

RESOLUTION 27 - 2024

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING HEGGEM LANE
TO BE A COUNTY ROAD**

WHEREAS, the statutes of the State of Montana vest the Board of Commissioners with the authority and responsibility regarding roads and bridges, and such Statutes are generally found in Title 7, Chapter 14, Montana Code Annotated; and

WHEREAS, there exists a certain road in Fergus County known as Heggem Lane and such road has long served members of the traveling public as well as landowners adjoining such road, which is more specifically described as follows:

A road consisting of approximately 1.84 miles leaving secondary hwy 236, beginning near the northern intersection of section 1 and 2 in 21N R17E transversing easterly along the northern section line of section 1 21N R17E and southern section line of section 36 T22N R17E to the northern intersections of section 1 T21N R17E and section 6 T21N R18E then turning along the section line running south to generally the southern intersection of the northwest and south west quarter quarter sections located in the north west quarter of section 6 T21N R18E and thereafter generally continuing east near the quarter quarter section lines generally between the N2E2 and S2E2 to the intersection with Tobin Lane in section 6 T21N R18E.

A map depicting this road is attached hereto as Exhibit A, and by this reference incorporated herein.

WHEREAS, the Board is aware that on some portions of the foregoing described road, petitions may have been filed in the past, and as a consequence, these portions appear to have been declared as county roads. However, some portions may appear not to have been previously the subject of road petition; and

WHEREAS, the foregoing described road has been laid out, constructed and maintained with state or county funds, and it appears that persons using such road have been under the belief that the entire length of such road is a county road; and

WHEREAS, the 1999 Montana Legislature enacted sub-sections 7-14-2101 (2) (b) and (c), which allows local governments to address roads such as that described above; and such statute requires a public hearing, after which the board has discretion to declare such to be a county road; and

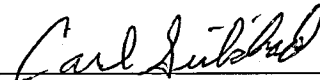
WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners will declare the road described as a county road, after due notice is published and a public hearing is held to solicit public input as to the advisability of declaring the foregoing described road to be a county road;

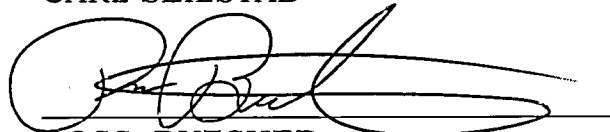
WHEREAS, a public hearing on this matter was held at the Commission Chambers at the Fergus County Courthouse, Lewistown, Montana on the 12th day of November, 2024, at the time of 2 p.m., after which the Commission took action on this proposal.

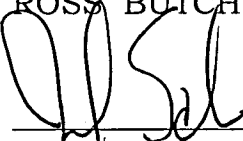
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 7-14-2101, Montana Code Annotated, the Fergus Board of Commissioners hereby declares Heggem Lane, as described above, to be a County Road.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of November, 2024.

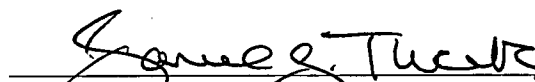
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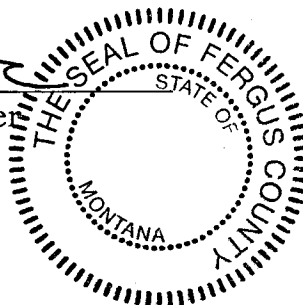

