

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING SUDBURY CONSERVATION COMMISSION Monday, November 13, 2023 at 7:00 PM Virtual Meeting

The Sudbury Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing to review the Notice of Intent filing to replace existing gas main within the 200-foot Riverfront Area, Bordering Land Subject to Flooding, Land Under Water Bodies, and 100-foot Buffer Zone, pursuant to the Wetlands Protection Act and Sudbury Wetlands Administration Bylaw, at Union Avenue and Codjer Lane, Sudbury, MA. Jaime Walker, Applicant. The hearing will be held on Monday, November 13, 2023 at 7:00 pm, via remote participation.

Please see the Conservation Commission web page for further information.

https://sudbury.ma.us/conservationcommission/meeting/conservation-commissionmeeting-monday-november-13-2023/

SUDBURY CONSERVATION COMMISSION 11/1/23

BOSTON GAS COMPANY

Union Avenue & Codjer Lane Gas Main Replacement Project Sudbury, MA

Notice of Intent

Town of Sudbury Conservation Commission October 2023

<u>Prepared for:</u> Boston Gas Company 170 Data Drive Waltham, MA 02451

BSC Project No. 89840.80

Prepared by:



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OCTOBER 26, 2023

Sudbury Conservation Commission Department of Public Works Building 275 Old Lancaster Rd Sudbury, MA 01776

RE: Union Avenue & Codjer Lane Gas Main Replacement Project Sudbury, Massachusetts Notice of Intent Boston Gas Company

Dear Conservation Commission Members,

BSC Group, Inc. (BSC) is filing this Notice of Intent (NOI) on behalf of the Boston Gas Company (BGC) for the replacement of existing gas main crossing Hop Brook at the intersection of Union Avenue and Codjer Lane in Sudbury, MA ("The Project"). BGC is proposing to replace the existing, exposed steel gas main crossing over Hop Brook within the Union Avenue bridge crossing with a new, underground plastic gas line. This NOI is being submitted in accordance with the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. Ch.131, S.40) (WPA), and its implementing regulations (310 CMR 10.00), and the Town of Sudbury's Wetland Bylaw (Article XX11), as well as to satisfy the requirements of Section 401, in accordance with 314 CMR 9.03(3). The location of the proposed activities is shown on the USGS Site Locus Map in **Attachment B**.

Specifically, BGC is proposing utility replacement activities within Riverfront Area (RFA), Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF). Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways (LUWW) and Buffer Zone associated with Hop Brook. The exposed pipe within the concrete bridge crossing over Hop Brook will be removed, the existing underground main within the roadway leading up to the bridge will be abandoned in place, and the new gas main will be installed under the Hop brook via Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD). While no impacts are anticipated as a result of the work as the gas main will be below ground level, this NOI is being submitted as a contingency measure in the event of an inadvertent return of drilling fluid during HDD installation. Please also refer to the enclosed USGS Site Locus Map and Environmental Resources Map in Attachment B, and Site Photographs in **Attachment C**.

The proposed work is necessary to upgrade the main to meet current standards for the long-term reliability and resilience of the gas main crossing over Hop Brook. This NOI serves as a request for an Order of Conditions for the proposed underground gas main installation activities within resource areas.

Throughout the Project, Best Management Practices (BMPs), including sediment and erosion controls, will be implemented to ensure adjacent resource areas are adequately protected and impacts to the surrounding areas are minimized. Upon completion of the Project activities, all temporarily disturbed areas will be restored to pre-existing conditions to the maximum extent practicable.

We respectfully request that this matter be heard at the next scheduled Conservation Commission hearing. A copy of this application has been sent concurrently to the Northeast Regional Office of the Department of Environmental Protection (CERO), via eDEP. Hard copies will be provided to the Conservation Commission. If



you have any questions regarding the enclosed information, please contact me at (617) 896-4341 or Jaime Walker of BGC at (978) 551-1156. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Truly yours, BSC Group, Inc.

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Carolyn Gorss Ecological Project Manager

cc: Jaime Walker, BGC MassDEP NERO

Enclosures:

WPA Form 3 – Notice of Intent, NOI Fee Transmittal Form, and Copy of Filing Fee Checks
Attachment A Detailed Project Narrative
Attachment B USGS Site Locus Map, Environmental Resources Map, FEMA Firmette
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A. General Information

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Note: Before completing this form consult your local Conservation Commission regarding any municipal bylaw or ordinance.

۱.	Project Location (Note: el			
	Union Ave and Codjer La	ne	Sudbury	01776
	a. Street Address		b. City/Town	c. Zip Code
			42.367133	-71.419136
	Latitude and Longitude:		d. Latitude	e. Longitude
	N/A-Public Roadway		Public Roadway	
	f. Assessors Map/Plat Number		g. Parcel /Lot Numbe	er
•	Applicant:			
	Jaime		Walker	
	a. First Name		b. Last Name	
	Boston Gas Company			
	c. Organization			
	170 Data Drive			
	d. Street Address			
	Waltham		MA	02451
	e. City/Town		f. State	g. Zip Code
	(978) 551-1156	-	jaime.walker@nation	nalgrid.com
	h. Phone Number i.	Fax Number	j. Email Address	
•	Property owner (required	n unerent nom ap		more than one owner
-	Public Roadway a. First Name		b. Last Name	
-	Public Roadway		· · ·	
	Public Roadway a. First Name		· · ·	
-	Public Roadway a. First Name c. Organization		· · ·	g. Zip Code
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	Public Roadway a. First Name c. Organization d. Street Address e. City/Town h. Phone Number		f. State j. Email address	
	Public Roadway a. First Name c. Organization d. Street Address e. City/Town h. Phone Number i. Representative (if any): Carolyn a. First Name		b. Last Name f. State j. Email address	
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	Public Roadway a. First Name c. Organization d. Street Address e. City/Town h. Phone Number i. Representative (if any): Carolyn a. First Name BSC Group, Inc. c. Company One Mercantile Street		b. Last Name f. State j. Email address	
	Public Roadway a. First Name c. Organization d. Street Address e. City/Town h. Phone Number i. Representative (if any): Carolyn a. First Name BSC Group, Inc. c. Company One Mercantile Street d. Street Address		b. Last Name f. State j. Email address Gorss b. Last Name	g. Zip Code
	Public Roadway a. First Name c. Organization d. Street Address e. City/Town h. Phone Number i. Representative (if any): Carolyn a. First Name BSC Group, Inc. c. Company One Mercantile Street d. Street Address Worcester		b. Last Name f. State j. Email address Gorss b. Last Name	g. Zip Code

