

H. J. SHARPE COUNTY DITCH

A-Petition

London, Ohio
January 14, 1946

Petition for relocation and reconstruction of Lateral No. 6 and extension thereof and cleaning of outlet-Sharp County Ditch.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Madison County, Ohio:

The undersigned hereby petition your honorable body for the relocation and reconstruction of Lateral No. 6 and extension thereof-Sharp County Ditch and cleaning of outlet on the course hereinafter set forth.

The construction of the improvement is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare.

The following is the course and termini of said proposed improvement, to-wit:

Commencing on the land owned by the heirs of Michael and Hannah L. Ryan at the head of Lateral No. 6 and the extension thereof of the Sharp County Ditch; thence following said Lateral No. 6 and extension thereof or as near thereto as practical in a general northerly direction through the land of said Ryan heirs, Oscar Reeves, Lawrence Storts, crossing State route No. 665 and the Big 4 Railroad and through land of Mason and Leah Daily to the Sharp Main Ditch and cleaning out the said main ditch far enough to provide a sufficient outlet, also for the location and construction of any necessary laterals.

The following is the nature of the work petitioned for:

To relocate and reconstruct said Lateral No. 6 and the extension thereof by using tile of sufficient size to properly drain lands having said Lateral as an outlet and the cleaning of the outlet ditch as far as may be necessary. Also to locate and construct any necessary laterals.

Names and addresses, where known, of all owners of the land which the petitioner claims will be benefited or damaged by the construction of the proposed improvement:

Oscar Reeves	London, Ohio
Mason M. & Leah W. Daily	London, Ohio
John E. Harper	London, Ohio
David & Lilly Gorman	London, Ohio
Wm. F. & Bertha C. Amrine	London, Ohio
Edward & Mary T. Lanigan	London, Ohio
William B. & Katherine J. Small	London, Ohio
Earl Kennedy	London, Ohio
Edward P. Speasmaker	London, Ohio
Lawrence Storts	London, Ohio
Herbert Ryan	London, Ohio
Julia Ryan	London, Ohio
Joseph Ryan	London, Ohio
Anna Ryan	London, Ohio
Sarah Hayman	London, Ohio
Mary Morrissey-c/o Herbert Ryan	London, Ohio
Lucy Gallagher	London, Ohio

B-Bond

Know All Men By These Presents, That we, Oscar Reeves, as principal, and Herbert Ryan and W. T. Booth as suret are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to the payment of which sum, 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 London, Ohio, this 14 day of January, 1946.

The Condition of the Above Obligation is Such, That, Whereas, on the 14 day of January, 1946, the above bound Oscar Reeves et al filed their petition with the Auditor of Madison County, Ohio, making application to the County Commissioners for the relocation, reconstruction of Lateral No. 6 and extension thereof of the Sharp County Ditch originally petitioned for by H. J. Sharp and others, the following being the course and termini of said proposed improvement, to-wit:

Commencing on the land owned by the heirs of Michael and Hannah Ryan at the head of Lateral No. 6 and the extension thereof of the Sharp County Ditch; thence following said Lateral No. 6 and extension thereof or as near thereto as practiced in a general northerly direction through land of said Ryan heirs, Oscar Reeves, Lawrence Storts, crossing State route #665 and the Big 4 Railroad and through land of Mason and Leah Daily to the Sharp Main Ditch far enough to provide a sufficient outlet, also for the location and construction of any necessary laterals.

