

# NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

~~AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE~~

Year: 1923

Superintendent's No. Right of Way Dept. No. 555  
No. Engineering Dept. No.

A. F. E. No. 130

Fargo Div. Fargo & S.W. District State N.D. Val. Sec. No. 4  
Branch

Authority to accept donation of land valued at \$75.00  
~~AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR A NET EXPENDITURE OF \$~~



Authority distribution as follows: (Distribution to be made in General Office.)

	Operating Expenses	Profit and Loss	Net Operating Expenses	Net Profit and Loss
Value of salvage				
Incidental costs				
Total to Operating Expenses				
Total to Profit and Loss				
To Material and Supplies				
To Bills for Collection				
To Other Accounts				75.00
Net charge to investment account—Additions and Betterments				75.00
Total of distribution				\$

Budget reference: None

Class of Work: No. 27  
Real Estate

Joint facility contract reference: None

The location is not on this company's property. To secure rights, it will be necessary

Location: Berlin, North Dakota

Title and Reason: Donation of strip of land for driveway purposes

Mr. C. A. Finch, of the C.A. Finch Lumber Co., who have a lumber yard on the right of way at Berlin, recently called attention to the fact that the Railway Company's fence along the southerly side of the right of way at that station interfered more or less with access to and from the lumber yard as well as the Equity Elevator Co's elevator. He offered to buy a strip of land adjoining the right of way and donate it to the Railway Co. to be used as a driveway. His offer was accepted and a strip of land 16-1/2 ft. wide along the southerly edge of the station grounds containing 1 acre was acquired and deeded to the Railway Co. The transaction was handled without cost to the Ry. Co. Mr. Finch paid \$75.00 for the land and the purpose of this R.F.A. is to increase our property account by the amount of this purchase.

Received by Engineer  
President's Office

Work to be done by company force under charge of contract

Accounting to concentrate in the office of Right of Way Commissioner

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Signature and Title: *J. L. Watson* Right of Way Commissioner Date January 30 19 23

APPROVED:		
General Superintendent.	Prin. Asst. Engr. or Engr. Maint. of Way.	Assistant General Manager.
Mech. Supt., Supt. Telg. or Signal Engr.		
Chief Engineer.	General Manager.	Vice President.
<i>[Signature]</i> Comptroller.	<i>[Signature]</i> President.	Date of Final Approval } 19 23

COMPTROLLER'S RECORD OF NOTICE OF APPROVAL AND OF COMPLETION

Form No. 1345 issued FEB 7 1923 Work begun 19 Work finished Jan 30 1923