

# Gravel Road Petition

## Notice of Gravel

### Road Petition

~~Notice is hereby given that a petition of which the following is a true copy, to-wit:~~

#### GRAVEL ROAD PETITION

To the honorable Board of Commissioners of Vermillion County, Indiana.

The undersigned petitioners respectfully represent to your honorable body that they and each of them are resident freeholders and voters of Vermillion and Eugene Townships more than ten being from Eugene Township, Vermillion County, Indiana, and that there is no incorporated town or city in said township containing thirty thousand inhabitants, and said petitioners petition your honorable body to improve and cause to be improved by proper draining, grading and paving with stone, gravel or other road paving materials, the following highway on the North line of Vermillion Township, to-wit:

Commencing in the center of the Newport-Cayuga Free Gravel road at the Northeast corner of the Northwest quarter of section twenty-one (21) in township seventeen (17) North of Range nine (9) West, thence West on the North line of said section twenty-one (21) and township line, following the course of the present roadway as near as practicable, about one half mile, more or less, to where said road leaves said line near the foot of the Moffat Hill.

And your petitioners ask that on the presenting of this petition that your honorable body will appoint a competent civil engineer and two viewers, each of whom shall be a responsible freeholder and voter of said county, not a resident of, nor taxpayer, nor owner of taxable property in said townships, to take all needful surveys of said road, determining whether such improvements shall be of public utility, the width of such highway, not less than thirty-six feet, the character of the improvements, including grading, draining, paving, together with com-

plete plans and specifications of said improvements, and all other requirements therein, and estimate the cost of each improvement to be made, and after all things have been found to be regular and in conformity to law, with reference to the above requirements, that said highway be ordered made without submitting the matter to the voters of said townships, for which your petitioners pray.

#### NAMES OF PETITIONERS

Barton S. Aikman	Henry Watson
Elmer Bush	James Chipps
Sam D. Chipps	J. A. Hughes
Lewis Coil	R. A. Wiltermood
Maurice Hegarty	E. R. Stephens
Wm. Hegarty	B. F. Wise
John R. Wright	Iles Morehead
W. H. Wiltermood	Wm. White
H. O. Nixon	William Moore
John Myers	C. H. Thornton
H. C. Sawyer	L. J. Place
Geo. Morehead	H. B. Aikman
W. P. Thomas (E)	F. Guilliams
E. J. Place	O. L. Brown
A. J. Ingram	B. H. Davis
Z. T. Galloway	E. S. Eggleston
J. W. Thomas	Irene T. Thomas (E)
Leslie N. Thomas (E)	by Irene T. Thomas, guardain
Susie N. Thomas (E)	
Nellie C. Thomas (E)	
John J. Dale (E)	Wm. Adams (E)
W. P. Darroch (E)	
Dan Connaway (E)	
H. Moffett Booe (E)	
Geo. E. Weir (E)	F. C. Darroch (E)
H. T. Payne	R. V. Hughes
E. B. Brown	R. J. Hasty
Morton Hollingsworth	
I. M. Casebeer	Frank Wiltermood
Oscar Guilliams	John G. Todd (E)
E. E. Neel	M. W. Coffin (E)
Chas. Hosford (E)	John W. Thomas

~~Was on the 14th day of April, 1913, filed in my office, and that I have designated by endorsement on said petition, Monday, May 5th, 1913, as a day of the regular May term 1913, as the day on which the within petition will be presented to the Board~~

Witness my hand and seal of the Board of Commissioners on this 14th day of April, 1913.

ROY SLATER,  
Auditor, Vermillion County.  
F. W. Ingram, Atty. for Petitioners.