Now, if the said Oscar Reeves will pay all costs, if the prayer of the petition is not granted or if said petition is for any cause dismissed, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

The above bond is approved this 14 day of Jan. 14, 1946

Oscar Reeves
Herbert Ryan
W. T. Booth

Robert K. Dixon, County Auditor

C-Resolution-Order Fixing Time of View and First Hearing

In the Matter of the Single
County Ditch Petitioned for
by Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Comm.
Madison County, Ohio
Jan. 14, 1946

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the 14 day of Jan., 1946, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong
Gola Mink

Mr. Mink moved the adoption of the following Resolution;

Whereas, This 14 day of Jan., 1946, the County Auditor gave notice to the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, of the filing with him of a petition signed by Oscar Reeves and Herbert Ryan, petitioners; for the relocation and reconstruction of Lateral #6 and extension thereof Sharp County Ditch and cleaning outlet thereof: and

Whereas, It appears to said Board that the proper bond has been filed with the Auditor and by him approved, conditioned for the payment of all costs, if the prayer of the petition is not granted, or if said petition is for any cause dismissed; therefore, be it

Resolved, By said Board of County Commissioners, that the 7 day of February, 1946, at ten o'clock A. M., at the upper terminus of the improvement, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for the view thereon; and be it further

Resolved, That the 11 day of February, 1946, at ten o'clock A. M., at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of said County be and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for the first hearing on the petition; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of said view and hearing be given, as required by law.

Mr. Armstrong seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Rodney Plymell, yes
Mr. R. W. Armstrong, yes
Mr. Gola Mink, yes

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk of the
Board of County Commissioners of
Madison County, Ohio

D-Resolution-Commissioners' Finding for the Improvement

In the Matter of the
Single County Ditch
Petitioned for by
Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Comm.
Madison County, Ohio
Feb. 11, 1946

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the 11 day of Feb., 1946, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong
Gola Mink

Mr. Mink moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas, This being the day fixed by said Board in its order dated the 14 day of January, 1946, for the hearing on the petition in the above named improvement, the said Board met at its office, and conducted said hearing by causing the petition to be publicly read, together with all applications for and remonstrances against the improvement, and all applications for change or extension of the improvement, previously filed in writing; and

Whereas, After proper examination, said Board finds that due and legal notice has been given in the manner and for the length of time required by law, to all owners of land affected by said improvement; and

Whereas, Said Board has made an actual view of said proposed improvement and has heard either in person or by counsel all evidence offered by any owner of land for or against the granting of the proposed improvement, or for or against the granting of any laterals, branches, or spurs, or change of route, course, termini, or manner of construction described in the petition, or in any application therefor; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of County Commissioners that said Board hereby finds that the said proposed improvement petitioned for is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare, and it is reasonably certain that the cost thereof will be less than the benefits, and the prayer of the petition is hereby granted; and it further finds that the following described route and termini of the proposed improvement and of the branches, spurs and laterals thereof, and the manner of constructing the same are the best and the same are hereby adopted and prescribed by said Board:

Commencing on the land owned by the heirs of Michael and Hannah Ryan at the head of Lateral No. 6 and the extension thereof of the Sharp County Ditch; thence following said lateral No. 6 and extension thereof or as near thereto as practical in a general northerly direction through the land of said Ryan heirs Oscar Reeves, Lawrence Storts, crossing State route No. 665 and the Big 4 Railroad and through land of Mason and Leah Daily to the Sharp Main Ditch and cleaning out the said main ditch far enough to provide a sufficient outlet, also for the location and construction of any necessary laterals. and be it further

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Resolved, That the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to cause to be made the necessary survey for the proposed improvement, upon the foregoing plan and line, and suitable maps showing the location of the land proposed to be assessed, and profiles showing the cuttings and gradient of the improvement, and make an estimate of the cost of the construction of said improvement; and set proper construction stakes, beginning at the upper terminus of the improvement, and perform such other duties as required by Section 6465 of the General Code of Ohio; and be it further

Resolved, That the 6 day of May, 1946, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for filing with the County Auditor all of said maps, profiles, schedules and reports prepared by said Surveyor; and be it further

Resolved, That further hearing on said improvement be and the same is hereby adjourned to the date above fixed for the filing of the reports and schedules by the Surveyor.

