

NOTICE OF PROPOSED INSTALLATION

UTILITY LINE ON WILLIAMSON COUNTY RIGHT-OF-WAY

TO: Williamson County Unified Road System
3151 S. E. Inner Loop, Suite B
Georgetown, Texas 78626

DATE: 08/19/08Formal notice is hereby given that Central Telephone Company of Texas (Embarq)Company proposes to place a buried fiber opticline within the right-of-way of CR 100
as follows: (give location, length, general design, etc.)

Starting at the intersection of CR 130 & CR 100 in the south R.O.W. of CR 100, Embarq proposes to place a buried fiber optic line 7' from the south R.O.W. of CR 100 going east for 190', then boring CR 100 and placing fiber optic cable to an existing carrier as shown on the attached print. Fiber will be placed at a depth of 42".

The line will be constructed and maintained on the road right-of-way as directed by the Williamson County Unified Road System in accordance with governing laws.

Our firm further understands that the County considers proper traffic control measures as those complying with applicable portions of the Texas Manual of Traffic Control Devices required for adoption by the "Transportation Code" (V.C.T.A. CH.251)

The location and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is more fully shown by 2 copies of drawings attached to this notice.

Construction of this line is proposed to begin on or after the 8th day of September 20 08

APPROVAL

This application is hereby approved subject to the following understandings and restrictions. It is expressly understood that the said County Commissioners' Court does not imply hereby to grant any right, claim, title or easement in or upon this County Road; and it is further understood that in the future, should Williamson County, for any reason, need to work, improve, relocate, widen, increase, add to, decrease, or in any manner change the structure of this road or right-of-way, this line, if affected, will be moved at the direction of the Williamson County Engineer or County Commissioner. This installation work shall not damage any part of the roadway and adequate provisions shall be made to cause a minimum of inconvenience to traffic and adjacent property owners.

APPROVED BY WILLIAMSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT

BY: Eugen A. Maurer
Asst. COUNTY ROAD ADMINISTRATOR

DATE: 8.28.08Firm: Central Telephone Company of TexasJanice Strickland

Authorized Signature

Janice Strickland

Printed Name

Address: 1214 Dogwood Blvd.Killeen, Texas 76543Phone: 254-690-9370Fax: 254-690-1431

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8-25-08
Pt. 384
for pd. co. report # 59211
8-28-08
Road Bore + Row
RC bond # TX 548492

CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY AGREEMENT

I, Sharon Dowdy, Contractor for Emberg
in Williamson County, Texas do hereby agree to the following schedules and conditions for doing work within
the right-of-way of CR 100 which is a public roadway
maintained by Williamson County.

1. I will contact the Williamson County Unified Road System at least 48 hours prior to start of construction.
2. All work in the right-of-way will be done between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. on Monday through Friday only.
3. Cuts will be opened for one-half the roadway only, with flagmen on both sides of the work area, allowing one-way traffic through. This type of operation will be held to a minimum and all advance warning signs and barricades shall be as specified in the Texas Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices. These cuts will also be filled and entire roadway opened at night and on weekends.
4. Roadside work in ditches alongside the trenched surface may be left opened at night, only if they can be barricaded solidly between open ditch and traveled roadway leaving a minimum 6' of road shoulder between the pavement edge and the barricades. The barricades must be reflective and lighted with warning lights and conform to the requirements of the T.M.U.T.C.D. for nighttime use.
5. Any construction area to be maintained from dusk to dawn shall have Type B High Intensity Steady Burn Warning Lights to delineate the traveled way through and around obstructions in a construction or maintenance area. All warning lights shall be installed to a minimum mounting height of 36" to the bottom of the lens.
6. Construction work and road repair on County right-of-way will be done to Williamson County Standards and to the approval of the Williamson County Unified Road System.
7. I will notify the Williamson County Unified Road System and obtain approval prior to any changes from this agreement if required due to soil conditions or other problems.

8-19-08

DATE

Williamson County Unified Road System
3151 S. E. Inner Loop, Ste. B
Georgetown, Texas 78626

Sharon Dowdy

SIGNED

ISbell Construction, LTD
CONTRACTOR (PRINT NAME)

P.O. Box 434

ADDRESS

Florence, TX 76527

CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE

254-793-3603

PHONE



**Merchants
Bonding
Company**

HOME OFFICE
2100 FLEUR DRIVE
DES MOINES, IOWA 50321-1158
(800) 678-8171
FAX (515) 243-0344

AUSTIN OFFICE
P.O. BOX 26720
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78765
(800) 252-8656
FAX (512) 343-8363

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CONTINUATION CERTIFICATE

(to be filed with the obligee)

TX 548492 2,000 STREET CONTRACTOR
BOND NO. AMOUNT DESCRIPTION
OBLIGEE WILLIAMSON COUNTY

THE MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), Des Moines, Iowa, hereby continues in force Bond for
PRINCIPAL ISBELL CONSTRUCTION INC

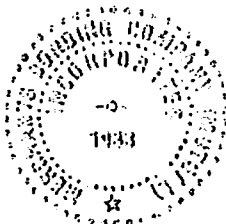
DBA _____

All liability under this Continuation Certificate is effective 11/12/07 and terminates midnight 11/12/08

This continuation is executed upon the express condition that the Company's liability under said Bond and this and all continuations thereof shall not be cumulative and shall in no event exceed in the aggregate the largest single amount named in the Bond, the endorsement attached thereto, or any continuation certificate.

Witness the signature of its President under the corporate seal on 09/01/07

Attest:
William Warner Jr.
Secretary



MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)

Larry Taylor
President

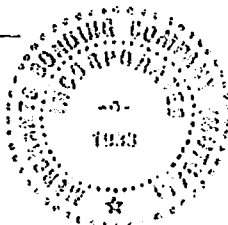
CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of Section 7 and Section 9 of Article 2 of the Amended and Substituted By-laws of Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual) duly adopted and recorded to-wit: Section 7 - "The Chairman of the Board or President or any Vice President or Secretary or Treasurer or any Assistant Vice President or any Assistant Secretary shall have power and authority to execute on behalf of the Company and attach the Seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof" and Section 9 - "The signature of any authorized officer and the Seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or Certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the Company, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually fixed".

I further certify that the following are duly elected officers of the Company: Larry Taylor, President; and William Warner, Jr., Secretary.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as President and affix the Corporate Seal of the MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) this 1ST day of SEPTEMBER, 2007

Attest:
William Warner Jr.
Secretary



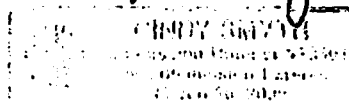
MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)

Larry Taylor
President

On this 1ST day of SEPTEMBER, 2007, before me appeared Larry Taylor, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that he is President of the MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), the corporation described in the foregoing instrument, and that the Seal affixed to the said instrument is the Corporate Seal of the said Corporation and that the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of said Corporation by authority of its Board of Directors.

Witnessed to and subscribed by me on 09/01/07

Cindy Smyth
Notary Public, State of Iowa



IMPORTANT NOTICE

To obtain information or make a complaint:

You may contact your insurance agent at the telephone number provided by your insurance agent.

You may call Merchants Bonding Company's toll-free telephone number for information or to make a complaint at:

1-800-678-8171

You may contact the Texas Department of Insurance to obtain information on companies, coverages, rights or complaints at:

1-800-252-3439

You may write the Texas Department of Insurance at:

P. O. Box 149104

Austin, TX 78714-9104

Fax: (512) 475-1771

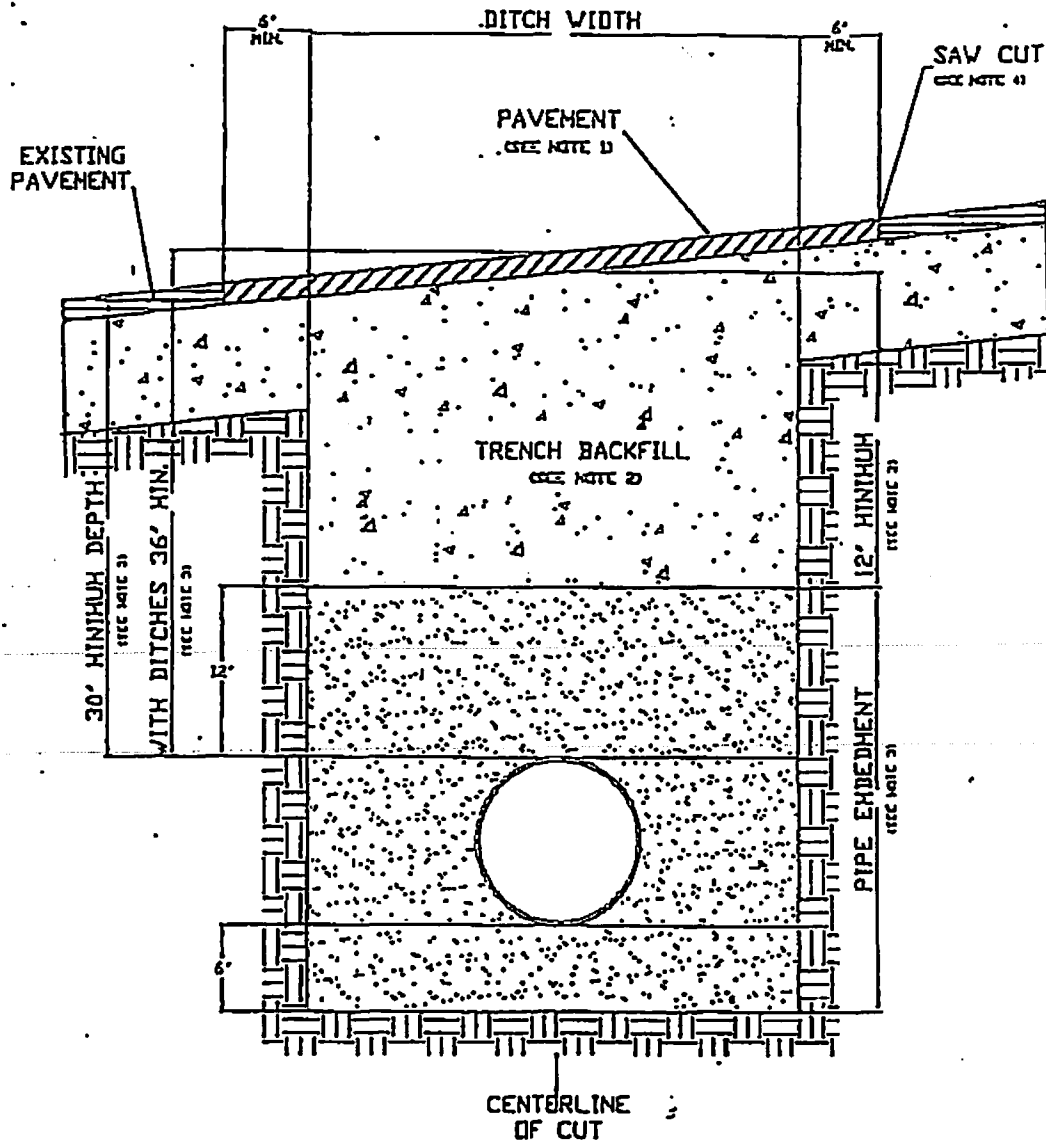
Web: <http://www.tdi.state.tx.us>

E-mail: ConsumerProtection@tdi.state.tx.us

PREMIUM AND CLAIM DISPUTES: Should you have a dispute concerning your premium or about a claim you should contact the agent first. If the dispute is not resolved, you may contact the Texas Department of Insurance.

