said intersection point being near Stop #3 on the Ohio Electric, or about 300 feet north of the Eakin Road (Road #287): thence in a northwesterly direction with the line of said Geneva Avenue to its intersection with the Jackson Road; thence in an easterly direction with the line of said Jackson Road to its intersection with I. C. H. #50, and there to terminate, being about 3200 feet in length and being in Franklin Township."

I would recommend that the said Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road be established as at present laid out, and that the same be opened to a width of fifty (50) feet for the following reason, viz:-

That it will be of great benefit to those owning and living thereon and will also be of general public utility and convenience.

Respectfully submitted,
R. S. Blackford, Deputy County Surveyor.

RSB/W

To The Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Franklin County, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

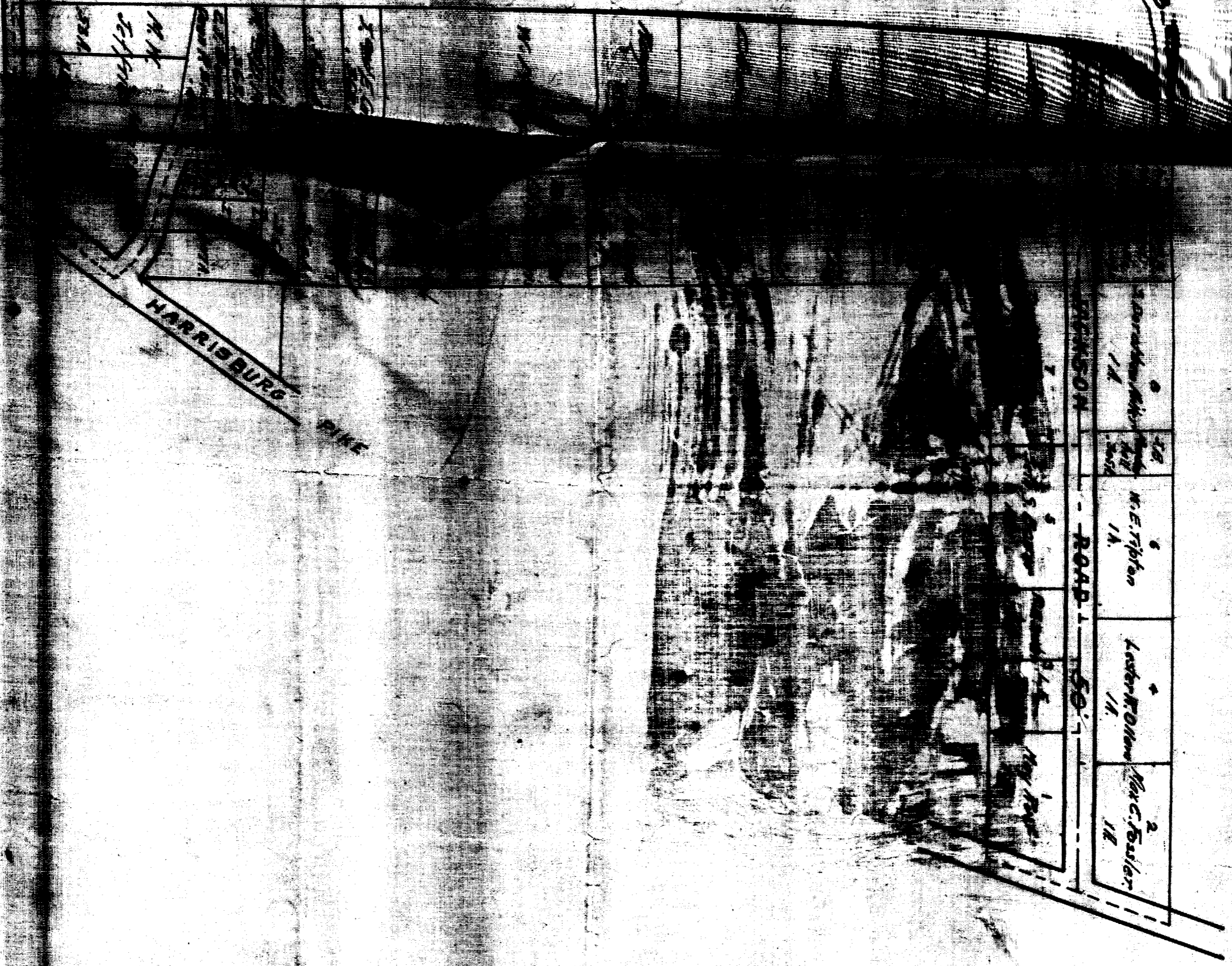
I hereby submit a list of the property owners along Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road in Franklin Township, together with the amount of land owned and the amount of same that will be appropriated by the establishment of said roads.