Mr. Armstrong seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Rodney Plymell, yes
Mr. R. W. Armstrong, yes
Mr. Gola Mink, yes

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk of the Board of
County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio

County Auditor's Office
Feb. 11, 1946

To the County Surveyor:

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the finding of the Board of County Commissioners in favor of the foregoing improvement.

Robert K. Dixon
County Auditor

E-Schedule of Land Owners

NAME	SURVEY	DESCRIPTION	ACRES OWNED	ACRES BENEFITED	ESTIMATED ASSESSMENT
Amrine, William F. and Bertha C.	5292	Union Tp.	25.00	20.00	175.00
Daily, Mason W. & Leah W.	5292	" "	52.57	50.00	200.00
Harper, John E.	5852	" "	3.00	2.00	20.00
Harper, J. E.	14608	" "	133.54	25.00	210.00
Reeves, Oscar	14608	" "	8.00	8.00	80.00
" "	5592	" "	53.00	53.00	636.00
" "	"	" "	81.15	81.15	892.65
" "	"	" "	27.03	7.30	73.00
Ryan, Herbert & Joseph et al	8723	Union Tp.	42.75	20.00	175.00
" " " "	"	" "	42.74	20.00	175.00
" " " "	5592	" "	55.50	55.50	500.00
" " " "	14608	" "	10.44	10.44	100.00
Storts, Lawrence	5592	Union Tp.	115.00	80.00	766.18
" "	14608	" "	5.00	5.00	45.00
					4047.83

F-Specifications of the Manner of Construction

In the Matter of the Single
County Ditch Petitioned for
by Oscar Reeves and others

County Engineer's Office
Madison County, Ohio
Proceedings for Reconstruction of Lateral No. 6
and extension thereof and cleaning out of the
outlet of the Sharp County Ditch.

The main ditch from Station 0 plus 00 to Station 39 plus 00 shall be constructed a 12-inch tile ditch, and from Station 39 plus 00 to Station 53 plus 00 an open ditch. Lateral No. 1 from Station 0 plus 00 to Station 14 plus 00 shall be constructed a 10-inch tile ditch and Laterals Nos. 2 & 3, 8-inch tile ditches.

Trenches for all tile ditches shall be cut to uniform grade as shown on the Profile of this report and all tile lain with $\frac{1}{2}$ - inch open joints. Care shall be taken that open joints on all curves shall be covered with broken tile. All excavated material shall be backfilled over the tile.

The open ditch shall be cut to the grade line and gradient shown in Schedule "A" of this report and shall have a bottom width of 3 feet with side slopes of One-and-One half to One.

All excavated material shall be evenly spread well beyond the tops of the ditch banks and this must be done to the satisfaction of the land owners. Signed statements from these land owners signifying their approval of the same must be obtained by the contractor and submitted to the County Engineer before final estimate will be issued. In case any land owner shall fail or refuse so to certify his approval, then the County Engineer shall decide whether or not his work meets the required specifications.

It shall be the duty of the land owners to look after and remove all fences crossing or along the ditch, take out, remove and replace water-gates that will interfere with the construction of the ditch, thereby releasing the contractor of any obligation in this matter.

The contractor shall exercise due care to cause no unnecessary damage to fences, water-gates or bridges. In case of damage of this kind being caused by the contractor, he shall be held liable for the same. A clear right-of-way of 50 feet on each side of the ditch is reserved for construction purposes. This distance shall be measured from the tops of the ditch banks. In depositing or placing excavated material, care shall be taken that no draw or plave where surface weater enters the ditch shall in any manner be interferred with.

Repairs to existing tile ditch.

Where the existing 10-inch tile is broken down at points specified below, new 10-inch tile shall be installed and additional backfill made to the satisfaction of the County Engineer, an estimated 15 Cu. Yds. is deemed necessary:

- Station 36 plus 60----4'- 10" Tile
- Station 37 plus 00----8'- 10" Tile
- Station 37 plus 50---24'- 10" Tile
- Station 38 plus 80---20'- 10" Tile

This work shall be paid for at the unit price bid, for actual work done.