\$750.00 \$362.50 \$387.50 a. Total Fee Paid b. State Fee Paid c. City/Town Fee Paid 4



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A. General Information (continued)

6. General Project Description:

Boston Gas Company (BGC) proposes to replace existing gas mains at the intersection of Union Avenue and Codjer Lane in Sudbury, MA. Proposed activities include the abandonment of approximately 270 feet of 3-inch plastic and coated steel at the culvert crossing and replacement of approximately 300-feet of 4-inch plastic via open trench and HDD methodology.

7a. Project Type Checklist: (Limited Project Types see Section A. 7b	7a.	Project	Type Checklist:	(Limited Project	Types see	Section	A. 7t).)
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1.	Single Family Home	2. Residential Subdivision
3.	Commercial/Industrial	4. Dock/Pier
5.	⊠ Utilities	6. 🗌 Coastal engineering Structure
7.	Agriculture (e.g., cranberries, forestry)	8. Transportation
9.	Other	

7b. Is any portion of the proposed activity eligible to be treated as a limited project (including Ecological Restoration Limited Project) subject to 310 CMR 10.24 (coastal) or 310 CMR 10.53 (inland)?

1. 🛛 Yes 🗌 No	If yes, describe which limited project applies to this project. (See 310 CMR
	10.24 and 10.53 for a complete list and description of limited project types)
310 CMR 10.53(3)(d) -	the construction, reconstruction, operation and maintenance of underground
and overhead public utilities	S

If the proposed activity is eligible to be treated as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR10.24(8), 310 CMR 10.53(4)), complete and attach Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Limited Project Checklist and Signed Certification.

8. Property recorded at the Registry of Deeds for:

N/A - Public Roadway	
a. County	b. Certificate # (if registered land)
N/A	N/A
c. Book	d. Page Number

B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent)

- 1. Buffer Zone Only Check if the project is located only in the Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland, Inland Bank, or Coastal Resource Area.
- 2. Inland Resource Areas (see 310 CMR 10.54-10.58; if not applicable, go to Section B.3, Coastal Resource Areas).

Check all that apply below. Attach narrative and any supporting documentation describing how the project will meet all performance standards for each of the resource areas altered, including standards requiring consideration of alternative project design or location.



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B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) (cont'd)

	<u>Resou</u>	rce Area	Size of Proposed Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)	
For all projects	a. 🗌	Bank	1. linear feet	2. linear	feet
affecting other Resource Areas,	b. 🔄	Bordering Vegetated Wetland	1. square feet	2. squar	e feet
please attach a narrative explaining how the resource area was delineated.	c. 🛛	Land Under Waterbodies and Waterways	27 (temporary) 1. square feet 0 3. cubic yards dredged	0 2. squar	e feet
	Resou	r <u>ce Area</u>	Size of Proposed Alteration	Propos	ed Replacement (if any)
	d. 🔀	Bordering Land Subject to Flooding	621 (temporary) 1. square feet 0 3. cubic feet of flood storage lost	0 2. squar 0 4. cubic	e feet feet replaced
	e. 🗌	Isolated Land Subject to Flooding	1. square feet		
	f. 🖂	Riverfront Area	2. cubic feet of flood storage lost Hop Brook 1. Name of Waterway (if available) - spe		feet replaced
	2.	Width of Riverfront Area		-	
		25 ft Designated I	Densely Developed Areas only		
		🔲 100 ft New agricu	Itural projects only		
		🛛 200 ft All other pro	ojects		
	3.	Total area of Riverfront Ar	rea on the site of the proposed proje	ect:	>25,000 square feet
	4.	Proposed alteration of the	Riverfront Area:		
	~7	799	~799	0	
	a. 1	total square feet	b. square feet within 100 ft.	c. square f	eet between 100 ft. and 200 ft.
	5.	Has an alternatives analys	sis been done and is it attached to th	nis NOI?	🛛 Yes 🗌 No
	6.	Was the lot where the acti	ivity is proposed created prior to Aug	gust 1, 19	96? 🛛 Yes 🗌 No
3	3. 🗌 Co	astal Resource Areas: (Se	ee 310 CMR 10.25-10.35)		
	Note:	for coastal riverfront areas	s, please complete Section B.2.f . al	bove.	



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B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) (cont'd)

Check all that apply below. Attach narrative and supporting documentation describing how the project will meet all performance standards for each of the resource areas altered, including standards requiring consideration of alternative project design or location.

