

Boston Feb. 17th 1872

Mr. Harding

I observe by the papers that your Committee have awarded the Shep. Con. Society 65 cts. foot for land taken to widen Marion Street.

It is singular that we have not been heard in the matter, although the last City Council voted that we should be. and at the last meeting referred the matter over to the new Council, and now it appears action has taken place without any notice to us. I regret this as I could show you that the sum we claim is only about the cost; to say nothing about a fair proportion of the cost of filling, which unfortunately for the most part was just that part taken & alteration of plans &c.

I will only add that of course we can take no such sum, and shall at once make the necessary appeal.

Mr. Parker suggested that I should see you before, - but you will see ~~at once~~ that on just business principles we ought not to do, or take less than a fair price for land taken.

Beside this we intended to show you the plans of the church, and the necessity of alteration by reason of losing our land. this involves the necessity of new plans for a part of the building.

Respectfully Wm. Saunders for Shep. Con. Soc.

Communication
of Shepard Cong. Soc.
Laud on allusion to

Feb. 21. 1872.

City of Cambridge.

In Board of Aldermen, *Feb* ^{21st} ~~XX~~th 1872

Order

That the award made by order approved June 28, 1871, directing the widening of Mason Street, be amended, by increasing the award to the Shepard Congregational Society to "65" cents per sq. foot, making a total award to said Society of "Twenty two hundred and ten dollars" in place of "Seventeen hundred dollars" as previously

Order

(April 24, 1872) Adopted. Sent down for concurrence,

Attest, Justin A. Jacobs. City Clerk.

In Common Council May 14, 1872,
Concurred, Attest, J. W. Cotton, Clerk.

May 17, 1872 approved
Henry O. Houghton
Mayor.

City of Cambridge.

1872-1873 - Remittance to Board of

Ordered

Amount - cleared \$67

Feb. 21. 1872.

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Re - committee.

June 17. 1872.

Received

of the Board of Cambridge

City of Cambridge.

In Board of Aldermen, *Fely* ^{21st} ~~11th~~ 1872

The Committee on Roads + Bridges,
Report.

Recommending that the award made by order approved June 28. 1871 in the matter of widening Mason Street, - be amended, by inserting "sixty five cents per foot," in place of "fifty cents per foot," in award to Shepard Congregational Society, and "Twenty two hundred and ten" dollars in place of "Seventeen hundred" dollars, as the amount of award to said Society, - They therefore offer the ~~following~~ accompanying Order,

For the Committee,
C. Harding

Report

Answer - clear St.

Feb. 21. 1872.

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City of Cambridge.

In Board of Aldermen, *Apr* 17th 1872

The Committee on Roads & Bridges,
to which was recommitteed the
Order for increasing the award to the
"Shepard Congregational Society," for
widening Mason Street, after careful
consideration, Report,

recommending that
the Order, as previously reported,
be adopted.

For the Committee,
C. S. Hanning

Referred

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Awarded an increased St.

April 17, 1872.

Let on table

Apr 30/72 In C.C.

In C.C. - May 7/72

To 2^d adg

City of Cambridge

Board of Aldermen

1872