

ATTACHMENT B

UNDERGROUND UTILITIES INSTALLATIONS, MAINTENANCE AND REMOVALS

1. All underground utilities must be placed on the back 5 feet of the rights-of-way of the declared county road except when written permission is granted by the chief administrative office of the county highway department.
2. All utilities placed in the county rights-of-way are to be placed at a 30" minimum cover and installed with tracer product. Gas and electrical to follow federal code 42" deep.
3. Utilities placed under paved county maintained roads will be placed by boring methods at a minimum 30" cover, cased 2" and larger (including new development) with location device.
4. Asphalt pavement shall not be cut for at least five (5) years following new paving and three (3) years following fresh chip seal.
5. Asphalt Cuts: All cuts must be approved by the CAO in writing on permit; installed at a 30" minimum cover, cased and location device.
6. Repair of Asphalt Cuts: Replace with C or D asphalt mix 3" min; back filled with flow fill concrete or with stone #57 (written permission CAO on Permit) and compacted 8" to 12" lifts using a Wacker type device— within 6 month return and refill asphalt or repave if two or more repairs are within 50 feet on both sides of the cut.
7. Utilities lines shall not be placed in culverts, tile, or other road structures, or run through or over road drainage tile, and ditches returned to original depth and condition. Placed in drainage ditches by written permission only. Utilities attached to bridges must be designed by an engineer. Must have 30" minimum cover and a minimum of 12" from bottom and/or top of drainage structure.
8. Natural Gas Utilities: All installation shall be outside the county declared rights-of-way. Written permission from the CAO must be obtained prior to installation of natural gas lines in the county rights-of-way. If approved by the CAO installation shall meet all federal standards, all road crossing to be cased with tracer wire.

ABOVE GROUND UTILITIES

1. Permitting not required for over-head utility installation and maintenance; however, if excavation is required a county permit must be obtained.
2. All utility markers, location and advertising signage located in the county rights-of way must be maintained free of weed and brush within a 4 foot radius so said facility is easily visible. The county assumes no responsibility for any damage to any facility that is not properly maintained by the utility provider.