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**New York State Engineer and Surveyor Monthly Progress
Reports and Record of Petitions for Work on Highways
B0269**

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	This series consists of a monthly progress report with monthly highway construction statistics including miles surveyed; miles under contract not completed; miles completed and accepted; expenses for surveys, maps, construction, and maintenance; and amount paid by state and county for construction work. Also include is a record of petitions for highway construction work within each county which includes miles covered in original petition; miles surveyed; county share of the cost of the work; contract date and price; and date completed road was turned over to the county.
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Arrangement

By county.

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Scope and Content Note

This volume contains two forms for each county: a "Monthly Progress" report and a "Record of All Petitions in this County."

"Monthly Progress" reports contain highway construction statistics cumulated monthly over several years for each county and provide: year and month; number of original petitions

received and mileage of construction petitioned for; number of miles surveyed; number of miles mapped; number of miles adopted by the county; number of miles under contract not completed; number of miles completed and accepted; advertising costs; engineering expenses for surveys and maps, construction, and maintenance; amount paid by state and county for construction work; and amount expended by county.

The "Record of All Petitions" for each county contains the following information on individual petitions for highway construction work: date of original petition; petition number; name of road; town; number of miles covered in original petition; number of miles surveyed; date county approved plans for work; amount set aside by county for its share of the cost of the work; date of contact; road number; contract price; date on which completed road was turned over to the county; and remarks: usually a cost figure, possibly the total cost of the work, and occasionally a note indicating that a petition had been combined with another.

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Other Finding Aids

Available at Repository

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Use of Records

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Access Terms

- Monitoring
- Roads
- New York (State)
- Monthly reports
- New York (State). Department of Transportation