

*2047 TNR/E*  
No. 472

PETITIONER

Eugene Thorndike

Petition filed May 11<sup>th</sup> 1916

Viewers appointed ..... 191

Report filed ..... 191

Date of hearing ..... 191

Report approved ..... 191

Order of survey June 7 1916

Surveyor's Report filed 4/7 1917

Declared County Road June 7 1914

G. W. Overstreet

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..... County Clerk

# Petition For Road

No.....

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Gallatin County, Montana:

Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned free holders of Road District No... **11**..... of Gallatin County, Montana, residing on or adjacent to the following proposed County Road, do hereby petition your honorable body to ~~establish~~ **CLOSE THE** ..... same as a County Road, beginning at.....

Beginning at what is known at "Bradys Blacksmith Shop" on the SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 19 in Twp 1 N of R. 1 E and running in a Southeasternly direction for about 200 yards diagonally across the Southeast Quarter until it intersects with the County Road.

The intention of this Petition is <sup>to</sup> make the Traveling Public use the Main County Road instead of cutting ~~across~~ this strip of land as they are now doing. The land is all owned by F. O. Cooper who has signed the Petition.

We believe the cost of constructing this road will not exceed \$..... there being ..... steep grades, ..... culverts, ..... bridges necessary on the route as proposed; the soil..... adapted to road construction, and

We consider this road necessary for the convenience of public travel, and especially for the residents of this district, and further for the following reasons, viz:

Freeholders and Tax Payers.

~~Land owned by him to be crossed by proposed road~~

Names of Petitioners	Description	Sec.	Twp.	Range
<i>Eugene Shanks</i>				
<i>E. C. Walcott</i>				
<i>E. C. Walcott</i>				
<i>John Walcott</i>				
<i>J. Waldo C. Archer</i>				
<i>John E. Garnett</i>				
<i>George E. Garnett</i>				
<i>A. J. Plam</i>				
<i>H. L. Lane</i>				
<i>G. M. Collins</i>				
<i>E. Collins</i>				
<i>J. Bradbury</i>				
<i>J. H. Dardas</i>				
<i>F. O. Cooper</i>				

# Chapter 72, Thirteenth Session 1913, Sections 1-2-18

## CHAPTER IV

Section 1. Any ten, or a majority, of the free holders of a road district, taxable therein for road purposes, may petition in writing, the Board of County Commissioners to, establish, change or discontinue any common highway therein. When such a highway is petitioned for upon the dividing line between two counties, the same course must be pursued as in other cases, except that a copy of the petition must be presented

to the Board of County Commissioners of each County, who may appoint viewers to act jointly and the viewers so appointed must report their findings to both Boards.

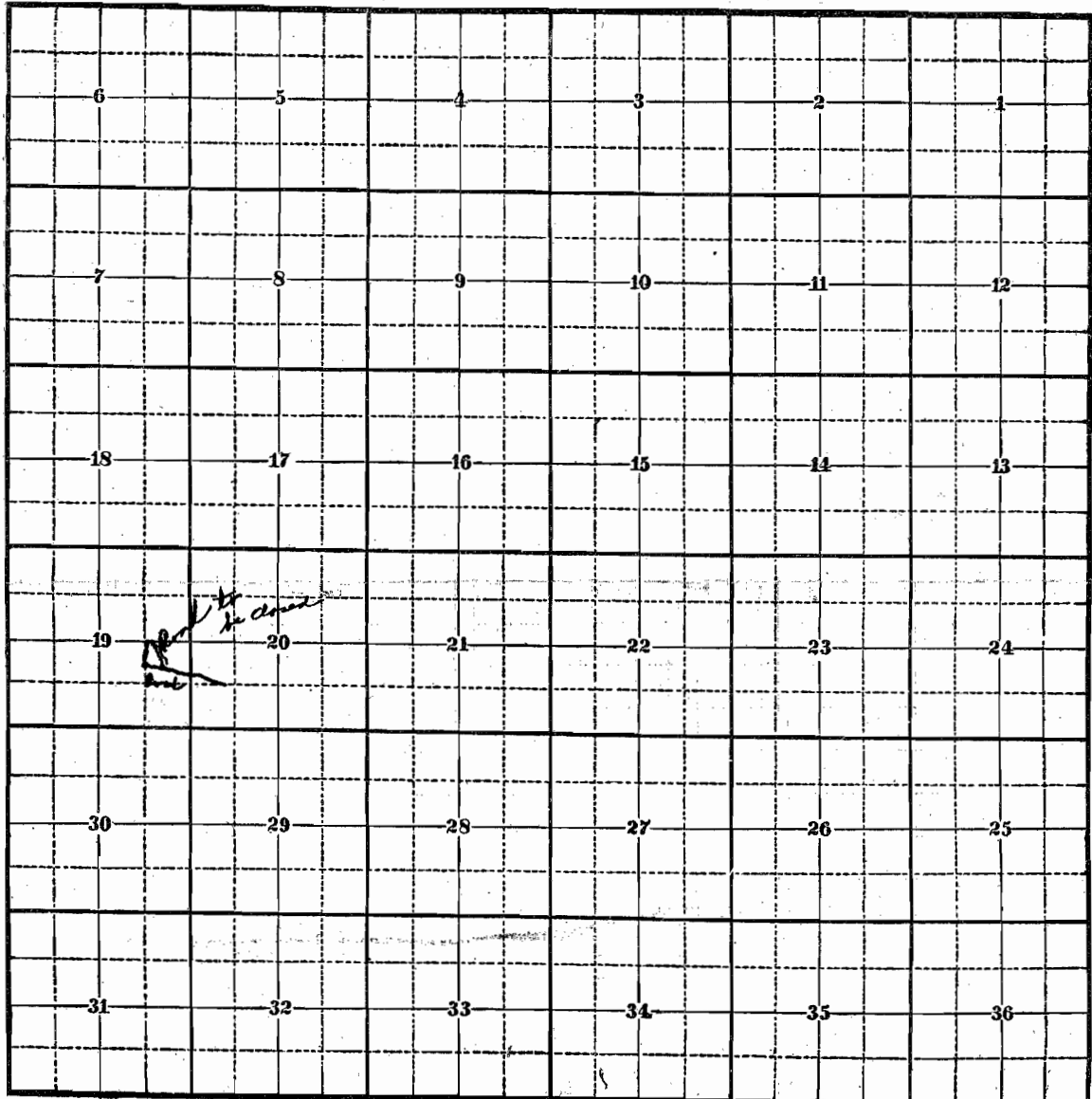
Section 2. The petition must be set forth and describe particularly the highways to be abandoned, discontinued, altered or constructed, and if the same is to be altered, laid-out or constructed, the general route thereof, over what lands, who are owners thereof, whether

such of them as can be found consent thereto, and if not the probable cost of the right-of-way, where consent is not had, the necessity for, and advantage of the proposed road.

Section 18. Highways must be laid out and opened when practicable or upon subdivision or section lines, Provided, however, that the section shall not be construed to prevent roads being laid out on diagonal lines when public purposes shall be best subserved thereby.

### Plat of Proposed Road

Township No. \_\_\_\_\_ Range No. \_\_\_\_\_



Scale so chains to an inch  
20 40 60 80

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## PETITION FOR ROAD

Principle Petitioner.....  
*Eugene Thordike*

Filed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1916.  
*E. J. Thordike*  
County Clerk and Recorder

By..... Deputy

Viewers

Appointed.....19....

To meet.....19....

At.....

On.....

Report of Viewers

Filed.....

Action by the Board.....

Road Dist. No.....