

Order for Laying a Road December 16th 1853

We the undersigned Supervisors in and for the town of Fulton, County of Rock and State of Wisconsin do hereby certify that we on the application of six or more freeholders and residents of said town, asking for the laying out of a public highway in said town, caused notice in writing to be posted up in three of the most public places in said town, fixing therein the time when and the place where we would meet to decide upon the aforesaid application, and also specifying in said notices as near as practicable the road proposed to be laid out and the several tracts of land through which the same might pass; which notices were posted up at least ten days before the time fixed therein for said meeting and we do further certify that being fully satisfied that all the notices required by law to be given to occupants were given pursuant to Statute, we on this 16th day of December A.D. 1853 it being the specified time in said notices for said meeting, met at the hour and place therein named and proceeded personally to examine said proposed highway; heard all the reasons for and against laying out the same and decided that said proposed highway was necessary and proper. We do further certify that thereupon we caused an accurate survey of said proposed highway to be made which survey is as follows to wit:

Beginning in the center of a public highway leading from the Indian Ford to Fulton Depot on the quarter line of Section 9 in said town and running; thence west on said line through Sec. 8 & 7 to the west line of said town a distance of 196.50 chains. The aforesaid course and distance in the center line of said proposed road and now therefore we the Supervisors aforesaid do on this 16th day of December A.D. 1853 order and declare the above described road to be a public highway four rods wide and we do further order the same (and we do) to be kept open as such pursuant to Statute.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 16th day of December A.D. 1853.

Eljah True
O.R. Messinger

Attest:

Isaac Howe
Town Clerk

Recorded this 8th day of April A.D. 1854