Agenda Summary Report (ASR)

Franklin County Board of Commissioners

DATE SUBMITTED: October 13th, 2020		PREPARED BY: Robert B. Mendez, Associate Engineer		
Meeting Date Requested: October 20th, 2020		PRESE	ENTED BY: Craig Erdman, PE, County Engineer	
ITEM: (Select One)	Consent Agenda	Х	Brought Before the Board	
			Time needed: 10 minutes	
SUBJECT: Petition for Vacating a portion of Joyce Road (Milepost 2.12 to Milepost 2.27)				

FISCAL IMPACT: Chapter 12.08 of the Franklin County Code would govern this vacation. All costs incurred in the investigation would be at the expense of the petitioners including time spent in the examination and reporting and all advertising costs. Pursuant to Chapter 12.08 reimbursements are paid into the County Road fund.

ACTION(S) REQUESTED: Pursuant to Chapter 12.08.020 of the Franklin County Code; upon the filing of such a petition the Board of County Commissioners may, but is not required to, proceed with an intention to vacate the portion of road requested. The Board will need to decide if they are going to consider the petition or not.

If the Board decides to consider the petition it must signify its intent with a resolution and order the County Engineer to report on such vacation. A resolution has been prepared for the Board's use if this course of action is desired.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Board consider the petition for the vacation of a portion of Joyce Road

SUGGESTED MOTION: I hereby move that the Board of Franklin County Commissioners approve the resolution ordering the county engineer report on the possible vacation of a portion of Joyce Road, so that board may consider the usefulness of such road.

COORDINATION:

The procurement procedure for this road adoption was overseen by Craig Erdman, County Engineer. Reviewed by John Christensen, County Surveyor, and Robert Mendez, Associate Engineer.

ATTACHMENTS: (Documents you are submitting to the Board)

The documents included in this package are as follows:

- 1. Resolution considering the vacation and ordering the County Engineer to report thereon
- 2. Map showing the proposed portion of road to be vacated

HANDLING / ROUTING: (Once document is fully executed it will be imported into Document Manager. Please list name(s) of parties that will need a pdf)

If accepted, original resolution to the Board for their records and a pdf copy of resolution to Robert Mendez with the Public Works Engineering Department.

To the Clerk of the Board:	To the Public Works Department:
1 – Original of Resolution	1 – Copy of Resolution (pdf)
1 – Copy of Map Showing portion of Joyce Road to	
vacate	

I certify the above information is accurate and complete.

Matt Mahoney, Public Works Director
Revised: October 2017

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, WASHINGTON

TO CONSIDER A PETITION TO VACATE A PORTION OF JOYCE ROAD AND ORDERING THE COUNTY ENGINEER TO REPORT THEREON

WHEREAS, On October 5th, 2020 the Public Works office received a petition signed by one (1) land owner adjoined to Joyce Road requesting that a portion of Joyce Road be vacated. The petition was accompanied by a sufficient bond as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 12.08.010 of the Franklin County Code the Board must consider if this portion of road is useless and if the public would be benefited by its vacation and abandonment; and

WHEREAS, in order to make a final determination as to the usefulness of the road a report upon such vacation by the county road engineer is required; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing will be scheduled, at a future date, and advertised as required by law upon the completion of the report by the county road engineer in order to consider said report together with any other evidence for or against such proposed vacation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Franklin County Code Chapter 12.08.060 all cost and expenses incurred in the examination and report on the petition shall be paid by the petitioners and the county engineer shall include their bill for such examination as part of their report;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Franklin County Board of Commissioners, hereby orders the county road engineer to report on the possible vacation of a portion of Joyce Road so that the Board may consider the usefulness of such road.

APPROVED this 20th day of October, 2020.

	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FRANKLIN COUNTY, WASHINGTON
	Chair
	Chair Pro Tem
Attest	Member
Clerk of the Board	

