

Order for Laying out a Road June 17<sup>th</sup> 1853

We the undersigned Supervisors of the town of Fulton, Rock County, State of Wisconsin do certify that upon the application of six or more freeholders of said town praying for the laying out of a public highway in said town, to wit: Commencing on the West bank of the Catfish River as the middle point of the West end of a Ridge across said river at or near the point of Main Street in the Village of Fulton, running thence South 71° East 20 chains; thence South 49½° East 23 chains and 25 links to the South line of Section 18; thence along said Section line 25 chains to the South East Corner of said Section 18; thence along the South line of Section 17, 79½ chains; thence North 62° East 6 chains to the middle point of the West end of the Bridge across Rock River at the Indian Ford; we caused notice to be posted up in writing in three of the most public places in said town of Fulton specifying therein the time and place at which we would meet to decide upon the aforesaid application, and also specifying as near as practicable in said notices the above described highway proposed to be laid out; which notices were posted up at least ten days before said meeting. And we do further certify that being fully satisfied by the affidavit of one of the applicants that all the notices required by law to be posted up and given to occupants, were posted up and given pursuant to Statute, we on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June A.D. 1853 is 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 offered for and against laying out the same, and decided that the proposed highway was necessary and proper. And we do further certify that there upon we caused an accurate survey of said proposed highway to be made, which survey is above described. And, now therefore, we the Supervisors aforesaid, in and for said town of Fulton, do, on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June A.D. 1853 order and declare the above described road to be a public highway four rods wide and we further order the same to be kept open as such pursuant to Statute.

Elias Downing Supervisors  
of the  
Charles Rowerman Town of Fulton

Attest:

Isaac Howe  
Town Clerk  
Town of Fulton

Recorded this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July A.S. 1853  
Isaac Howe --Town Clerk