The deed of each tract embraced in the submitted list calls for the center line of said Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road, reserving, however, twenty-five (25) feet which is to be forever left open for road purposes.

Respectfully submitted,
R. S. Blackford, Deputy County Surveyor.

RSB/W

Ferdinand Frank John
Franklin



HARRISBURG PIKE

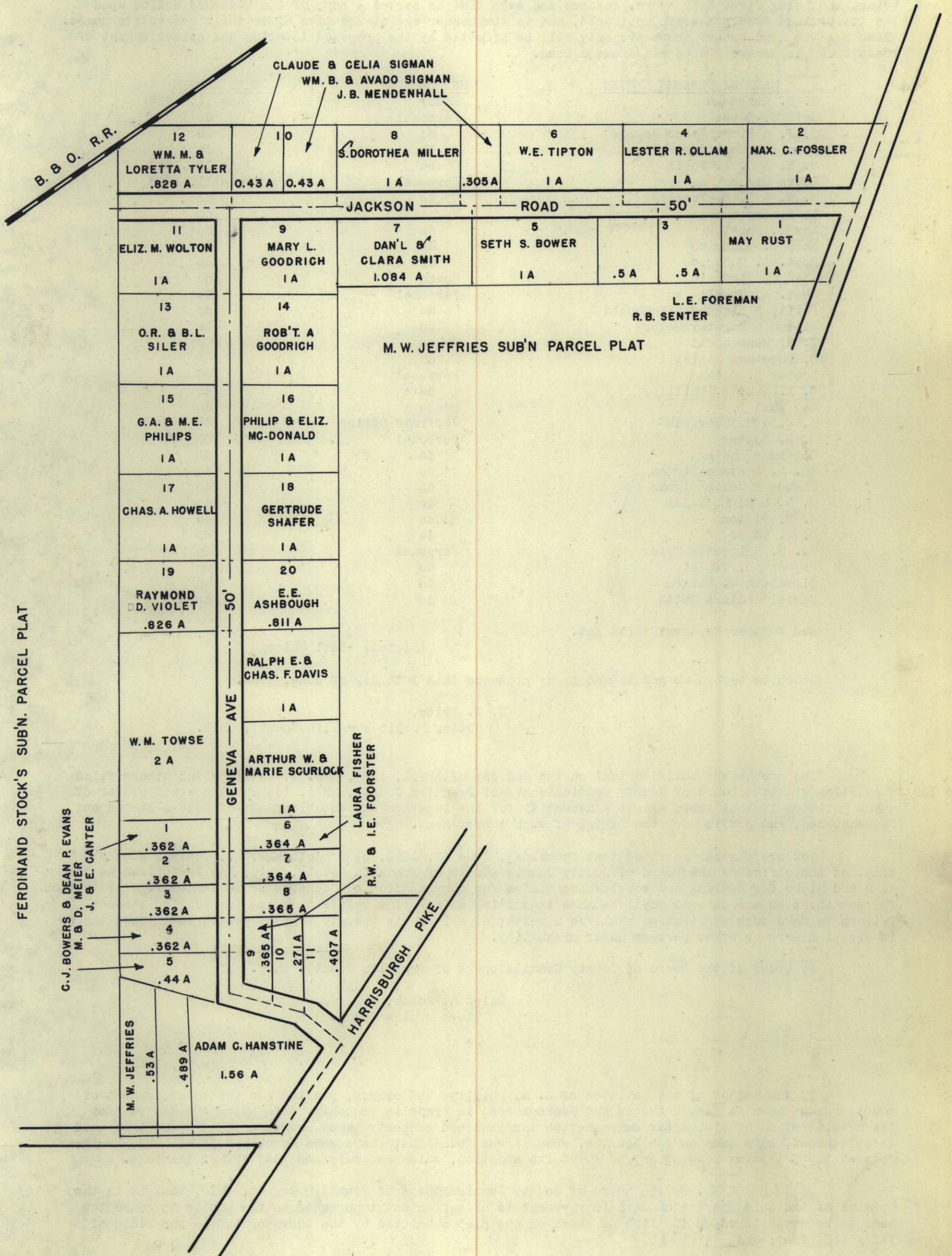
ROAD 1

1/4	1/4	1/4	2 1/2
Franklin	M. E. Ripston	Lester W. Orman	Max C. Fowler

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FERDINAND STOCK'S SUB'N. PARCEL PLAT

C.J. BOWERS & DEAN P. EVANS
M. & D. MEIER
J. & E. CANTER

M.W. JEFFRIES
.53 A

.489 A

ADAM C. HANSTINE
1.56 A

CLAUDE & CELIA SIGMAN
WM. B. & AVADO SIGMAN
J.B. MENDENHALL

12
WM. M. &
LORETTA TYLER
.828 A

10
0.43 A

0.43 A

8
S. DOROTHEA MILLER
1 A

.305 A

6
W.E. TIPTON
1 A

4
LESTER R. OLLAM
1 A

2
MAX. C. FOSSLER
1 A

11
ELIZ. M. WOLTON
1 A

9
MARY L.
GOODRICH
1 A

7
DAN'L &
CLARA SMITH
1.084 A

5
SETH S. BOWER
1 A

.5 A

.5 A

3

1
MAY RUST
1 A

13
O.R. & B.L.
SILER
1 A

14
ROB'T. A.
GOODRICH
1 A

M.W. JEFFRIES SUB'N PARCEL PLAT
L.E. FOREMAN
R.B. SENTER

15
G.A. & M.E.
PHILIPS
1 A

16
PHILIP & ELIZ.
MC-DONALD
1 A

17
CHAS. A. HOWELL
1 A

18
GERTRUDE
SHAFER
1 A

19
RAYMOND
D.D. VIOLET
.826 A

20
E.E.
ASHBOUGH
.811 A

W.M. TOWSE
2 A

RALPH E. &
CHAS. F. DAVIS
1 A

ARTHUR W. &
MARIE SCURLOCK
1 A

LAURA FISHER
R.W. & I.E. FOORSTER

1
.362 A

6
.364 A

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.362 A

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.364 A

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.362 A

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.365 A

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.362 A

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.365 A

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.44 A

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.271 A

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.407 A

HARRISBURGH PIKE

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Owner's Name	Lot No.	Acres Owned	Acres Taken For Road
Ashbaugh, E. E.	20	.811	0.09
Bower, Seth S.	5	1.	0.15
Bowers, C. J. & D. P. Evans	5	.44	0.06
Carter, John & Earl	1-2-3	1.086	0.12
Davis, R. E. and C. F.		1.	0.11
Fisher, Laura	6-7-8	1.093	0.12
" "	10- 11	.678	0.08
Foerster, R. W. & I. E.	9	.365	0.16
Foreman, L. E.	3	.5	0.08
Fossler, Max C.	2	1.	0.12
Goodrich, Mary L.	9	1.	0.24
Goodrich, Robert A.	14	1.	0.11
Hanstein, Adam C.		1.56	0.13
Howell, Chas. A.	17	1.	0.11
McDonald, Phillip & Elizabeth	16	1.	0.11
Meier, Milton & Dorothy	4	.362	0.04
Mendenhall, J. B.	8	.305	0.05
Miller, S. Dorothea	8	1.	0.15
Ollam, Lester R.	4	1.	0.15
Phillips, G. A. & M. E.	15	1.	0.11
Rust, May	1	1.	0.14
Scurlock, A. W. and M.		1.	0.11
Senter, R. B.	3	.5	0.08
Shafer, Gertrude	18	1.	0.11
Sigman, Wm. B. and Avada	E. $\frac{1}{2}$ 10	.43	0.06
Sigman, Claude & Celia	W. $\frac{1}{2}$ 10	.43	0.06
Siler, O. R. & B. L.	13	1.	0.11
Tipton, W. E.	6	1.	0.15
Towse, W. M.	2		0.22
Tyler, Wm. M. & Loretta	12	.828	0.014
Violet, Raymond D.	19	.826	0.09
Walton, Eliz. M.	11	1.	0.12
Smith, Daniel and Clara	7	1.084	0.16

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June 2, 1923.

Mr. Barthman offered the following preamble and resolution in the matter of the petition for the establishment of Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road, and moved the adoption of the same, which was duly seconded by Mr. Westlake.

WHEREAS, On the 1st. day of May 1923, the Board of County Commissioners did, by resolution duly adopted, authorize and direct the surveyor of Franklin County, Ohio, to make report in writing for the Board on or before the 2nd. day of June, 1923, at 9 A. M. central standard time; said report to be in manner and form set forth and required by Section 6865 General Code; and

WHEREAS, On the 2nd day of June, 1923, R. S. Blackford, deputy county surveyor, made report thereon in writing; and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, finds that the public utility and welfare require the establishment of said roads as described in said petition, and as shown on plat as submitted with surveyor's report; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, that said roads, as described and prayed for in the petition and as shown on the plat submitted by the surveyor, be and the same are hereby found and declared to be of sufficient public importance as to cause the establishment thereof to the width of fifty (50) feet; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the 27th day of June, 1923, at 9 A. M. central standard time, be, and the same is hereby fixed as the time and the office of the Board of County Commissioners as the place for hearing claims for compensation and damages, and that all claims for compensation and damages shall be filed with the board before the time of said hearing; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That notice of such time and place of hearing such claims shall be served on the owners, as provided by Section 6870 General Code.