Online Users: Include your document		<u>Resou</u>	rce Area	Size of Propose	d Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)
transaction number		а. 🗌	Designated Port Areas	Indicate size ur	nder Land Under	r the Ocean, below
(provided on your receipt page) with all		b. 🗌	Land Under the Ocean	1. square feet		
supplementary information you submit to the				2. cubic yards dredg	ed	
Department.		c. 🗌	Barrier Beach	Indicate size und	ler Coastal Bead	ches and/or Coastal Dunes below
		d. 🗌	Coastal Beaches	1. square feet		2. cubic yards beach nourishment
		e. 🗌	Coastal Dunes	1. square feet		2. cubic yards dune nourishment
				Size of Propose	d Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)
		f. 🗌	Coastal Banks	1. linear feet		
		g. 🗌	Rocky Intertidal Shores	1. square feet		
		h. 🗌	Salt Marshes	1. square feet		2. sq ft restoration, rehab., creation
		i. 🗌	. D Land Under Salt Ponds	1. square feet		
					2. cubic yards dredg	ed
		j. 🗌	Land Containing Shellfish	1. square feet		
		k. 🗌	Fish Runs			ks, inland Bank, Land Under the r Waterbodies and Waterways,
		. —		1. cubic yards dredg	ed	
		I. 🛄	Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage	1. square feet		
	4.	If the p	footage that has been ent			resource area in addition to the ve, please enter the additional
		a. squar	e feet of BVW		b. square feet of S	alt Marsh
	5.	🛛 Pro	oject Involves Stream Cros	sings		
		0 a. numb	er of new stream crossings		b. number of repla	cement stream crossings
		S				



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C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements

This is a proposal for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project. Skip Section C and complete Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Limited Project Checklists – Required Actions (310 CMR 10.11).

Streamlined Massachusetts Endangered Species Act/Wetlands Protection Act Review

 Is any portion of the proposed project located in Estimated Habitat of Rare Wildlife as indicated on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wetland Wildlife published by the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP)? To view habitat maps, see the Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas or go to http://maps.massgis.state.ma.us/PRI_EST_HAB/viewer.htm.

a. 🗌 Yes 🛛 No	If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to:
	Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program
	Division of Fisheries and Wildlife
August 2021	1 Rabbit Hill Road Westborough, MA 01581
b. Date of map	Westborough, MA 01561

If yes, the project is also subject to Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (MESA) review (321 CMR 10.18). To qualify for a streamlined, 30-day, MESA/Wetlands Protection Act review, please complete Section C.1.c, and include requested materials with this Notice of Intent (NOI); *OR* complete Section C.2.f, if applicable. *If MESA supplemental information is not included with the NOI, by completing Section 1 of this form, the NHESP will require a separate MESA filing which may take up to 90 days to review (unless noted exceptions in Section 2 apply, see below).*

c. Submit Supplemental Information for Endangered Species Review*

1. Dercentage/acreage of property to be altered:

(a) within wetland Resource Area

percentage/acreage

(b) outside Resource Area

percentage/acreage

- 2. Assessor's Map or right-of-way plan of site
- 2. Project plans for entire project site, including wetland resource areas and areas outside of wetlands jurisdiction, showing existing and proposed conditions, existing and proposed tree/vegetation clearing line, and clearly demarcated limits of work **
 - (a) Project description (including description of impacts outside of wetland resource area & buffer zone)
 - (b) \square Photographs representative of the site

^{*} Some projects **not** in Estimated Habitat may be located in Priority Habitat, and require NHESP review (see <u>https://www.mass.gov/ma-</u> endangered-species-act-mesa-regulatory-review).

Priority Habitat includes habitat for state-listed plants and strictly upland species not protected by the Wetlands Protection Act.

^{**} MESA projects may not be segmented (321 CMR 10.16). The applicant must disclose full development plans even if such plans are not required as part of the Notice of Intent process.



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C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements (cont'd)

(c) MESA filing fee (fee information available at <u>https://www.mass.gov/how-to/how-to-file-for-a-mesa-project-review</u>).

Make check payable to "Commonwealth of Massachusetts - NHESP" and *mail to NHESP* at above address

Projects altering 10 or more acres of land, also submit:

- (d) Vegetation cover type map of site
- (e) Project plans showing Priority & Estimated Habitat boundaries
- (f) OR Check One of the Following
- 1. Project is exempt from MESA review. Attach applicant letter indicating which MESA exemption applies. (See 321 CMR 10.14, <u>https://www.mass.gov/service-details/exemptions-from-review-for-projectsactivities-in-priority-habitat</u>; the NOI must still be sent to NHESP if the project is within estimated habitat pursuant to 310 CMR 10.37 and 10.59.)

2.	Separate MESA review ongoing.		
2.	Separate MESA review origoing.	a. NHESP Tracking #	b. Date submitted to NHESP

- 3. Separate MESA review completed. Include copy of NHESP "no Take" determination or valid Conservation & Management Permit with approved plan.
- 3. For coastal projects only, is any portion of the proposed project located below the mean high water line or in a fish run?

a. X Not applicable – project is in inland resource area only	b. 🗌 Yes	🗌 No
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If yes, include proof of mailing, hand delivery, or electronic delivery of NOI to either:

South Shore - Cohasset to Rhode Island border, and North Shore - Hull to New Hampshire border: the Cape & Islands:

Division of Marine Fisheries -Southeast Marine Fisheries Station Attn: Environmental Reviewer 836 South Rodney French Blvd. New Bedford, MA 02744 Email: <u>dmf.envreview-south@mass.gov</u> Division of Marine Fisheries -North Shore Office Attn: Environmental Reviewer 30 Emerson Avenue Gloucester, MA 01930 Email: dmf.envreview-north@mass.gov

Also if yes, the project may require a Chapter 91 license. For coastal towns in the Northeast Region, please contact MassDEP's Boston Office. For coastal towns in the Southeast Region, please contact MassDEP's Southeast Regional Office.

c. Is this an aquaculture project?

	-	_	
d.	Yes		No

If yes, include a copy of the Division of Marine Fisheries Certification Letter (M.G.L. c. 130, § 57).

