

Benjamin Dudley of Sudbury Desires the Select men of Sudbury to meet  
and view the high way that goes through his land the High way  
leading from Sudbury to Watick: That part of said way that goes through  
his land is so much to his Damage: that it almost Ruines his place by Reason  
of so much fence that must be made and maintained besides the splitting of his  
field and in turning said high way more South Easterly in his land will be Great  
service to him and no Disadvantage to the publick

At a meeting of the Select men of Sudbury: february: 1: 1734: 5  
at the Desire of Benjamin Dudley: the subscribers were of opinion: that it is  
best for the High way: to goe in said Dudleys Land: as followeth: Beginning  
towards the southerly side of said Dudley Land: Turning North Easterly by a white  
oak tree marked for said High way: and on the South Easterly side of said way  
and so on: on Risings Ground: till it comes to Sam<sup>l</sup> Gaults Land having marked  
trees on the South Easterly side of said way: and so said Highway was laid out  
in a Cart path: in sd Dudleys Land having the Land of Sam<sup>l</sup> Gault on the East  
side of said way: till it comes to the North west Corner of said Gaults Land  
and so on in said Dudleys Land a straight line till it comes into the High  
way formerly laid out by the Select men of Sudbury: said High way is  
bounded as above Exprest: And is laid out all the way two Rods wide in said  
Dudleys Land

The said Benjamin Dudley proposed to Clear the New way laid out: And  
to Give the Land in Exchange for the Old way formerly laid out: from  
where the New way began to where its Ends

Ephraim Curtis }  
Jonathan Fiske } Select  
Noah Clap } men  
James Browder } of Sudbury

Sudbury march: 3: 1734: 5

At a town legally warned &c  
The town by a vote Excepted  
of the Return of the Select men  
as above Exprest in sd Return

Noah Clap moderator

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