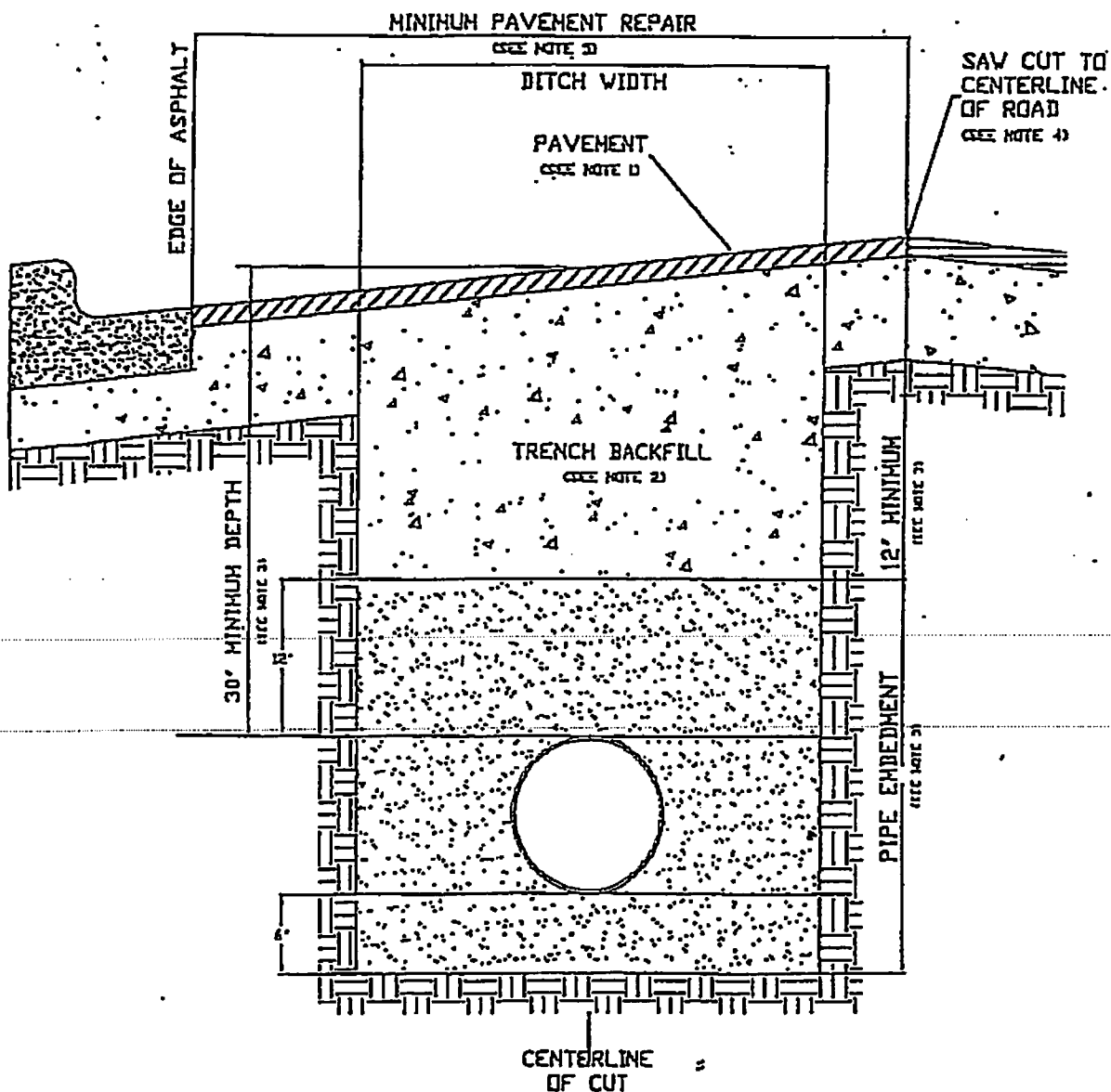
ATTACH THIS NOTICE TO YOUR POLICY: This notice is for information only and does not become a part or condition of the attached document.

PERPENDICULAR UTILITY CUT DESIGN IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY R.O.W.



1. Hot mix asphalt 1 1/2" min. thickness. Roll in place to match existing surface, + or - 1/8" tolerance.
2. Trench backfill shall be flexible base, compacted to 95% optimum in 8" layers unless otherwise approved and specified. Flexible base to match existing base thickness or 8 inches, whichever is greater (specifications; TxDOT Item 247, Type A, Grade 2).
3. Pipe embedment (pipe envelope) size and materials shall be as specified elsewhere by utility company and/or its engineers. Pipe depth shall be as specified elsewhere provided that minimum depths are met.
4. Saw cut shall be made prior to ditch cut. If pavement is damaged during cut, a new saw cut shall be made beyond the damaged area and new pavement placed.

PARALLEL UTILITY CUT DESIGN IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY R.O.W.