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	C.	Other Applicable Standards and Requirements	(cont'd)
	4.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an Area of Critical Environ	nmental Concern (ACEC)?
Online Users: Include your document		a. 🗌 Yes 🛛 No If yes, provide name of ACEC (see instruction Website for ACEC locations). Note: electronic	
transaction		b. ACEC	
number (provided on your receipt page)	5.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an area designated as an (ORW) as designated in the Massachusetts Surface Water Quality Sta	
with all supplementary information you		a. 🗌 Yes 🖾 No	
submit to the Department.	6.	Is any portion of the site subject to a Wetlands Restriction Order unde Restriction Act (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40A) or the Coastal Wetlands Restriction	
		a. 🗌 Yes 🖾 No	
	7.	Is this project subject to provisions of the MassDEP Stormwater Mana	gement Standards?
		 a. Yes. Attach a copy of the Stormwater Report as required by th Standards per 310 CMR 10.05(6)(k)-(q) and check if: 1. Applying for Low Impact Development (LID) site design cr Stormwater Management Handbook Vol. 2, Chapter 3) 	-
		2. A portion of the site constitutes redevelopment	
		3. Proprietary BMPs are included in the Stormwater Manage	ment System.
		b. No. Check why the project is exempt:	
		1. Single-family house	
		2. Emergency road repair	
		3. Small Residential Subdivision (less than or equal to 4 sing or equal to 4 units in multi-family housing project) with no	
	D.	Additional Information	
		This is a proposal for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project. Skip S Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Notice of Intent – Minimum Requir 10.12).	

Applicants must include the following with this Notice of Intent (NOI). See instructions for details.

Online Users: Attach the document transaction number (provided on your receipt page) for any of the following information you submit to the Department.

- 1. USGS or other map of the area (along with a narrative description, if necessary) containing sufficient information for the Conservation Commission and the Department to locate the site. (Electronic filers may omit this item.)
- 2. Plans identifying the location of proposed activities (including activities proposed to serve as a Bordering Vegetated Wetland [BVW] replication area or other mitigating measure) relative to the boundaries of each affected resource area.



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D. Additional Information (cont'd)

- 3. Identify the method for BVW and other resource area boundary delineations (MassDEP BVW Field Data Form(s), Determination of Applicability, Order of Resource Area Delineation, etc.), and attach documentation of the methodology.
- 4. \boxtimes List the titles and dates for all plans and other materials submitted with this NOI.

a. Plan Title		
BSC Group	N/A	
b. Prepared By	c. Signed and Stamp	ed by
10/11/23	1" = 100'	
d. Final Revision Date	e. Scale	
USGS Locus Map		7/31/2023
f. Additional Plan or Document Title		g. Date

- 5. If there is more than one property owner, please attach a list of these property owners not listed on this form.
- 6. Attach proof of mailing for Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program, if needed.
- 7. Attach proof of mailing for Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries, if needed.
- 8. Attach NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form
- 9. Attach Stormwater Report, if needed.

E. Fees

1. Fee Exempt: No filing fee shall be assessed for projects of any city, town, county, or district of the Commonwealth, federally recognized Indian tribe housing authority, municipal housing authority, or the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority.

Applicants must submit the following information (in addition to pages 1 and 2 of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form) to confirm fee payment:

2. Municipal Check Number	3. Check date
eDEP Payment	
4. State Check Number	5. Check date
6. Payor name on check: First Name	7. Payor name on check: Last Name



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F. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Notice of Intent and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Conservation Commission will place notification of this Notice in a local newspaper at the expense of the applicant in accordance with the wetlands regulations, 310 CMR 10.05(5)(a).

I further certify under penalties of perjury that all abutters were notified of this application, pursuant to the requirements of M.G.L. c. 131, § 40. Notice must be made by Certificate of Mailing or in writing by hand delivery or certified mail (return receipt requested) to all abutters within 100 feet of the property line of the project location.

Jaine Walker	10/26/2023
1 signature of Applicant	2. Date
(mulp Doss	10/26/2023
3. Signature of Property Owner (if different)	4. Date
5. Signature of Representative (if any)	6. Date

For Conservation Commission:

Two copies of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including supporting plans and documents, two copies of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, and the city/town fee payment, to the Conservation Commission by certified mail or hand delivery.

For MassDEP:

One copy of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including supporting plans and documents, one copy of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, and a **copy** of the state fee payment to the MassDEP Regional Office (see Instructions) by certified mail or hand delivery.

Other:

If the applicant has checked the "yes" box in any part of Section C, Item 3, above, refer to that section and the Instructions for additional submittal requirements.

The original and copies must be sent simultaneously. Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Notice of Intent.



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Important: When
filling out forms
on the computer,
use only the tab
key to move your
cursor - do not
use the return
key.



A. Applicant Information

1.	Location of Project:			
	Union Ave and Codje	er Lane	Sudbury	
	a. Street Address		b. City/Town	
	eDEP payment		\$362.50	
	c. Check number		d. Fee amount	
2.	Applicant Mailing Add	dress:		
	Jaime		Walker	
	a. First Name		b. Last Name	
	Boston Gas Compan	у		
	c. Organization			
	170 Data Drive			
	d. Mailing Address			
	Waltham		MA	02451
	e. City/Town		f. State	g. Zip Code
	978-551-1156		jaime.walker@nationalgri	d.com
	h. Phone Number	i. Fax Number	j. Email Address	
3.	Property Owner (if dif	iferent):		
	Public Roadway			
	a. First Name		b. Last Name	
	c. Organization			
	d. Mailing Address			
	e. City/Town	_	f. State	g. Zip Code
	h. Phone Number	i. Fax Number	j. Email Address	

To calculate filing fees, refer to the category fee list and examples in the instructions for filling out WPA Form 3 (Notice of Intent).

B. Fees

Fee should be calculated using the following process & worksheet. *Please see Instructions before filling out worksheet.*

Step 1/Type of Activity: Describe each type of activity that will occur in wetland resource area and buffer zone.

Step 2/Number of Activities: Identify the number of each type of activity.

Step 3/Individual Activity Fee: Identify each activity fee from the six project categories listed in the instructions.

Step 4/Subtotal Activity Fee: Multiply the number of activities (identified in Step 2) times the fee per category (identified in Step 3) to reach a subtotal fee amount. Note: If any of these activities are in a Riverfront Area in addition to another Resource Area or the Buffer Zone, the fee per activity should be multiplied by 1.5 and then added to the subtotal amount.

Step 5/Total Project Fee: Determine the total project fee by adding the subtotal amounts from Step 4.