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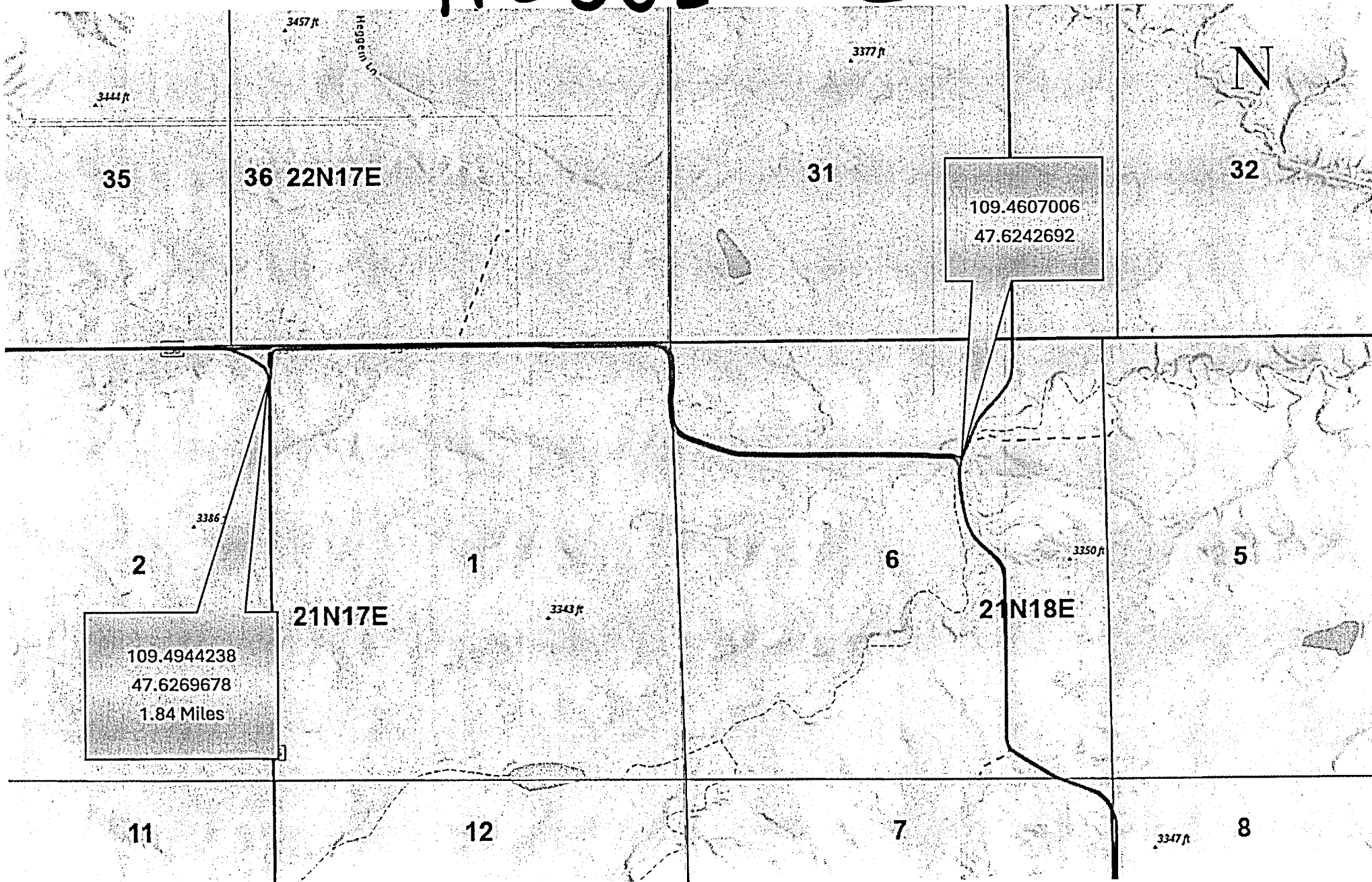