1. Hot mix asphalt to match existing HMAC thickness or 2" minimum, whichever is greater. Roll in place to match existing surface, + or - 1/8" tolerance.
2. Trench backfill shall be flexible base, compacted to 95% optimum in 8" layers unless otherwise approved and specified. Flexible base to match existing base thickness or 8", whichever is greater (Specifications: TxDOT Item 247, Type A, Grade 2).
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REQUIREMENTS FOR WILLIAMSON COUNTY UTILITIES INSTALLATION PERMIT

1. Complete "Notice of Proposed Installation Utility Line on Williamson County Right- of-Way", including describing the location and showing the sketch and details on the application.
2. Submit two (2) sets of the application with plans locating bore or cut along with detailed specifications including repair/restoration.
3. All work shall be in compliance with Williamson County Specifications.
4. A performance bond in the amount of \$500 minimum, executed by a surety company or surety companies authorized to execute surety bonds under and in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas. Exact amount of the bond to be determined by Williamson County depending on the extent of the project.
5. Traffic handling plans, in compliance with the Texas Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, shall be submitted with application.
6. Contractor shall file a "Contractor's Liability Agreement" prior to issuance of permit (attached).
7. Franchised utilities (City of Austin, Southern Union Gas, Southwestern Bell, etc.) are not required to provide a bond or pay a permit fee if they do the work with their own work forces. Contractors will pay a fee of \$120.00.
8. Contractor shall notify the Williamson County Unified Road System at least 48 hours prior to start of construction at (512) 943-3330.
9. If there are any questions, contact the Williamson County Unified Road System at (512) 943-3330.

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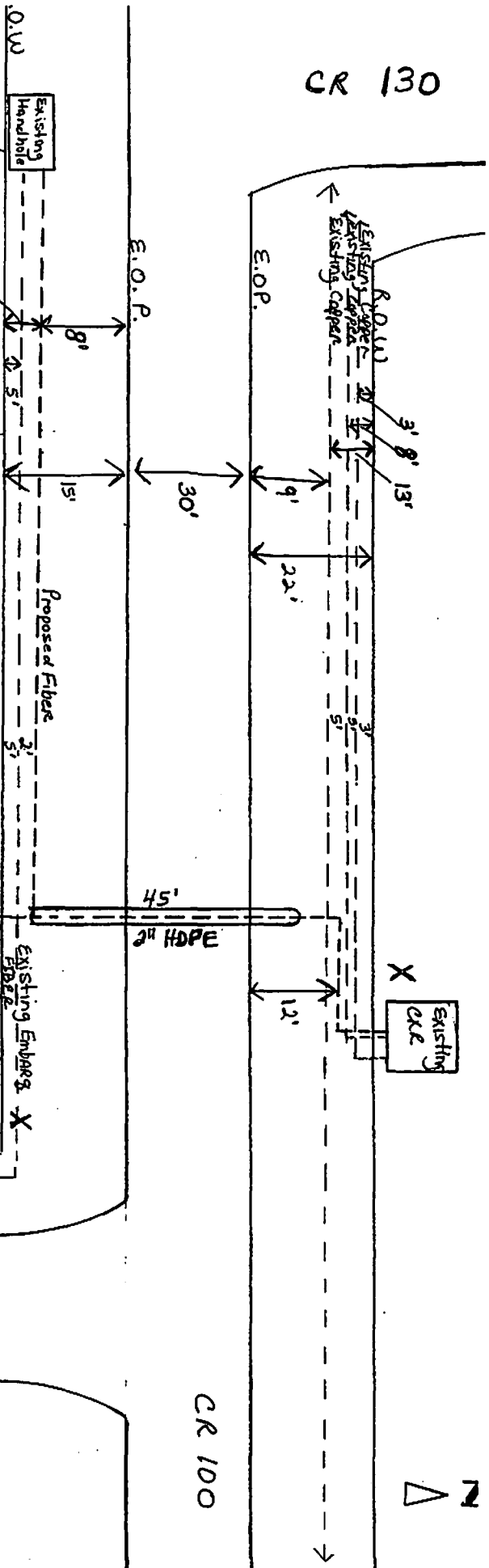
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CR 100

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Engineer
Janice Strickland
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