From Station 33 plus 96 to Station 34 plus 29, the contractor shall install 60 feet of 14 gauge 12-inch Cor. Iron Pipe to the proper grade as shown on the Profile.

All brush and roots within 20 feet of the center line of the open ditch shall be removed and disposed of to the satisfaction of the County Engineer.

At Station 39 plus 00, a concrete bulkhead shall be constructed in accordance with plans which are made a part of these specifications. An approved cement shall be used and aggregate shall be sharp, clean sand broken stone or washed gravel in the proportions of 1-2-4.

G-Resolution-Order Fixing Time of Final Hearing etc.

In the Matter of the Single County Ditch Petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Comm. Madison County, Ohio April 28, 1947

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the 28 day of April, 1947, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

- Rodney Plymell
- R. W. Armstrong
- Gola Mink

Mr. Armstrong moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas, This 28 day of April, 1947, the County Auditor has given notcie to said Board of the filing with him by the County Surveyor of the maps, profiles, schedules, and reports in the above named improvement, in accordance with its order of the 10 day of March, 1947; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the 19 day of May, 1947, at 2 o'clock P.M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for the final hearing on said reports and schedules, on estimated assessments, on the proceedings for the improvement, and on claims for compensation or damages, which claims must be filed with the County Auditor on or before said date; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of said hearing be given as required by law.

Mr. Mink seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

- Mr. Rodney Plymell, yes
- Mr. R. W. Armstrong, yēs
- Mr. Gola Mink, yes

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

H-Resolution-Commissioners' Finding Affirming Former Order etc.

In the Matter of the Single County Ditch Petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Comm. Madison County, Ohio May 19, 1947

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the 19 day of May, 1947, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

- Rodney Plymell
- R. W. Armstrong
- Gola Mink

Mr. Mink moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas, This being the day fixed by said Board, in its order dated the 28 day of April, 1947, for the final hearing on the Reports and Schedules of the County Surveyor, on the estimated assessments, on claims for compensation or damages and on the proceedings for the improvement, and on application filed for change of route or change in the nature, kind and extent of the work proposed to be done; and

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Whereas, Said Board finds that due and legal notice of this final hearing haas been given as required by law; and

Whereas, Said Board has heard all the evidence offered in the proceedings and received and considered all the schedules and reports filed by the Surveyor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said Board revies and reconsider its former order made and dated the 11 day of February, 1946, in favor of said improvement; and be it further

Resolved, That said Board hereby approve the maps, profiles, schedules and reports prepared by the County Surveyor, and

Whereas, This Board has considered the cost of location and construction, the compensation for land taken, the damages to land along or in the vicinity of the route of the improvement, the damages to land below the lower terminus of the improvement which may be caused by constructing the improvement, the sufficiency of the outlet, the benefits to the public welfare, and the special benefits to land needing the improvement, etc; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said former order finding in favor of said improvement made at the first hearing on the 11 day of February, 1946, be and the same is hereby affirmed; and

Whereas, Objections to the proposed assessment having been filed by None.

and the said Board having heard said objections and all evidence offered for or against the assessment proposed to be levied against any owner or on any land, as shown by the schedule of assessments filed by the Surveyor and any competent evidence on the question of benefits, and from an actual view of the premises; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the assessments be and the same are hereby amended and corrected as follows, to-wit: None and be it further

Resolved, That said Surveyor's assessments as so amended and corrected be and the same are hereby approved and confirmed; and be it further

Resolved, That five years shall be the period of time, in semi-annual installments, as taxes are paid, given the owners of land benefited, to pay the assessments that may be for the improvement; and that notes of said County shall be issued and sold in anticipation of the collection of said assessments bearing the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually; and be it further

