Ohio, conveying to the State of Ohio, for the purposes therein stated, certain tracts of land in said townships and county.

The grants of easement here in question, designated with respect to the number of the instrument and the name of the grantor, are as follows:

Number	Name
824	I. C. Pool
875	Mabel Law
876	E. Clifford Zerbe
877	Mary T. Grote
878	Mary Vergon Sonner
879	Oscar and Ethel Case
880	Oscar Case
881	Wilmer Siegfried
882	W. B. and A. M. Hughes

By the above grants there is conveyed to the State of Ohio, certain lands described therein, for the sole purpose of using said lands for public fishing grounds, and to that end to improve the waters or water courses passing through and over said lands.

Upon examination of the above instruments, I find that the same have been executed and acknowledged by the respective grantors in the manner provided by law and am accordingly approving the same as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed thereon, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL—GRANTS OF EASEMENT EXECUTED TO THE STATE OF OHIO BY SEVERAL PROPERTY OWNERS IN MAD RIVER AND JACKSON TOWNSHIPS, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, OHIO, FOR USE AS PUBLIC FISHING GROUNDS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 21, 1937.

Hon. L. Wooddell, Conservation Commissioner, Columbus, Ohio.

Dear Sir: You have submitted for my examination and approval

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certain grants of easement executed to the State of Ohio by several property owners in Mad River and Jackson Townships, Champaign County, Ohio, conveying to the State of Ohio, for the purposes therein stated, certain tracts of land in said townships and county.

The grants of easement here in question, designated with respect to the number of the instrument and the name of the grantor, are as follows:

Number	Name
884	Charles V. Blose
885	Marie R. Bible
886	Jason Bain
887	E. F. Shockey
888	John Shockey
889	C. R. Dodge
890	John Underwood
891	Geo. Berry
892	Edw. C. Loudenback
893	George J. Koehle
894	L. Dow Ward
895	Floyd J. Berry
896	L. R. Skidmore
897	Geo. W. Mosker
898	C. D. Loudenback
899	S. B. Whitemore
900	A. W. Zimmerman
	Alta Zimmerman
	Lula Zimmerman
901	J. S. Hill, Pres. Bd. of Ed. of
	Mad River Twp. School District
902	John Jung
903	Charles H. Jordan

By the above grants there is conveyed to the State of Ohio, certain lands described therein, for the sole purpose of using said lands for public fishing grounds, and to that end to improve the waters or water courses passing through and over said lands.

Upon examination of the above instruments, I find that the same have been executed and acknowledged by the respective grantors in the manner provided by law and am accordingly approving the same as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed thereon, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE—AUTHORITY TO CERTIFY PERTINENT FACTS, WHEN—CERTIFY AMOUNT OWING BY DELINQUENT COUNTY, WHEN—AUDITOR OF STATE, MANDATORY COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 5546, GENERAL CODE AS AMENDED.

SYLLABUS:

The Department of Public Welfare of the State of Ohio has authority to certify the pertinent facts, together with a copy of a statement of the amount owing by a delinquent county, whereupon the Auditor of State will comply with the mandatory provisions of Section 5546-20a, General Code, as amended by House Bill 46, upon the effective date of this act.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 21, 1937.

Hon. Margaret M. Allman, Director, Department of Public Welfare, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR MADAM: I have your recent communication requesting my opinion, which reads as follows:

"On April 3, 1937, there was filed in the office of the Secretary of State an Act appropriating \$779,000 to the Department of Public Welfare to maintain and care for insane persons committed to detention hospitals who were so committed because of the crowded conditions in state institutions. The appropriation bill also set forth the fact that the rate to be paid to such detention hospitals for the care and maintenance of insane persons was to be \$2.50 per day, of which amount the State was to pay \$1.25 and the County from which the insane person or persons are committed should pay \$1.25, the State paying the full amount in the first instance and then billing the County