

*At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on the Sixth Day of June, 1770, in the Tenth Year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lord George the Third, of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. and there continued by several Prorogations until the Sixth day of October, 1783, in the Twenty Third Year of his said Majesty's Reign, being the Fifth General Assembly convened in the said Province.*

23 George III – Chapter 5

**An Act in further Addition to, and Amendment of an Act made in the first Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for repairing and mending Highways, Roads, Bridges and Streets, and for Appointing Surveyors of Highways within the several Townships in this Province."**

Whereas by the first section of an act made in the fifth year of his present Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act in Addition to, and Amendment of an Act, made in the first year of his present Majesty's reign, entitled, 'An Act for Repairing Highways, Roads, Bridges and Streets, and for Appointing Surveyors of Highways within the several Townships in this Province,'" it is directed, that all public highways hereafter to be laid out, shall not be less than one hundred feet wide.

And whereas doubts have arisen, whether said act extended to highways and roads then in use only.

I. Be it therefore enacted, by the Governor, Council and Assembly, and it is hereby enacted and declared, that all highways through the province, which were in use as such at the time of making said act should be continued of the same breadth, they then were or not to exceed sixty six feet wide.