

John R. Gray

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March 27, 1956

Mr. John E. Walker
District Attorney
Umatilla County Courthouse
Pendleton, Oregon

Dear John:

Enclosed herewith is a letter from Art Barrows, Attorney-At-Law, Pilot Rock, Oregon, concerning a matter of the County road running Southeast through a portion of the City of Pilot Rock up East Birch Creek.

Please begin the necessary legal proceedings as soon as possible so that the Umatilla County Road Department may be released from maintenance of this road. The Umatilla County Road Department will place the road in acceptable shape during the time that you are preparing the necessary legal proceedings. If you need any legal descriptions concerning this matter, please call.

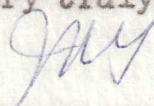
Commissioner Kelley also requested at the last Road Meeting that the road running South from U. S. Highway #30 along the North-South centerline of Section 8, Township 3 North, Range 29 East of the Willamette Meridian, to the center of said Section 8 and running thence West along the East-West centerline of Section 8 to the Echo-Stanfield Highway, be vacated.

This road section was investigated yesterday and it was found that there were no major conflicts to the Vacation of this road except for a power transmission line on the North-South part thereof. However, since the line continues across private property to the South, it is not felt that this would not be a deterrent to the vacation of the aforementioned road section.

Therefore, as per Commissioner Kelley's request, please begin Vacation proceedings on the aforementioned road section as soon as possible.

If you have any questions in this regard, please call.

Very truly yours,


John R. Gray,
County Engineer

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