Step 6/Fee Payments: To calculate the state share of the fee, divide the total fee in half and subtract \$12.50. To calculate the city/town share of the fee, divide the total fee in half and add \$12.50.



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B. Fees (continued)

Step 1/Type of Activity	Step 2/Number of Activities	Step 3/Individual Activity Fee	Step 4/Subtotal Activity Fee
Category 2e	<u> 1 (x 1.5) </u>	\$750.00	\$750.00
	 Step 5/To	otal Project Fee:	\$750.00
	Step 6/	Fee Payments:	
	Total	Project Fee:	\$750.00 a. Total Fee from Step 5
	State share	of filing Fee:	\$362.50 b. 1/2 Total Fee less \$ 12.50
	City/Town share	e of filling Fee:	\$387.50 c. 1/2 Total Fee plus \$12.50

C. Submittal Requirements

a.) Complete pages 1 and 2 and send with a check or money order for the state share of the fee, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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b.) **To the Conservation Commission:** Send the Notice of Intent or Abbreviated Notice of Intent; a **copy** of this form; and the city/town fee payment.

To MassDEP Regional Office (see Instructions): Send a copy of the Notice of Intent or Abbreviated Notice of Intent; a **copy** of this form; and a **copy** of the state fee payment. (E-filers of Notices of Intent may submit these electronically.)

Attachment A

Union Avenue & Codjer Lane Gas Main Replacement Project Sudbury, MA Notice of Intent

PROJECT NARRATIVE



1 INTRODUCTION

BSC Group, Inc. (BSC) is filing this Notice of Intent (NOI) on behalf of the Boston Gas Company (BGC) for the replacement of existing gas main crossing Hop Brook at the intersection of Union Avenue and Codjer Lane in Sudbury, MA ("The Project"). BGC is proposing to replace the existing, exposed steel gas main crossing over Hop Brook within the Union Avenue bridge crossing with a new, underground plastic gas line. This NOI is being submitted in accordance with the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (*M.G.L. Ch.131, S.40*)(*WPA*), and its implementing regulations (*310 CMR 10.00*), and the Town of Sudbury's Wetland Bylaw (*Article XX11*), as well as to satisfy the requirements of Section 401, in accordance with 314 CMR 9.03(3). The location of the proposed activities is shown on the USGS Site Locus Map in **Attachment B**.

Specifically, BGC is proposing utility replacement activities within Riverfront Area (RFA), Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF). Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways (LUWW) and Buffer Zone associated with Hop Brook. The exposed pipe within the concrete bridge crossing over Hop Brook will be removed, the existing underground main within the roadway leading up to the bridge will be abandoned in place, and the new gas main will be installed under the Hop brook via Horizontal Directional Drilling (HDD). A portion of the gas main will be replaced adjacent to the existing underground main, located in RFA, Buffer Zone and BLSF. However, a portion of the main will be relocated in the roadway in order to facilitate the HDD installation of replacement pipe below Hop Brook. While no impacts are anticipated as a result of the work as the gas main will be below ground level, this NOI is being submitted as a contingency measure in the event of an inadvertent return of drilling fluid during HDD installation. Please also refer to the enclosed USGS Site Locus Map and Environmental Resources Map in **Attachment B**, and Site Photographs in **Attachment C**.

Activities Subject to Review under the WPA and the Local Bylaw

The installation of 27 feet of new gas main within LUWW is subject to review under both the WPA and the local bylaw. Elevation data indicates that Union Ave is approximately 137 feet at the bridge crossing and FEMA Base Flood Elevation to the west and east of Union Ave Is 137 and 134 feet, respectively. Conservatively, this NOI is also being submitted assuming the roadway is within BLSF, for temporary impacts to install 27 linear feet of gas main and one (1) HDD exit/entry pit (18-ft x 80-ft), within the roadways of Codjer Lane within BLSF, RFA and Buffer Zone. While no impacts are anticipated as a result of the HDD as the replacement gas main will be pulled through a drilled hole well below ground level, this NOI is being submitted as a contingency measure in the event of an inadvertent return, an "Inadvertent Return" (IR) Contingency Plan is provided in **Attachment F**. In the unlikely event of an IR (i.e. drilling fluid release to the ground surface/river bottom), BGC and its contractor will implement immediate response actions as outlined in the attached IR Plan that will address the methods, materials, and equipment that would be used to stop, contain, and clean up an inadvertent return.

Activities Subject to Review under the Local Bylaw Only

The installation of approximately 20 linear feet of gas main within the roadway of Union Ave and Codjer Lane within Buffer Zone and RFA is an exempt activity under 310 CMR



10.02(2)(b)(2)(i) and 310 CMR 10.58(6)(b), as the activities will be installed within the existing paved roadway, work will be conducted within the roadway and all trenches will be closed at the completion of each workday. One (1) temporary entry/exit pit for the HDD portion of the work will also be located within the Buffer Zone and RFA. While these activities are exempt under the WPA, the Sudbury Bylaw does not recognize these exemptions for utility replacements within the roadway, and these activities are subject to permitting under the Bylaw only.

Exempt Activities

The_removal of a section of exposed existing gas main protruding through the bridge substructure and over Hop is an exempt maintenance activity in accordance with the provision of the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (MGL 131-40)¹ and regulations 310 CMR 10.02 (2)(a)(2), as well as the Sudbury Wetlands Administration Bylaw, Section 3.

2 EXISTING CONDITIONS

The Project is located within the existing paved roadway at the intersection of Union Ave and Codjer Lane, where Union Ave crosses Hop Brook. Land use immediately adjacent to the Project area is comprise of portions of commercial areas, with areas of mixed agricultural land. Portions of the proposed work are located below Hop Brook and within the associated RFA, which is a Department of Fish and Wildlife (DFW) Coldwater Fisheries Resources.