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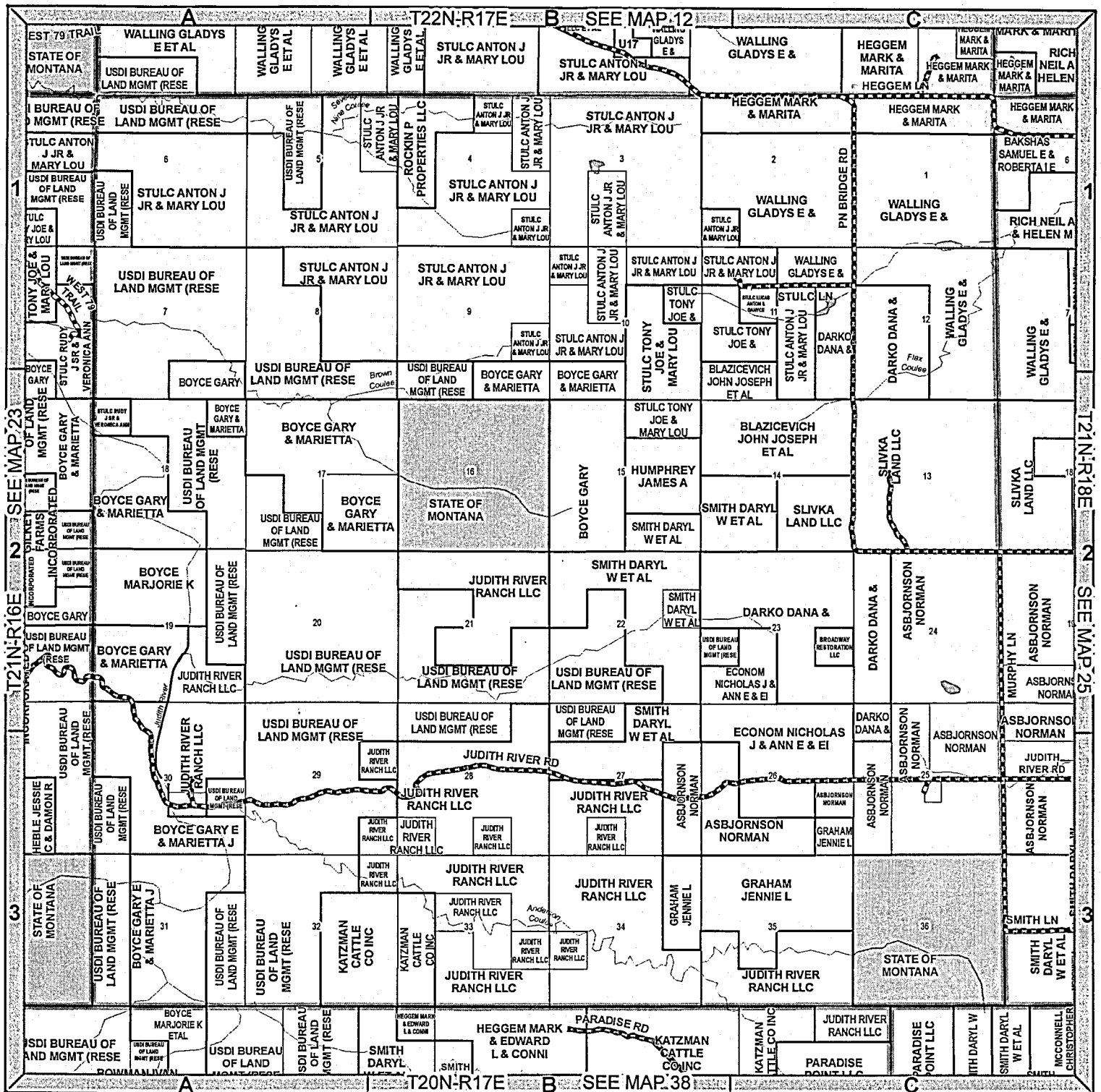
ATTEST:


JANEL TUCEK, Clerk & Recorder

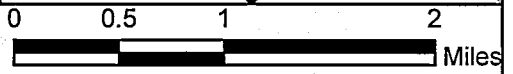


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Fergus County



- Legend**
- ROADS IN FERGUS COUNTY**
- PAVED
 - DIRT
 - GRAVEL
 - UNIMPROVED
 - ALL OTHER SURFACES
- PUBLIC LANDS**
- US BUREAU OF LAND MGMT
 - US FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE
 - US FOREST SERVICE
 - MT STATE TRUST LANDS
 - MT FISH, WILDLIFE, & PARKS

Note: Ownership data was obtained from the Montana Cadastral Mapping Project (www.gis.mt.gov) from files dated October 2021. Owners names are shown with the first thirty letters on the maps—the entire name is shown in the index tables following the maps.

Road information is from Fergus County Planning Department files dated November 2021. These books are for reference only. Neither Fergus County nor Cicon & Associates make any warranty as to available public access or legal status of roads or land ownership.

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