Resolved, That interest shall be added to said installments of assessments at the same rate as is drawn by the notes issued to pay for said improvement; provided any owner may pay the assessment on his land in cash within thirty days after the contracts are approved and such assessments are levied, without paying any interest thereon; and be it further

Resolved, That the 16 day of June, 1947, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for letting the contract for the construction of the proposed improvement, and that the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to let the contracts for the construction of the proposed improvement; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to give at least two weeks' public notice as required by law of the time when and the place where bids will be received for furnishing any material for the improvement, or for the construction of the improvement, or any part thereof, and in case manufactured material is required for the construction of the improvement, the Surveyor is hereby directed to send copies of the notice by mail to dealers and manufacturers, and all bids shall be received at the office of the County Auditor; and be it further

Resolved, That, whereas the estimated cost of the construction and material required in said improvement exceeds one thousand dollars, the notice of said letting be given by posting at the front door of the County Court House, and advertisement according to law and be it further

Resolved, That said County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to attend at said time and place so advertised by him and receive all bids submitted; and be it further

Resolved, That authority be and the same is hereby given to said County Surveyor to receive bids vy public outcry, instead of sealed bids, such bids being taken separately for work and for material, and in accordance with the requiredments of Section 6481 of the General Code of Ohio.

Mr. Armstrong seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Rodney Plymell, yes
Mr. R. W. Armstrong, yes
Mr. Gola Mink, yes

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

I-Engineers Report On Bids Received

In the Matter of the Single County Ditch Petition for by Oscar Reeves and others

County Surveyor's Office
Madison County, Ohio
June 16, 1947

Bidder	For What Work or Materials	Amount of Bid	Guaranty	
			Kind	Amount
Madison Tile Co.	Material	2070		
" " "	Labor	1790		
	Total Material and Labor	3860	check	116.00
			Cert.	

I recommend the following bids as the best:
Madison Tile Co. \$3860.00

H. L. McCafferty
County Engineer

J-Resolution-Commissioners' Order Awarding Contracts

In the Matter of the Single
County Ditch Petitioned for
by Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Comm.
Madison County, Ohio
June 16, 1947

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the 16 day of June, 1947, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong

Mr. Armstrong moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas, The County Surveyor has filed with this Board his report on bids received for the work of construction and for furnishing materials in the above named improvement petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others; and

Whereas, It appears to said Board that the bids of the following are the lowest and best bids, and within the Surveyor's estimated, to-wit:

Bidder	For What Work or Materials	Amount of Bid	Surveyor's Estimate
Madison Tile Co.	Material & Labor	3860	3872.83

therefore, be it

Resolved, That contracts be and the same are hereby awarded to said Madison Tile Co. bid by them respectively; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to notify each of said successful bidders of the acceptance of his bid, and that he is required to enter into contract and bond as provided by Sections 6483 and 6488 of the General Code; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to prepare said contracts and bonds and, having secured the signatures of said bidders and their sureties, present the same to this Board for approval; and be it further

Resolved, That the whole of such work shall be completed and all material furnished on or before the 30 day of Sept., 1947, provided that the time of furnishing such material and completing such labor shall correspond with the time provided for its use in the progress of the work.

Mr. Plymell seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Rodney Plymell, yes
Mr. R. W. Armstrong, yes

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk of the Board of
County Commissioners of Madison County,
Ohio

K-Ditch Contract

In the Matter of the Single
County Ditch Petitioned for
by Oscar Reeves and others

Work and Labor and Materials

This contract made and entered into on this day of June 1947, by and between the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, Party of the First Part, hereinafter designated as "First Party," and Madison Tile Co. of London, Ohio Party of the Second Part, hereinafter designated as "Second Party."

Witnesseth, That said Second Party, for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty eight hundred sixty and No/100 (3860.00) Dollars, to be paid as hereinafter specified, hereby agrees to furnish unto said First Party all the necessary materials, and do all the work and labor required to construct the H. J. Sharp County ditch improvement petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others, in accordance with plans, drawings and specifications for the same hereto attached; which plans, drawings, and specifications are hereby declared to be a part of this contract.