2.1 Resource Area Summary

BSC conducted both a desktop analysis (using MassGIS data layers and publicly available data), and field investigations of the proposed Project area, to assess permitting requirements pursuant to the WPA. BSC Wetland Scientists delineated wetlands in July 2023, in accordance with the Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Northcentral and Northeast Region, ed. J.S. Wakely, R.W. Lichvar, and C. C. Noble. ERDC/EL TR-12-1. Vicksburg, MS: U.S. Army Engineer Research and Development Center (Version 2.0) and methodology described in the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection's (MassDEP) Handbook for Delineation of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (Published in September 2022).

Existing conditions, wetland resource areas, and buffer zones (in relation to the proposed activities), are shown on the Environmental Resources Map in **Attachment B**. Representative photographs of site conditions are provided in **Attachment C**. The proposed activities are within LUWW, BLSF, RFA, and 100-ft Buffer Zone to Inland Bank, all associated with Hop Brook. No impacts to resource areas are proposed within Bordering Vegetated Wetland (BVW). Gas lines will all be constructed underground, and no permanent impacts are proposed within any of the affected resource areas or Buffer Zone. According to MassGIS

¹MGL 131-40 allows for "maintaining, repairing, or replacing, but not substantially changing or enlarging" existing transmission line structures or facilities without filing a Notice of Intent.



data layers and classifications provided in 314 CMR 4.00, the Project area is located within a Wellhead Protection Areas Zone II. Hop Brook is classified as a Coldwater Fisheries Resource (CFR) by the MA Department of Fisheries and Wildlife.

Adjacent to the Union Avenue Bridge, the Banks of Hop Brook are vegetated with shrubs and deciduous trees.

3 PROJECT ACTIVITIES & ASSOCIATED IMPACTS

3.1 Project Summary

Gas line replacement activities are proposed at the intersection of Union Avenue and Codjer Lane (in Sudbury). This will include abandonment of sections of the old gas line, removal of the exposed gas main crossing over Hop Brook, installation of replacement line via trenching within the roadway, and installation of new gas line at the Hop Brook Crossing via HDD. In total, BGC is proposing abandonment of approximately 220 feet of 3-inch plastic and approximately 50 feet of 3-inch coated steel at the crossing and replacement of approximately 300-feet of 4-inch plastic via open trench and HDD along Union Avenue at Codjer Lane. The exposed steel pipeline at the culvert associated with Hop Brook will be removed and capped.

The Project has been designed to avoid adverse impacts to the greatest possible extent. Project impacts to the ground surface and topography are temporary in nature and will be restored upon completion of the Project. While no impacts to resource areas are anticipated from the HDD activities, this NOI is being filed as a contingency (in the event of an IR), and to fulfill the Section 401 requirements for work underneath LUWW. Details on the proposed activities are discussed further in the following sections. The work will begin as soon as the project is permitted.

3.2 Open Trench Gas Main Installation

BGC will install replacement gas main from the existing main to the HDD entry/exit pits via direct trench installation within the roadway. This process involves cutting the roadway surface and removing the existing asphalt, using a backhoe or excavator to excavate to the required depth, sidecasting the trench spoils directly adjacent to the trench, and installing the replacement pipe in the prepared trench. BGC will complete the work in sections and backfill the trench with the excavated soils. Following the installation of the main, the disturbed area will be restored to pre-existing conditions and grades, which will Involve repaving or patching the roadway surface. Excess soils and the removed asphalt will be removed from the site and disposed of in accordance with applicable regulations.

3.3 HDD Installation

HDD involves a specialized drill rig that creates a tunnel along a pre-determined path under waterways or other impediments. This specialized rig then then "pulls" the new pipeline through the drilled tunnel. During construction, BGC will stage HDD equipment on temporary work areas within the roadway on each side of the river. Crews will primarily operate



equipment from the entry pit work area in Sudbury and the new ~300-foot main will be welded together and pulled through the bore from the exit pit and stringing area. General guidance for "Inadvertent Return" (IR) Contingency Plans is provided in **Attachment F**; however, the contractor will be responsible for providing a site-specific IR Contingency Plan prior to construction.

All equipment will be located within the roadway, Best Management Practices (BMPs) will be in place prior to and during the ground-disturbing work, and the area will be restored to preexisting conditions to the extent practicable.

For the HDD, the bore hole will be drilled in a predetermined path using a surface-launched drilling rig staged on Union Ave over Hop Brook. BGC will establish two HDD staging areas at the exit and entry locations of the replacement section of pipeline and mobilize equipment into these areas. BGC is proposing to excavate the exit pit within the existing road layout to the east side of Hop Brook. The exit pit will require a work area of approximately 30-ft x 20-ft. The entry pit will be established within the existing road layout to the east side of Hop Brook. The exit pit within the existing road layout to the east side of Hop Brook. The exit pit within the existing road layout to the east side of Hop Brook. The exit pit will require a work area of approximately 150-ft x 20-ft. Each pit will be excavated using a mini excavator from within the paved roadway. Excavated material will either be removed from the Project site or stored in an upland area for use as backfill upon completion of the Project. Once the gas line has been installed and connections made, the entry/exit pits will be backfilled to their pre-existing grade. Where applicable, the area will be repaved. No increase in impervious surfaces or changes in fill/grade are proposed.

Entry and exit pits will help start the bore, receive the guided bore on the other side, and contain the drilling fluid returns. To complete the HDD bore, a pilot hole is drilled using a small-diameter (3 to 5-inch) drill string and a drill bit entering the ground through the "entry pit." Bentonite drilling fluid, composed of bentonite clay and water, is delivered to the cutting head through the drill string to cool the drill bit, provide hydraulic cutting action, and remove cutting spoils as the drilling fluid returns to the entry point of the pilot hole. A completed pilot hole and subsequent drilling will end with the drill head resurfacing at the "exit pit." The pilot hole is then enlarged with one or more reaming passes, until the desired hole diameter is obtained based on the proposed pipeline diameter. Once the bore hole is appropriately sized, machinery will pull the replacement pipeline through the bore hole, test the pipe for integrity (to ensure there was no damage to the pipe during the pull), and tie the replacement pipeline into the existing lines.

