

May 18th  
1957.

Mr. & Mrs. Eusebio E. Ortiz,  
California.

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Ortiz:-

A year and a half ago, Miss Forster and I bought the property formerly owned by Miss Augustine Stoll and through which the road leads to your and your mother's house. After living here for this length of time and talking to all our neighbors we all think it would be best for all of us, if we give an easement and right of way along the east line of our property taking your road out onto Acequia Madre instead of the Camino. Joe Ortiz is very anxious to do this as it will give him the opportunity to put in a sewer line, and I am sure from what Mrs. Vigil tells me that her nephews will want to do the same. We would like to do it as I use the little house for my photographic work and as soon as I can I want to add to it to build a good studio. We expect to put in the new road as soon as all the signatures are back. We have already given your mother and all the others concerned their individual Grant of Easement and Right of Way papers, with our signatures properly notarized. You may have heard already from your mother regarding this, so it will not be new to you. Would you both sign this deed before a notary on the lines just below your mothers name?

I enclose a self addressed envelope for the return of the papers and my check for \$1. for the notary fee. I will still have to send these to Mrs. Vigil's nephews, so we would appreciate it very much if you can do this in a few days time. I enclose a rough map of our lot and have indicated where we expect to put the new road.

Trusting that this is all clear to you, and that you will agree with all of us that this will be an improvement to our neighborhood, I am

Very truly yours,

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Laura Gilpin

Elizabeth W. Forster