Said Second Party further agrees to furnish said materials and to do the said work and labor promptly, in a good substantial and workmanlike manner, under the direction of the County Surveyor in charge, without hindrance or delay to any other branch or class of work on said ditch, and to work in harmony with and to render such assistance to other branches of work as connection therewith and the progress of the work may require. The whole shall be completed to the satisfaction and acceptance of said First Party on or before the 30 day of September, 1947;

And said First Party, for and in consideration of the true and faithful performance of said work and labor and furnishing of said materials as aforesaid, hereby agrees to pay unto said Second Party said sum of Thirty eight hundred sixty and No/100 Dollars (3860.00) in installments from time to time, upon the certificate of acceptance of the County Surveyor and as provided by law.

It is mutually agreed that no extra work or materials shall be charged for except in accordance with the provisions of Section 6490 of the General Code of Ohio.

Witness our hands, the day and year first above written.

Signed in duplicate in
presence of

Robert K. Dixon
Wm. Oyler

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong.

Commissioners
of
Madison County,
Ohio, First
Party

The Madison Tile Co.
by C. F. Van Cleve -Contractors, Second Party,

L-Bond of Ditch Contractor

In the Matter of the Single
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by Oscar Reeves and others

On Contract for Work and Labor and Materials

Know all Men by These Presents, That we, as Principal and as sureties, are held and firmly --bound unto the State of Ohio for the benefit of Madison County, Ohio, and for the benefit of any owner having a right of action thereon as is provided by law, in the the penal sum of Thirty eight hundred seventy two and 83/100 Dollars to the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators.

The condition of the above obligation is such that, Whereas, the above bound Madison Tile Co. has entered into a Contract with said Board of County Commissioners, First, to furnish the materials and perform the work and labor for the construction of the H. J. Sharp County ditch improvement petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others specified in said Contract, to the satisfaction and acceptance of the County Surveyor, on or before the 30 day of September, 1947 for the compensation of Thirty eight hundred sixty and No/100 (\$3860.00) Dollars;

Second, to save the County from any loss caused by delay in completing the work or furnishing the material within the time and in the manner expressed in the contract, bid and specifications;

Third, for the payment of claims of any person, arising out of the unlawful acts or negligence of the contractor in the performance of his contract;

And Fourth, to perform the contract in the time stated in the contract, to furnish and use in the improvement all materials of the grade, kind and quality as stated in the contract and specifications; and to construct the improvement in the manner stated in the contract and specifications.

Now if the said Madison Tile Co. shall faithfully perform and complete such work and labor, and furnish such materials within the time and as above specified and conditioned, according to the tenor of said Contract, and in accordance with the plans, descriptions and specifications required and made a part of said Contract, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Executed in Presence of
Robert K. Dixon
Wm. Oyler

The Madison Tile Co.
S. S. Van Cleve, Pres.
S. S. Van Cleve

The above bond being good and sufficient is approved this 28 day of July, 1947.

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong
Board of County
Commissioners
Madison County, Ohio

Deposit check for \$116.00 received this 24th day of July 1947.

Signed-C. F. Van Cleve

M-Resolution-Commissioners' Order Approving Contracts and Bonds etc.

In the Matter of the Single
County Ditch Petitioned for by
Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Commissioners,
Madison County, Ohio
July 28, 1947

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the --28 day of July, 1947, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong

Mr. Armstrong moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas, The County Surveyor has filed with this Board the contract and bond for the work of construction and furnishing material in the above named improvement petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said contract and bond be and the same are hereby approved; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to record said contract and bond in the Commissioners' Journal; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to reduce pro rata the assessments previously confirmed by this Board, by the difference between the estimated cost of the construction and the contract price; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to place said assessments so levied upon the Duplicates of the County, making and furnishing the Treasurer of said County a special Duplicate with the assessments arranged thereon in semi-annual installments as provided in our former order adopted the 19 day of May, 1947.

