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Hidalgo County Irrigation District No. 2 (DISTRICT), for and in consideration of the receipt of fees and other agreements contained herein, does hereby grant a Permit to

_____, (PERMITTEE) to cross a District facility at (lot, block and subdivision; and nearest street or attach a drawing): _____

With (type of utility) _____

According to the following specification:

All, utilities, pipelines, cables, etc. will cross under the District's irrigation lines leaving a minimum clearance of 24 inches between the District's pipeline and the utility and allowing for maintenance and repair excavation of at least 10 feet either side of the center line of the irrigation line to the depth of the bottom of the irrigation line.

Borings under concrete lined canals shall be a minimum of 5 feet between the bottom of the canal lining and the top of the casing. All borings under concrete lined canals will require the installation of an impermeable liner in the canal 100 feet upstream and downstream from the centerline of the bore. Borings under earthen canals should be a minimum of 7 feet between the bottom of the canal and the top of the casing. No void between bore hole and casing or bore hole and utility is allowed. All voids must be backfilled with flowable fill.

All utilities, pipelines, cables, etc. will cross under the District's drainage ditches leaving a minimum clearance of 5 feet between the top of the installation and the bottom of the ditch. The location of the installation should be permanently marked on both sides of the drainage ditch R.O.W.

All hazardous utilities shall be marked by a permanent sign to indicate type of utility, contact numbers and location of said facility.

All installations crossing the District's irrigation lines or installed within the District's easements or rights-of-way must be inspected by a representative of the District prior to back fill.

All back fill shall be tamped in 6 inch layers to a condition comparable to adjacent, undisturbed material. PERMITTEE shall correct any future settlement in area of excavation.

The lowest conductor of all overhead power lines will clear the surface of the dirt road on the canal berm by a height of no less than 48 feet at all times and at least two signs will be placed in conspicuous places along the canal or drainage ditch warning of the existence of the overhead line.

The right-of-way must be cleared of trash and excess dirt and left in a neat, clean condition upon completion of this installation.

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The issuance of this Permit grants PERMITTEE permission to work within District right-of-way for the purpose of the Permit, but does not guarantee PERMITTEE a route free of obligation such as utility lines, whether privately or commercially owned. In order to prevent damage to these utilities, it will be the PERMITTEE'S responsibility to contact the various utility companies or private owners for the exact location of any facilities that may be in the path of PERMITTEE'S proposed work.

District shall not be liable or responsible for, and shall be saved and held harmless by PERMITTEE, from and against any and all claims and damages of every kind, for injury to or death of any person or persons and for damages to or loss of property, personal or real, arising out of or attributed, directly or indirectly, to the operations of PERMITTEE under the Permit.

PERMITTEE agrees to reimburse District any expense incurred by District relating to cost of supervision of any project or work by PERMITTEE hereunder, and other reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred by District in connection with granting and supervision of this Permit.

In the event District requires PERMITTEE'S utility to be relocated or adjusted in the future, PERMITTEE agrees to relocate or adjust same at no cost or expense to the District.

This Permit shall expire and terminate 365 calendar days following cessation of use of the premises by PERMITTEE for the purposes provided for herein. Otherwise, this Permit shall expire 40 years following the effective date of this Permit.

This Permit shall become effective _____

PERMITTEE (PRINT TYPE NAME)

SIGNATURE

TITLE

ADDRESS

PHONE

ACCEPTED

Hidalgo County Irrigation District No. 2

BY: _____
GENERAL MANAGER

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