

Act, 114 O. L., 518, which specifically authorizes the lease of abandoned canal property to municipal corporations and to other political subdivisions. There are a number of other statutory provisions which relate more or less directly to leases of canal lands and of other state property. This lease conforms to such statutes.

It appears from an examination of the lease that the same has been properly executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and by Tippecanoe City, by the hand of its Mayor acting pursuant to the authority of a resolution duly adopted by the Council of the municipality.

Finding this lease to be in all respects according to law, I am herewith approving the same as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon the lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. BRICKER,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL—LEASE TO CANAL LANDS AT NEWCOMERSTOWN, TUSCARAWAS COUNTY, OHIO—C. R. LEECH AND J. M. REHARD, NEWCOMERSTOWN, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 15, 1936.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: By recent communication, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, you have submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works to C. R. Leech and J. M. Rehard of Newcomerstown, Ohio.

By this lease, which is one for a term of fifteen years and which provides for an annual rental of \$100.00, there is leased and demised to the lessees above named the right to occupy and use for garage, yard and storage purposes, a parcel of the abandoned Ohio Canal lands in the village of Newcomerstown, Tuscarawas County, Ohio, which is more particularly described in said lease and which aggregates 6600 square feet of land.

This lease is one executed by you under the authority conferred upon you as Superintendent of Public Works by Amended Substitute Senate Bill No. 72 enacted by the 89th General Assembly, 114 O. L., 541. Assuming, as I do, that no application was made for the lease of this parcel

of Ohio Canal land by the village of Newcomerstown or by any other person or corporation having prior rights with respect to the lease of this property, I find that the provisions of this lease are in conformity with said act and with other statutory provisions relating to leases of this kind.

An examination of the lease shows that the same has been properly executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and by the lessees therein named. I am, accordingly, approving the lease as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon the lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. BRICKER,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL—CANAL LAND LEASE TO LAND IN TEXAS,
HENRY COUNTY, OHIO—CHARLES F. SALHOFF, TEXAS,
OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 15, 1936.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate, executed by you to one Charles F. Salhoff of Texas, Ohio.

This lease is one for a term of ninety-nine years, renewable forever, and by its terms leases and demises to the lessee above named a parcel of abandoned Miami and Erie Canal land in the village of Texas, Henry County, Ohio, which parcel is bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the center line of Broad Street, produced, in the village of Texas, Henry County, Ohio, which point is forty-three and thirty-three hundredths (43.33') feet, northerly from the northwest corner of Lot No. 1, of what is known as the park addition to said village, and running thence easterly with a curve to the left, having a radius of forty-three hundred and sixty-seven and eighteen hundredths (4367.18') feet, a distance of one hundred eleven and seventy-nine hundredths (111.79') feet, more or less, to the easterly line, produced, of Lot No. 2, of said park addition to said village of Texas; thence south 2° 05' west, thirty-four and forty-four hun-