Mr. Plymell seconded the Resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Plymell, yes
Mr. Armstrong, yes

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk of the Board of County
Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio

N-Itemized List of Improvement Costs

Construction:

Madison Tile Co.-Material	\$2070.00	
	1790.00	
	<u>Total</u>	\$3860.00

Engineer's Services:

Engineering & Inspection	175.00	
	<u>Total</u>	175.00.

Commissioners Fees:

One Commissioner Fees	15.00	
	<u>Total</u>	15.00

Transcript, Mailing Notices and Advertising:

Transcript	4.50	
1-17-46 Mailing Notices (15)	.45	
5-1-47 Mailing Notices (16)	.48	
7-18-47 Adver. for Bids	22.00	
7-18-47 Slips off of Ad.	1.50	
Mailing Statements (6)	.18	
	<u>Total</u>	29.11
		\$4079.11

Grand Total \$4079.11

O-Final Assessment Schedule

<u>Owner</u>	<u>Acres Owned</u>	<u>Acres Benefited</u>	<u>Constr. Schedule Estimate</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Final Assessment---Incl. Expenses</u>
Amrine, W. F. & B. C.	25.00	20.00	175.00	.04323	176.34
Dailey, Mason W. & Leah W.	52.57	50.00	200.00	.04941	201.55
Harper, John E.	3.00	2.00	20.00	.00494	20.15
" J. E.	133.54	25.00	210.00	.05198	211.62
Reeves, Oscar	8.00	8.00	80.00	.01976	80.61
	53.00	53.00	636.00	.15712	640.91
	81.15	81.15	892.65	.22053	899.57
	27.03	7.30	73.00	.01804	73.59
Ryan, Herbert & Joseph	42.75	20.00	175.00	.04323	176.34
	42.74	20.00	175.00	.04323	176.34
	55.50	55.50	500.00	.12352	503.85
	10.44	10.44	100.00	.02471	100.79
Storts, Lawrence	115.00	80.00	766.18	.18928	772.09
	5.00	5.00	45.00	.01112	45.36
		<u>Total</u>	4047.83	1.00000	4079.11

London, Ohio
Sept. 20, 1948

Madison County Commissioners
London, Ohio

Gentlemen:

I hereby certify that statements for the assessments for the improvement of the subject ditch were mailed to persons benefitted and those listed at the lower part of this form represent those remaining unpaid.

Yours very truly,

Robert K. Dixon
Auditor, Madison County

Reeves, Oscar	80.61
	640.91
	899.57
	73.59
Storts, Lawrence	772.09
	45.36
<u>Total</u>	\$2512.13

O-Resolution -To Issue Notes in Anticipation of the Levy of Assessments etc.

In the Matter of the Single
County Ditch Petitioned for
by Oscar Reeves and others

Office of the Board of County Commissioners,
Madison County, Ohio
September 20, 1948

The Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, met in regular session on the 20th day of September, 1948, at the office of the Commissioners with the following members present:

Rodney Plymell
R. W. Armstrong
Gola Mink

Mr. Armstrong moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

Whereas, Said Board has heretofore, by Resolution duly passed on the 19th day of May, 1947, affirmed its former order finding in favor of the improvement of the County Ditch, petitioned for by Oscar Reeves and others; and

Whereas, It is now deemed necessary to issue and sell \$2512.13 of notes under authority of Section 2293-24 of the General Code of Ohio, and "The Uniform Bond Act" for the purpose of providing funds in anticipation of the levy of assessments according to benefits or of the issuance of bonds for the improvement of said County Ditch; and

Whereas, The County Auditor has certified the maximum maturity, of said notes to be five years, which maximum maturity does not exceed the estimated life or usefulness of the improvement fixed by Section 2293-9 of the General Code of Ohio; and

