OPINIONS

The abstract of title warranty deed and certificate of the action of the controlling board with reference to section 12 of the General Appropriation Act are herewith returned.

> Respectfully, C. C. CRABBE, Attorney General.

2942.

APPROVAL, CERTIFIED COPY OF FINAL RESOLUTION ON ROAD IM-PROVEMENT IN BUTLER COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 13, 1925.

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

2943. ·

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ARE NOT AUTHORIZED TO MAKE CON-TRIBUTION IN MONEY TO A VILLAGE TO PAY A PORTION OF COST OF IMPROVEMENT OF VILLAGE STREET WHICH IS ALSO A COUNTY ROAD.

SYLLABUS:

County commissioners are not authorized, by section 7467 of the General Code or elsewhere in the statutes, to make a contribution in money to a village of an amount representing a proportion of the cost of the improvement of a village street, which is also a county road.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 14, 1925.

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

GENTLEMEN:—This will acknowledge receipt of your recent communication in which you submit the following question:

"May the county commissioners contribute to a village an amount representing a proportion of the cost of the improvement of a village street which is also a county road?"

Accompanying your communication are copies of two letters, written by an examiner of your department, and from these enclosures it is disclosed that the county commissioners of the particular county contemplate the contribution to a village within the county of a sum of money equal to thirty-five per cent of the cost of the improvement of a street, which is a county road, within the village.

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