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POLE AND CONDUIT COMMISSION



City of Cambridge

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Agenda of the Pole and Conduit Commission held on Thursday, August 16, 2018 at 10:00 A.M. Michael J. Lombardi Building, 831 Massachusetts Avenue Basement Conference Room

 Continuation from April 19, 2018, to get information as to who owns third conduit. <u>Comcast, 426 E. First Street, Boston, MA 02127,</u> for the following: 24 Winter Street – From the existing Pole #16 on Winter Street, trench southerly 5' in the public way installing 1-2" PVC conduit. No sidewalk removal. Homeowners contractor will install conduit.

Decision:

- 2. Continuation from July 19, 2018. Contractor needs to come to meeting and resolve issues with the Department of Public Works. <u>Comcast, 426 E. First Street, Boston, MA 02127</u>, for the following: From Pole 10 on Regent Street, trench westerly 35' to the PP line of 55 Regent Street. Installing 1-2" PVC conduit in the public way and 1 PP hand hole. This will include the removal and replacement of 1 sidewalk panel by the contractor. Decision:
- 3. Continuation from July 19, 2018. Either diagram fixed of description fixed they do not match. <u>Comcast, 426 E. First Street, Boston, MA 02127</u>, for the following: 399 Binney Street From existing Comcast manhole on Cardinal Medeiros Avenue, trench northerly 56' then turning easterly 28' to the private property line of 399 Binney Street. installing 1-4" PVC conduit in the public way. Trench will continue easterly on private property an additional 66' to newly install Comcast manhole. Continue trenching easterly 158' then 12' northerly to existing MH on private property installing 1-4" PVC conduit.

Decision:

4. New Petition <u>Comcast, 426 E. First Street, Boston, MA 02127</u>, for the following: 1780 Massachusetts Avenue - From existing Comcast manhole, trench northerly 51' then westerly 69' and install (1) new 24" x 34" sidewalk vault. Continue trench 5' westerly to the private property line of 1780 Massachusetts Avenue. Installing (1) 4" PVC conduit. This will include the removal and replacement of (2) sidewalk panels.

Decision:

 New Petition Lightower Fiber Networks, LLC, 80 Central Street, Boxborough, MA 01719, for the following: Sidney Street - Starting at utility pole #635/38 on Sidney Street install 25' +/- of (1) 4" communication conduit northeasterly to the building located at 200 Sidney Street.

Decision:

6. Continuation from June 27, 2018, to allow applicant to obtain all necessary licenses. Also, the applicant needs to submit a petition which shows the entire proposed route and excavation. Lightower Fiber Networks, LLC, 300 Meridian Center, Rochester, NY 14618, for the following: Pleasant Street Extension – Proposing to attach fiber optic infrastructure and wireless equipment to existing 33'-10" wooden utility pole along Pleasant Street Extension near Memorial Drive (nearest address = 784 Memorial Drive).

Decision:

7. Continuation from June 27, 2018. Applicant needs to verify whether the proposed pole is the appropriate one since it is a riser pole and Eversource does not tend to allow attachment to riser poles. Also, the applicant needs to submit a petition which shows the entire proposed route and excavation. Lightower Fiber Networks, LLC, 300 Meridian Center, Rochester, NY 14618, for the following: Douglass Street – Proposing to attach fiber optic infrastructure and wireless equipment to existing 30'-11" wooden utility pole along Douglass Street (nearest address = 9 Douglass Street).

Decision:

8. Continuation from June 27, 2018. Applicant needs to verify proposed routing and location. Also, the applicant needs to submit a petition which shows the entire proposed route and excavation. <u>Lightower Fiber Networks, LLC, 300 Meridian Center, Rochester, NY 14618,</u> for the following: Columbia Street – Proposing to attach fiber optic infrastructure and wireless equipment to existing 37'-1" wooden utility pole along Columbia Street near Bishop Allen Drive (nearest address = 25 Columbia Street).

Decision:

9. Continuation from June 27, 2018. Applicant needs to obtain an explanation from Eversource as to why it will not allow the applicant to replace the metal guyed pole. Extenet Systems, Inc, 100 Apollo Drive, Suite 303, Chelmsford, MA 01824, for the following: 1663 Massachusetts Avenue - Attachment of a small cell wireless facility to jointly owned Eversource/Verizon metal guyed pole. The facility is necessary to improve wireless capacity and/or coverage in the vicinity.

Decision:

 10. Continuation from February 22, 2018. Still waiting for submission of utility package. <u>Nstar Electric Company, 101 Linwood Street, Somerville, MA 02143,</u> for the following: Columbia Street – Southwesterly from Pole 166/79, approximately 397 feet north of Webster Avenue, a distance of about 67 feet – conduit. This work is necessary to supply power to 305 Webster Avenue (W.O. #2236265).

Decision:

11. Continuation from May 17, 2018, to allow applicant time to complete all licensing and permitting requirements for the flammables it stores in the City of Cambridge. <u>Nstar Electric Company, 101 Linwood Street, Somerville, MA 02143</u>, for the following: Smith Place – Northwesterly from Pole 640/10, approximately 504 feet north of Concord Avenue, a distance of about four (4) feet – conduit. This work is necessary to supply power to a new parking lot (W.O. #2262684).

Decision:

12. Petition fee for consideration

Decision:

13. Consideration of minutes

Decision:

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE ORDER IN WHICH MATTERS ARE LISTED DOES NOT GUARANTEE IT IS THE ORDER WHICH THEY WILL BE CALLED. AS SUCH, PLEASE BE SURE TO ARRIVE AT THE NOTICED TIME OF 10:00 AM.

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