

COMMISSIONER'S RECORD M

April 2, 1928

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session for the month of April with G. E. Kretsinger, Chairman, X. J. Kennedy and D. L. Burton, Commissioners, and C. O. Bowman, County Clerk, present. The minutes of the meetings of the regular session held on March 5, 7, 10, 14 were read and approved. Monthly claims against the county were presented and allowed as per Allowance Record.

A petition signed by C. A. Porter and others asking for the location of the following road: Beginning at the quarter corner on the south line of section 2, T14S, R19E, thence east along the south line of said section 2, to intersection with the present Township Road, a distance of about one-half mile, was received by the Board of County Commissioners, whereupon the Board appointed themselves, G. E. Kretsinger, X. J. Kennedy and D. L. Burton as viewers, to meet at the point of beginning of the above described road on April 26, 1928, at ten o'clock A. M., proceed to view said road, and give all parties a hearing.

A petition signed by H. R. Wright and others asking for the vacating of the following described road: Beginning at the north-east corner of section 12, T15S, R18E, thence south one mile, was received by the Board of County Commissioners, whereupon the Board appointed themselves as viewers, to meet at the point of beginning of the above described road on April 26, 1928, at two o'clock P. M. proceed to view said road, and give all parties a hearing.

April 4, 1928

The Board of County Commissioners met in adjourned regular session with all members and the County Clerk present. Additional claims against the county were presented and allowed as per Allowance Register.

RESOLUTION

Be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County, Kansas, in regular session assembled this fourth day of April, 1928, that, whereas the slab has been laid and all improvements completed on Federal Aid Project, No. 229, section D, and whereas a benefit district has been created for the purpose of raising funds to pay the partial expense of said improvements as provided by Chapter 68 of the Revised Statutes of Kansas, 1923;

Now therefore, we assess twenty-five per cent of the remaining cost, after deducting Federal Aid and State Aid as provided by law, of said improvements to said benefit district and prorate said assessment to the several pieces and parcels of land and the improvements thereon according to valuation as shown on the assessment rolls for the year 1926.

We, therefore, order the County Clerk of Douglas County, Kansas, to enter upon the assessment rolls and the tax rolls of said county the assessments appearing on the accompanying pages and charge each piece and parcel of land therein described with amount of tax therein set out. (See Assessment Rolls for Benefit Districts)

Signed:

G. E. Kretsinger, Chairman
X. J. Kennedy, Commissioner
D. L. Burton

Attest: C. O. Bowman, County Clerk,

In accordance with the above resolution the County Clerk filled out with the proper description and amount of tax, and mailed to owners of land in the benefit district the following notice:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Douglas County, Kansas, in regular session assembled, did, on the 4th day of April, 1928, levy a special assessment of \$ _____ against the following described real estate:

For the purpose of paying permanent road improvements, designated Federal Aid Project, No. 229, Section-D, and that the Board of County Commissioners will be in special session at their office in the Court House, Lawrence, Kansas, May 2, 1928, for the purpose of hearing complaints, and making adjustments as they may deem equitable.

Further notice is given that if the owner of any land within the benefit district shall pay the full amount assessed against such tract within thirty days after the date of this notice, such tract shall not be subject to any further annual assessment for such improvement. Dated this 11th day of April, 1928. *C. O. Bowman*
County Clerk

The Board of County Commissioners in regular session this 4th day of April, 1928 by unanimous vote adopted the following resolution:

RESOLUTION

Whereas, the governing body of the City of Lawrence, Douglas County, Kansas, has adopted a resolution providing for the improvement of East Fifteenth Street and the highway produced east therefrom beginning at the end of the present pavement on said East Fifteenth Street at its intersection with Barker Avenue in the City of Lawrence, thence east along the highway lying partly within the City of Lawrence and partly without the city of Lawrence to the east city limits located at the common corner between section 31 and 32, T 12, R 20; and sections 5 and 6, T 13, R 20, in Douglas County, Kansas; thence eastward for the distance of five-eighths of a mile, by paving said highway at a width of eighteen feet with such width at intersections, streets, roads or highways, as good engineering practice may require, the said paving to be constructed of concrete according to plans and specifications to be prepared by and engineer selected in the manner provided by law, and

Whereas, said resolution further provides that the same shall be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Douglas, Kansas, for its adoption and further consideration and action as provided by section 12-647 to 12-655 inclusive, R. S. 1923, as amended by Chapter 100 of the Laws of 1927. and

Whereas, upon due consideration of said resolution by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Douglas, Kansas, it is found that said resolution is in due form and the proposed improvement is a public utility and public necessity.

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Douglas, Kansas, and it is hereby declared by said Board that the proposed improvement, to wit: the paving of East Fifteenth Street and the highway produced east therefrom beginning at the end of the present pavement on said East Fifteenth Street at its intersection with Barker Avenue in the City of Lawrence; thence east along the highway lying partly within the city of Lawrence and partly without the City of Lawrence to the east city limits located at the common corner between sections 31 and 32, T12, R20; and sections 5 and 6, T13, R20, in Douglas County, Kansas, thence east for the distance of five-eighths of a mile, the said highway to be paved or otherwise improved at a width of eighteen feet with such width of intersections, streets, roads,

Porter Road

Petition for Vacating
H. R. Wright

Assessment
229 D. 1
Benefit Dist

Notice of
Assessment
45734 Sec 229 D

Resolution for
Improvement of
E. 15th St.