HDD is done with the help of a viscous fluid known as drilling fluid, comprised of a non-toxic colloidal clay called bentonite. Bentonite absorbs water which causes it to swell, creating a viscous fluid. This fluid is used to remove cut borings, stabilize the bore hole, and cool the drill head. Fresh drilling fluid is expelled through a nozzle at the tip of the drill head. Throughout the process, the fluid is cycled through a reclaimer, a machine which removes the drill cuttings, and allows the fluid to be recycled for continuous use within the project. The entry and exit pits will also ensure that the drilling fluid is collected and contained.



At the end of the installation, any the drilling fluid remaining in the drill pits or on-site will be collected and transported to an appropriate location offsite. Once the bore hole has been drilled and stabilized, the gas line will be pulled through.

The gas main will be installed at an appropriate depth to avoid any negative impacts to the existing bridge structure. Approximately 27-ft of the underground HDD-drilled gas main will be within LUWW. As the activities are below ground, no alteration of LUWW is anticipated, and no impacts to the waterway are proposed.

3.4 HDD Contingency Plan

Since the HDD gas line installation method involves the use of drilling fluid that is slightly pressurized during the drilling process in order to function properly, there is potential with any HDD that some drilling fluid may migrate out of the drill hole through existing cracks or fissures in the ground and escape to the surface. However, the design of the HDD, including length and depth of the drill path, takes into consideration the nature of the underlying soil and bedrock geology to be drilled through, as well as the presence of sensitive resources, in order to minimize the potential for an inadvertent return.

As well as following the general guidelines of the IR Contingency Plan included as **Attachment F,** BGC's drilling contractor will prepare a site-specific IR Contingency Plan prior to the commencement of construction. This plan will set forth the methodologies, monitoring activities, and procedures to be followed to prevent an inadvertent release of drilling fluid and will establish the process and procedures to be followed if an inadvertent release of drilling fluid occurs. Response and restoration actions will include:

- Continuous resource area monitoring during installation and stop work procedures if an IR is observed
- Detailed descriptions and locations of containment devices such as booms, curtains, or sediment and erosion controls
- Materials removal and disposal procedures both in resource areas and in uplands
- Reporting procedures and timelines

3.5 Gas Main Removal

BGC will remove and cap the ends of the existing exposed gas main currently within the Union Street bridge structure. The exposed portion of the existing main passing through the concrete arch opening of the bridge over Hop Brook will be cut by hand where it is flush with the concrete abutments, and then capped. This removal is typically done by workers on foot or on a floating platform that is anchored to the bridge, depending on the water levels. The remainder of the main within the roadway to be abandoned in place.

BMPs will be installed prior to the work beginning, and all equipment will be operated from the roadway or work will be performed by hand. Nets may be installed beneath the bridge to collect any debris from the pipe cutting from entering the river.



4 ALTERNATIVES ANALYSIS

The initial design for the Hop Brook was the attachment of the replacement gas line to the existing bridge crossing Hop Brook. However, BGC's and the Town's structural engineer deemed attachment infeasible due to the condition of the existing bridge.

4.1 Utility Bridge Alternative

The utility bridge alternative would require an extensive engineering effort to design a bridge that would fully span Hop Brook and support the new gas pipeline. A utility bridge would require excavation in the 100-ft Buffer Zone and 200-ft RFA for bridge foundations on either side of Hop Pond. The bridge would then cross above Inland Bank and LUWW. As a new over-the-water crossing of a navigable waterway, a new Ch 91 License would be required, and the bridge would represent a permanent aboveground alteration to the 100-ft Buffer Zone and 200-ft RFA, as well as introduce a new visual intrusion into the environment of Hop Brook. Because of permanent impacts to resource areas, the need for a new Ch 91 License, more challenging engineering design, higher costs, and the visual alteration of Hop Brook, this alternative was not selected.

4.2 HDD Alternative

As described above, the HDD Alternative will not involve any permanent impacts to jurisdictional resource areas, will not include any aboveground facilities, and requires less cost and time as it does not involve design and installation of a secondary utility bridge over the Hop Brook. For these and other reasons, the HDD Alternative is the preferred alternative.

In conclusion, the HDD installation method is less impactful to wetland resources, involves less permitting, will not result in a permanent aboveground facility (the utility bridge) that would be visible to the public, is less costly, and is a simpler engineering design. No significant adverse impacts on wetland resource areas or values protected by the WPA are anticipated with the HDD method.

5 PROPOSED AVOIDANCE, MINIMIZATION, AND MITIGATION TECHNIQUES

BGC has established procedures that are to be followed by all employees and its contractors for accessing sites and performing construction and maintenance activities on natural gas transmission ROWs. These procedures, discussed in National Grid's Environmental Guidance Document (EG-303NE) <u>Access</u>, <u>Maintenance and Construction Best Management Practices</u>, ensure that BGC's projects are completed in accordance with all applicable environmental laws and regulations as well as company policies and compliance objectives.



5.1 Sediment and Erosion Controls

Erosion and sediment control measures will be installed prior to the commencement of work based on site conditions. These controls will function to mitigate work-related erosion and sedimentation, and to serve as a physical boundary to delineate work areas to contain construction activities within approved locations. Proposed erosion and sediment control measures may include a turbidity curtain, straw wattles, weed free bale barriers, fiber rolls, or similar treatment.

Erosion and sediment controls will be inspected on a regular basis and maintained in working order until all disturbed areas are stabilized. Please refer to **Attachment E** for erosion and sediment control details.

5.2 Construction Access

Construction access will be from the existing paved roadway of Union Ave and Codjer Lane. The last crew to leave the site each day would be responsible for regularly sweeping the roadways, if and when sediment and/or rock have been tracked onto the street. No off-road vehicle or equipment access is anticipated for the Project.

