

225.

APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTION, ROAD IMPROVEMENT,  
JEFFERSON COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 10, 1923.

*Department of Highways and Public Works, Division of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.*

226.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF SOUTH BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP RURAL  
SCHOOL DISTRICT, MORROW COUNTY, \$8,000.00, TO FUND CER-  
TAIN OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 10, 1923.

*Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.*

227.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF MARBLE CLIFF, FRANKLIN  
COUNTY, \$11,700.00, TO CONSTRUCT A JOINT INTERCEPTING  
SEWER.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 12, 1923.

*Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.*

228.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE ELEC-  
TRIC POWER AND EQUIPMENT COMPANY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO,  
FOR COMPLETION OF MOTOR GENERATOR SET, TOLEDO STATE  
HOSPITAL, AT A COST OF \$2,955.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 11, 1923.

*Department of Public Welfare, Columbus, Ohio.*

GENTLEMEN:—Attention, Mr. Youngblood. You have submitted for my approval contract between the State of Ohio, acting through the Department of Public Welfare, and The Electric Power and Equipment Company of Columbus. This contract covers the completion of Motor Generator Set for the Toledo State Hospital, and calls for an expenditure of \$2,955.00.

You have submitted the encumbrance estimate which contains the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating the contract was properly awarded.

Finding said contract in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith, together with all the other data submitted.

Respectfully,

C. C. CRABBE,

*Attorney General.*

229.

COUNTY SURVEYOR—SECTION 5549 G. C. REPEALED BY  
IMPLICATION—COUNTY TAX MAP DRAFTSMAN.

SYLLABUS:

1. *Section 5549 of the General Code has been repealed by implication.*
2. *Section 5551 of the General Code, in so far as it provided for the appointment of the county surveyor as county tax map draftsman, has been repealed by implication by the provisions of section 7181 of the General Code, which section, by specific provision, makes the county surveyor the county tax map draftsman.*

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 12, 1923.

*Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices, Columbus, Ohio.*

GENTLEMEN:—Acknowledgment is made of the receipt of your request for the opinion of this department, as follows:

“Section 7181 G. C. provides that the county surveyor shall be the county tax map draftsman and shall serve in that capacity without additional compensation. Section 5549 G. C. authorizes the county commissioners to advertise for bids for the making of tax maps for the county, and section 5551 G. C. provides that the board of county commissioners may appoint the county surveyor, who shall employ such number of assistants as are necessary to provide for making, correcting and keeping up to date a complete set of tax maps of the county.

“Question 1. Having in mind the provisions of section 7181 G. C., may a board of county commissioners proceed under the provisions of section 5549 G. C., and let a contract to the lowest bidder for making tax maps of the county?

“Question 2. Is it necessary that the board of county commissioners appoint the county surveyor for this purpose as provided by section 5551 of the General Code?”

Section 5549, as the same has been carried into the General Code, reads as follows:

“If, in the opinion of the county commissioners, it is necessary to the proper appraisal of the real estate of such county, on or before their June session, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and every fourth year thereafter, they may advertise for four consecutive weeks in one or more newspapers of general circulation in the county, for sealed proposals to construct the necessary maps and plats to enable the assessors in the