Voting Aye thereon; Fred W. Atcherson, H. E. Barthman and Milton W. Westlake.

PROOF OF SERVICE.

State of Ohio)
County of Franklin) ss

On the 12th day of June, 1923, personally appeared before me, Earl Shirey, Ass't County Surveyor, who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he served a copy of the attached notice upon the lot or land owners therein mentioned, and in the manner and at the time after their respective names. These are the land owners whose property will be affected by the proposed location and establishment of roads known as Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road.

<u>Name of Persons Served</u>	<u>How Served</u>	<u>When Served.</u>
E. E. Ashbaugh	House	June 11, 1923
Seth S. Bower	Personal	do
C. J. & D. P. Evans Bowers	do	do
John and Earl Carter	do	do
R. E. & C. F. Davis	House	June 12, 1923
Laura Fisher	Personal	June 11, 1923
R. W. & I. E. Foerster	House	do
L. E. Foreman	Personal	do
Max C. Fossler	do	do
Mary L. Goodrich	do	do
Robt. A. Goodrich	do	do
Adam C. Hanstein	House	do
Chas. A. Howell	Personal	do
Philip & Elizabeth McDonald	do	do
Milton & Dorothy Meier	do	do
J. E. Mendenhall	House	do
S. Dorothea Miller	do	do
Lester R. Ollam	Personal	do
G. A. & M. E. Phillips	do	do
May Rust	House	do
A. W. & M. Scurlock	Jeffreys Office	do
R. B. Senter	Personal	do
Gertrude Shafer	do	do
Wm. B. & Avada Sigman	do	do
Claude & Celia Sigman	do	do
O. R. & B. L. Siler	do	do
W. E. Tipton	House	do
W. M. Touse	do	do
Wm. M. & Loretta Tyler	Personal	do
Raymond D. Violet	do	do
Elizabeth M. Walton	do	do
Daniel & Clara Smith	do	do

and further deponent saith not.

(Signed) Earl Shirey

Sworn to before me and signed in my presence this 12th day of June, 1923.

W. W. Price
Notary Public Franklin County,
Ohio.

You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of April, 1923, Geo. A. Phillips and others filed a petition with the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, the substance

and prayer of which petition is that there exists a necessity for the location and establishment of Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road, and praying for the making of such improvement.

You are further notified that Wednesday, June 27, 1923 at 9 o'clock A. M., central standard time, at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, has been fixed as the time and place for hearing and considering claims for compensation and damages in said matter. Application for compensation and damages shall be made in writing at any time before the time for hearing thereon. Failure to make such application shall be a waiver of all rights thereto by every person interested therein except minors or other persons under disability.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio.

Ralph W. Smith,
Clerk of the Board.

June 27, 1923.

In the matter of the petition of G. A. Phillips and others, praying for the establishment of county roads known as Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road in Franklin Township, this being the day set for the consideration of claims for compensation for land and property taken and damages on account of said establishment, same came on for hearing, when it was found that there were no claims filed. Mr. Barthman offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which was duly seconded by Mr. Westlake.

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, that it is the opinion of the said Board that said improvement is of sufficient importance to the public to cause the same to be established on the line as shown on the plat submitted by the surveyor and to the width of fifty (50) feet; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Surveyor of Franklin County, Ohio, be and he hereby is ordered to stake out said road on the line as shown on the plat submitted and to the width of fifty (50) feet, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be transmitted to the said Surveyor of Franklin County, Ohio.

Voting Aye thereon; Fred W. Atcherson, H. E. Barthman and Milton W. Westlake.

July 9th, 1923.

To The Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio.

Gentlemen:-

As directed by your Board on June 27th, 1923, in regard to staking out the line of Geneva Avenue and Jackson Road in Franklin Township, I proceeded to carry out the order but found, upon investigation, that same was not necessary, as all property abutting upon said roads reserves twenty-five feet, or one-half of said roadway width, for road purposes. I also found that fence lines, where constructed, are set to the proper distance back, thereby giving a width of fifty (50) feet.

RSB/HJW

Respectfully submitted,
R. S. Blackford, Deputy County Surveyor.