**WEBSTER PARISH POLICE JURY**

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**PROJECT PERMIT**

**Ordinance # 701 Amended – 03/06/2001**

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use and occupancy of the right-of-way of Webster Parish Road # **Click or tap here to enter text.**, located as follows: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

for the installation, operation and maintenance of the following described project, work to begin **Click or tap here to enter text.**, and work to end **Click or tap here to enter text.**. Description of Project: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

(Plat Attached). Guarantee deposit or bond is to be made payable to the Webster Parish Police Jury. The amount of deposit or bond accompanying this application is: $750.00 , as per Teddy Holloway, Public Works Superintendent

Applicant acknowledges the provisions of parish ordinances relating to utility lines and roads and highways, and particularly W.P.P.J. Ordinance # 701 amended, of 03/06/01. The following conditions of this application are hereby agreed to and accepted this day of , 20 .

Signed:

Address: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

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Phone: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

PERMIT GRANTED, this day of , 20 , subject to the following conditions:

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Excerpt of Ordinance # 701 Amended 3/06/2001 as pertains to Public Utilities

Section 2 – Public Utilities:

2.1 Each public utility in Webster Parish shall annually post during the month of

January of each calendar year, with the Webster Parish Police Jury, a bond or

Other security, satisfactory to the Police Jury, in the sum of $5,000 to guarantee proper repair and restoration of any and all damage sustained by the Webster Parish Road System arising out of the installation, erection or maintenance of its utility lines on any public right of way forming a part of the Webster Parish Road System during the calendar year. No work involving the installation, erection, replacement connection or disconnection to or from, or other maintenance on or of a utility line on any public right of way forming a part of the Webster Parish Road System shall be performed by a public utility unless and until the required bond has been furnished.

2.2 The bond required of public utilities in section 2.1 shall be on a form furnished by

The Webster Parish Police Jury and shall contain the following conditions:

1. Traffic on the road shall not be unduly interfered with during the period of construction;
2. Upon completion of such construction, the road or highway shall be promptly restored to its former condition of usefulness at the expense of the public utility, the restoration to be subject to the supervision and approval of the Public Works Department (Director, Forman, and /or Engineer) of the Webster Parish Police Jury;
3. In the laying of utility lines, all requirements of the Department of Highways of the State of Louisiana for the laying of similar lines across state highways including requirements as to depth, height character and quality of conduit and manner of construction, shall apply; provided however, that a utility line running parallel to a road or highway shall be laid in or on the outer edge of the ditch line of the road surface; and provided further, that all underground utility lines shall be laid to a minimum depth of thirty (30”) inches below the bottom of the original/existing, ditch surface.
4. The public utility shall compensate the parish for all damages resulting to any parish road in the laying, maintaining, erecting or installation of any utility line not corrected or restored by the public utility;
5. Public Utility shall protect and hold harmless the Webster Parish Police Jury, its’ agents and employees against any claims, damages or loss for personal injury or property damage sustained by third parties by reason of such construction.

2.3 In the event a public utility neglects, refuses or otherwise fails to properly repair and restore any damage sustained to the Webster Parish Road System arising out of the installation, erection or maintenance of its’ utility lines on any public right of way forming a part of the Webster Parish Road System within thirty (30) days from the date of written notice of such damage is mailed to the public utility by the Webster Parish Police Jury, the public utility shall become liable for criminal penalties as provided hereunder. The Webster Parish Police Jury may make the repairs and restoration and the cost therefor shall be recovered under the bond or other security or from the public utility or both. The obligation on said bond shall be in solido.

2.4 Public Utilities shall not cut, break, dig through or into, or otherwise sever or damage the paved surface of any parish road without obtaining a written permit to do so from the Public Works Department (Director, Foreman, or Engineer) of the Webster Parish Police Jury. In the event emergency repairs are necessary to maintain service in or through the utility line, the Public Utility making the emergency repairs shall comply with the provisions of Section 2.4 of the ordinance within ten (10) days from the date the emergency repairs are completed.

2.5 Public Utilities shall normally place any and all utilities as far away from roads, bridges, etc. as possible and/or feasible. In all instances approval must be obtained from the Webster Parish Public Works Department before installation begins.

**EXPIRATION DATE**: **Click or tap to enter a date.**

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**BY**: