

In specific answer to your question, for the reasons above stated, it is my opinion that the legal title or name of the office held by the person administering the Department of Public Works is "Superintendent of Public Works" and that this designation should be used in the execution of all documents requiring the signature of such department head. If the incumbent of such office sees fit so to do, there is no legal objection to adding to the above term the words "as (or and) Director of Public Works."

Respectfully  
EDWARD C. TURNER,  
*Attorney General.*

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1555.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF ASHVILLE VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, PICK-  
AWAY COUNTY, OHIO—\$60,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 9, 1928.

*Retirement Board, State Teachers' Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.*

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1556.

DISAPPROVAL, ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE UNITED MU-  
TUAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF HANCOCK, COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 9, 1928.

HON. CLARENCE J. BROWN, *Secretary of State, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant in-  
closing the proposed articles of incorporation of The United Mutual Insurance Com-  
pany of Hancock County, Ohio, for my approval.

I am returning the same to you herewith without my approval endorsed thereon.

These proposed articles of incorporation are apparently offered under the pro-  
visions of Section 9593, General Code. This section contemplates the organization of  
mutual protective associations. One of its specific requirements is that "any number  
of persons of lawful age not less than ten in number," may associate themselves to-  
gether for the purpose of insuring each other, etc.

These proposed articles of incorporation have but three incorporators, and it is  
my opinion that this is not in compliance with the provision of this section.

Respectfully,  
EDWARD C. TURNER,  
*Attorney General.*