

In the County Court of the State Oregon

In and For the County of Umatilla

In the Matter of the Vacation of a Portion
of County Road 27 in Sections 23 and 24,
Township 4 North, Range 35 East of the
Willamette Meridian.

} Final Order of Vacation

Be it remembered that at a regular session of the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, held in the Courtroom of said Court in the Temporary Umatilla County Courthouse at Pendleton, Oregon, on the 8th day of June, 1955, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m., present:

D. R. Cook, County Judge, and J. E. Olinger and Roscoe H. Kelley, County Commissioners, the following proceedings were had:

Whereas, by resolution unanimously adopted on the 27th day of April, 1955, it was declared that proceedings to vacate those portions of County Road 27 hereinafter described, would be undertaken, and said proceedings were instituted, and the County Roadmaster was notified of said proceedings and was ordered and directed to examine said portions of County Road 27 and to make a report in writing on the same as provided by law; and

Whereas, said County Roadmaster did examine said portions of County Road 27, and on the 3rd day of May, 1955, made his report in writing thereon as required by law, and filed said report with the County Clerk of Umatilla County, Oregon, and

Whereas, said notice of hearing was duly given by posting as required by law on the 4th day of May, 1955, which was more than thirty days before the day set for said hearing; and proof that such notice has been given was made by affidavit of the County Roadmaster, now on file herein; and,

Whereas, pursuant to said order and notice this matter came on duly to be heard by the County Court of Umatilla County, Oregon, in the Courtroom of said Court in the Temporary Umatilla County Courthouse at Pendleton, Oregon, on the 8th day of June, 1955, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m., at which time and place the said report of the County Roadmaster was duly heard and considered, and the said resolution instituting said proceeding was duly considered and ~~only one~~ objection was made by any person to the vacation of

said portions of County Road 27, as attached hereto and marked Exhibit "B"; and

Whereas, it appears to this Court that said portions of County Road 27, ~~with the exception, as listed in Exhibit "B" and attached hereto,~~ are not now in use by the public, and that they will not be a useful part of the general road system of Umatilla County, Oregon, and it further appears that the public will be benefited by the vacation thereof; and the Court being fully advised in the premises;

It Is Hereby Ordered that the following described portions of County Road 27, of Umatilla County, Oregon, described as follows *to wit* and ~~taking into consideration and granting the lone objection as listed in said Exhibit "B",~~ to wit:

Beginning at the Southeast Corner of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 23, Township 4 North, Range 35 East of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence in a Southeasterly direction across said Section 23, and Section 24, Township 4 North, Range 35 East of the Willamette Meridian to the Southeast Corner of the Southeast quarter of said Section 24,

be and the same are hereby vacated.

It Is Further Ordered that this Order be entered in the Journal of this Court.

Date June 8, 1955

UMATILLA COUNTY COURT

Attest:

D. R. Cook
COUNTY JUDGE

Jessie M. Bell
County Clerk

J. O. Higgins
COUNTY COMMISSIONER

By Rosemary Belts,
Deputy

Roscoe Kelley
COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Exhibit 0



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June 2, 1955

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CHIEF COUNSEL

The County Court of Umatilla County
Pendleton, Oregon

Attention: Honorable Judge Sam Cook

Gentlemen:

It has come to our attention that vacation notices have been posted on the County road leading easterly from the cemetery in the City of Weston along the 16th line in the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23, Township 4 N., Range 35 E.W.M.

The abandonment of this section of road is very objectionable to the State Highway Commission in that the State owns and frequently operates a quarry located adjacent to the northerly side of this road, approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ mile easterly from the cemetery.

The closure of this road would isolate the States property and leave it without access to our highways. Therefore, it is being requested by this letter that this County road not be vacated.

Very truly yours,

E. G. Bickmore
Assistant Division Engineer

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cc - H. G. Smith