Whereas, This Board has heretofore, by Resolution duly passed on the 19th day of May, 1947, determined that five years shall be the period of time, in semi-annual installments, as taxes are paid, given the owners of land benefited to pay the assessment that may be made for the improvement; now therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, that in the judgment of said Board of County Commissioners, it is now necessary in anticipation of the levy of assessments according to benefits or of the issuance of bonds to issue and sell the notes of said County under and by virtue of the authority of Section 2293024 of the General Code of Ohio and "The Uniform Bond Act" in the aggregate sum of Two thousand five hundred twelve and 13/100 Dollars (\$2512.13), not exceeding in amount that portion of the estimated cost of the improvement for which the assessment is levied, to provide a fund for the payment of the cost and expense of the improvement of said County Ditch according to the terms of said Resolution above referred to: and be it further

Resolved, That said notes shall be dated the 1st day of October, 1948, and shall be in the denomination of Two thousand five hundred twelve and 13/100 Dollars (\$2512.13) and shall be numbered 10,

Said notes shall bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum until paid and the interest on said notes shall be payable on the 1st day of April and 1 day of October, 1949, and until the principal sum of said notes is paid and as evidenced by interest coupons attached thereto. Said notes shall not be issued for a longer period of time than two years from date thereof and shall be payable at the office of the Treasurer of said County at London, Ohio, upon presentation and surrender of said notes and interest coupons as they respectively mature. Said notes shall be redeemable at any interest period.

Said notes shall be due and payable as follows:

No.	Date	Amount
10	April 1, 1949	\$2512.13

Said notes shall specify on their face the purpose for which they are issued, and that they are issued in pursuance of this resolution and under authority of the General Laws of the State of Ohio, particularly Section 2293-24 of the General Code of Ohio and "The Uniform Bond Act", and shall be full general obligations of said Madison County, and for the full amount thereof, and the full faith, credit and revenue of said County hereby pledged for the payment of the principal and interest thereof at maturity.

Said notes shall be signed by the members of the Board of County Commissioners of said County, and the County Auditor and bear his seal, and the interest coupons shall have the facsimile signature of said County Auditor printed or lithographed thereon; and be it further

Resolved, That said notes shall be paid from the proceeds of bonds hereafter issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments and all of the assessments collected for the improvement shall be applied to the payment of the notes and interest thereon until both are fully paid; and be it further

Resolved, That there shall be and is hereby levied on all the taxable property in Madison County, Ohio, in addition to all other taxes a direct tax annually during the years while such notes run, not less than that which would have been levied if bonds had been issued without the prior issue of such notes.

Said tax shall be, and is hereby ordered computed, certified, levied and extended upon the tax duplicate, and collected by the same officers, in the same manner and at the same time that taxes for general purposes for each of said years are certified, levied, extended and collected. Said tax shall be placed before and in preference to all other items and for the full amount thereof. The funds derived from said tax levies hereby required shall be placed in a separate and distinct fund, which, together with all interest collected on the same, shall be irrevocably pledged for the payment of the interest and principal of said notes, when and as the same fall due.

It is hereby determined that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of said notes in order to make the same legal valid and binding obligations of said County have been done, have happened and have been performed in regular and due form as required by law and that the tax for the payment of the principal and interest as the same falls due and is payable does not exceed any limitations of taxation of said County, and that the amount of this note issue does not exceed any limitation of indebtedness as fixed by law.

The Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to offer this issue of notes at par and accrued interest first to the Board of Trustees of the Sinking Fund of said County and if refused, then the Clerk is directed to offer the same for sale.

Mr. Mink seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Rodney Plymell,	yes
Mr. R. W. Armstrong,	yes
Mr. Gola Mink,	yes

Dated this 20th day of September, 1948.

Robert K. Dixon, Clerk, Board of County
Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio

Robert K. Dixon
CLERK OF MADISON COUNTY, OHIO