

1 PERRY COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

2 UTILITY PERMIT

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4 Definitions:

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6 Jurisdictional County hereinafter known as County:

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8 Perry County Highway Department  
9 Perry County Unit Road District  
10 3698 State Route 13/127  
11 Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274

Representative: Brian Otten  
Telephone: (618)-357-6556

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13 Utility company hereinafter known as Utility:

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15 Utility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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17 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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19 City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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21 Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

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23 Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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25 Emergency Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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27 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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29 Utility's contractor hereinafter known as Contractor:

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31 Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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33 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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35 City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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37 Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

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39 Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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41 Emergency Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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43 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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45 Location of project hereinafter known as Location:

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47 Road Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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49 Starting At: \_\_\_\_\_

51 Ending At: \_\_\_\_\_

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53 Planned project hereinafter known as Work:

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55 The Utility requests permission to construct and maintain a distribution line on and under the Location.

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57 \_\_\_\_\_ (Check if applies) The Work is described in detail on the attached sketch or plans.

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59 \_\_\_\_\_ (Check if applies) The Work is described in detail on the attached specifications.

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61 The Work authorized by this permit shall be completed within \_\_\_\_\_ days after the date of approval by  
62 the County, otherwise the permit will be considered null and void.

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64 The anticipated letting date is \_\_\_\_\_. (If applicable)

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66 General Requirments:

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68 **This permit when authorized grants permission to the Utility to use the County right of ways. The**  
69 **County may not fully own all right of ways but by law have been granted permission to maintain**  
70 **and use the right of ways. This permission may not apply to utilities. The Utility has the**  
71 **responsibility to research property ownership and secure permission from property owners as**  
72 **needed.**

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74 The Utility represents all parties' interest and shall furnish material, do all work, pay all costs and shall in  
75 a reasonable length of time restore the damaged portions of the highway or right of way to a condition  
76 similar or equal to that existing before the commencement of the work, including any seeding or sodding  
77 necessary. The work shall be done at the Utilities' risk and expense.

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79 This permit covers the operation and presence of specified equipment, material or facility on the right-of-  
80 way which may be related to the authorized work. Future work will require a new permit.

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82 The proposed distribution line shall be located and construction to the satisfaction of the County. No  
83 revisions or additions shall be made to the proposed work on the right-of-way without the written  
84 permission of the County.

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86 The County reserves the right to make such changes, additions, repairs and relocations within its statutory  
87 limits to the facilities constructed under this permit or their appurtenances on the right-of-way as may be  
88 considered necessary to permit the relocation, reconstruction, widening or maintaining of the highway.  
89 The Utility, upon written request by the County, shall perform such alterations or changes of location of  
90 the facilities, without expense to the County. Should the Utility fail to make satisfactory arrangements to  
91 comply with this request within a reasonable time, the County reserves the right to make such alterations  
92 and the Utility agrees to pay for the cost incurred.

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94 This permit is effective only insofar as the County has jurisdiction and does not presume to release the  
95 Utility from compliance with the provisions of existing statutes or local regulations relating to the  
96 construction of such work

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98 The Utility shall assume all responsibility for interference with existing utilities in, along, or upon said  
99 highway.

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101 The County will not be responsible for any damage to this line caused by use of the highway by the  
102 traveling public. The County will not be responsible for any damage to this line caused by reconstruction,  
103 relocation, repairing, or maintenance of this line or any other utility line or driveway.

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105 It shall be the Utilities' responsibility to make arrangements with other utility companies and other  
106 agencies, prior to the start of the work authorized in this permit, for the location of any utilities or  
107 facilities which may be required.

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109 The Utility must ascertain the presence of Highway Authority Agreements established in accordance with  
110 35 Illinois Administrative Code Section 742.1020 in the path of its proposed installation and take  
111 precautions to protect its workers, human health and the environment in those areas.

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113 Construction Standards:

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115 A copy of this permit shall be on the job site during construction.

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117 The location of the proposed line shall be staked in the field prior to construction.

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119 All distribution lines located on the highway right of way shall have a minimum depth of 30 inches except  
120 when lines cross under the road ditch. In such cases the minimum depth of 36 inches is required from the  
121 top of the line or casing to the normal flow line of the ditch. Parallel installations of the cable shall be  
122 located within 5 feet of the right of way line. Any facility to be placed under a road shall be encased in  
123 appropriate steel or other approved type casing to insure the facility shall not incur damage due to road  
124 traffic.

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126 The Utility shall not cut, trim, molest or remove any trees, shrubs or plants growing upon the highway  
127 without the approval of the County Engineer or his duly authorized representative, and wherever possible,  
128 shall use special design, construction methods, and materials to eliminate the necessity of cutting,  
129 trimming, molesting, or removing said trees, shrubs, or plants.

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131 The construction and maintenance of this line shall comply with the National Electrical Safety or General  
132 Order 160 of the Illinois commerce Commission or any revision thereof.

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134 All poles, anchors, guys, fixtures, and appurtenances shall be located in such a manner that they will not  
135 obstruct drainage or interfere with traffic, highway entrances or the maintenance of the highway. Above  
136 ground appurtenances shall be located within one (1) foot of the right of way line.

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138 Traffic Control:

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140 The Utility shall at all times conduct the work in such a manner as to minimize hazards to vehicular and  
141 pedestrian traffic. Whenever any of the work under this permit involves any obstruction or hazard to the  
142 free flow of traffic in the normal traffic lanes, plans for the proposed method of traffic control must be  
143 submitted to and approved by the County at least 72 hours, and preferably longer, before the start of work.

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145 All traffic control shall be in accordance with the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices hereinafter  
146 known as MUTCD and amendments thereof. It should be noted that standards and typical placement of  
147 devices shown in the MUTCD are minimums. Many locations may require additional or supplemental  
148 devices. All signs, barricades, flaggers, etc., required for traffic control shall be furnished by the Utility.

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150 Failure to provide these devices shall be just reason for the County to stop all work until which time the  
151 above devices are properly erected and maintained.

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153 One-way traffic shall be maintained at all times. Exception to the foregoing statement would be the  
154 temporary moving of trucks in and out of the area; then proper warnings to the traveling public shall be  
155 given. The company shall furnish all flagmen, signs, and barricades to protect traffic.

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157 Number of lane closures: \_\_\_\_\_ Time of closures: \_\_\_\_\_

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159 Acceptance and Signature:

160 The undersigned agrees to perform all above noted items.

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164 Signature of Representative                      Date

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167 This permit allowing construction and maintenance of a distribution line on County right-of-way is:

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169 Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
170                      County Engineer    Date

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172 Denied: \_\_\_\_\_  
173                      County Engineer    Date