5.3 Dewatering

Dewatering may be necessary during construction of the entry/exit pits or pipeline trench. Water will be pumped into a filter bag or a dewatering basin consisting of a filter bag with straw bale or silt fence perimeter controls which will be located in approved areas outside wetland resource areas. The pump intake hose will not be allowed to set on the bottom of the excavation throughout dewatering. The basin and all accumulated sediment will be removed following dewatering operations.

5.4 Stormwater Management

There will be no change in grade or increase in impervious area as a result of this Project. Therefore, permanent stormwater management appurtenances will not be required. BGC will implement sediment and erosion control BMPs to manage stormwater during the construction phase of the project.

5.5 Inadvertent Return Contingency Plan

In the unlikely event of an inadvertent return of drilling fluid during HDD operations, BGC will implement their IR Contingency Plan, a copy of which is provided in **Attachment F**.

6 CONFORMANCE WITH THE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS OF THE WPA

The Project has been designed to meet all applicable performance standards for each affected resource area under the WPA. In accordance with general condition 310 CMR



10.57(4), BGC will implement BMPs to ensure the adjacent resource areas are adequately protected, and impacts to the surrounding area are reduced, minimized, and restored to the maximum extent practicable. Project-specific BMPs are further discussed in *Section 6.0*.

6.1 Land under Water Bodies and Waterways [310 CMR 10.56(4)]

a) Where the presumption set forth in 310 CMR 10.56(3) is not overcome, any proposed work within Land under Water Bodies and Waterways shall not impair the following:

1. The water carrying capacity within the defined channel, which is provided by said land in conjunction with the banks;

No impacts to water carrying capacity are anticipates as part of the Project – all activities within LUWW will be located below ground and within the roadway layout.

2. Ground and surface water quality.

No impacts to water quality are anticipates as part of the Project – all activities within LUWW will be located below ground and within the paved roadway and shall comply with all applicable regulatory standards. BCG's IR Contingency Plan, **Attachment F**, along with implement sediment and erosion controls to address any potential construction phase impacts.

3. The capacity of said land to provide breeding habitat, escape cover and food for fisheries; and

No impacts to aquatic habitat functions are anticipates as part of the Project – all activities within LUWW will be located below ground and within the paved roadway.

4. The capacity of said land to provide important wildlife habitat functions. A project or projects on a single lot, for which Notice(s) of intent is filed on or after November 1, 1987, that (cumulatively) alter(s) up to 10% or 5,000 square feet (whichever is less) of land in this resource area found to be significant to the protection of wildlife habitat, shall not be deemed to impair its capacity to provide important wildlife habitat functions. Additional alterations beyond the above threshold may be permitted if they will have no adverse effects on wildlife habitat, as determined by procedures established under 310 CMR 10.60.

No impacts to wildlife habitat functions are anticipates as part of the Project – all activities within LUWW will be located below ground and within the paved roadway.

5. Work on a stream crossing shall be presumed to meet the performance standard set forth in 310 CMR 10.56(4)(a) provided the work is performed in compliance with the Massachusetts Stream Crossing Standards by consisting of a span or embedded culvert in which, at a minimum, the bottom of a span structure or the upper surface of an embedded culvert is above the elevation of the top of the bank, and the structure



spans the channel width by a minimum of 1.2 times the bankfull width. This presumption is rebuttable and may be overcome by the submittal of credible evidence from a competent source. Notwithstanding the requirements of 310 CMR 10.56(4)(a)4., the impact on Land under Water Bodies and Waterways caused by the installation of a stream crossing is exempt from the requirement to perform a habitat evaluation in accordance with the procedures established under 310 CMR 10.60.

This standard is not applicable to the project – all activities within LUWW will be located below ground and within the paved roadway.

6.2 Riverfront Area [310 CMR 10.58(4)]

a – Protection of Other Resource Areas. The work shall meet the performance standards for all other resource areas within the riverfront area... When work in the riverfront area is also within the buffer zone to another resource area, the performance standards for the riverfront area shall contribute to the protection of the interests of M.G.L. c. 131 § 40 in lieu of any additional requirements that might otherwise be imposed on work in the buffer zone within the riverfront area.

The Project has been designed to conform to the performance standards of other resource areas as described in this Notice of Intent.

b – Protection of Rare Species. No project may be permitted within the riverfront area which will have any adverse effect on specified habitat site of rare wildlife or upland, vertebrate or invertebrate species, as identified in the procedures established under 310 CMR 10.59 or 10.37, or which will have any adverse effect on vernal pool habitat certified prior to the filing of the Notice of Intent.

Not Applicable; there are no specified habitat areas of rare species or certified vernal pools within the Project area.

c – Practicable and Substantially Equivalent Economic Alternatives. There must be no practicable and substantially equivalent economic alternative to the proposed project with less adverse effects on the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131 § 40.

Section 4.0 summarizes the alternatives analysis conducted for this Project. Work within RFA has been limited as much as possible. There are no practicable and substantially equivalent economic alternatives to the Project with less adverse effects on the interests identified in the Act.

d – No Significant Adverse Impact. The work, including proposed mitigation measures, must have no significant adverse impact on the riverfront area to protect the interests identified in M.G.L. c. 131, § 40.

No permanent impacts to the Riverfront are proposed.



6.3 Bordering Land Subject to Flooding [310 CMR 10.57(4)(a)]

1. Compensatory storage shall be provided for all flood storage volume that will be lost as the result of a proposed project within Bordering Land Subject to Flooding, when in the judgment of the issuing authority said loss will cause an increase or will contribute incrementally to an increase in the horizontal extent and level of flood waters during peak flows. Compensatory storage shall mean a volume not previously used for flood storage and shall be incrementally equal to the theoretical volume of flood water at each elevation, up to and including the 100-year flood elevation, which would be displaced by the proposed project. Such compensatory volume shall have an unrestricted hydraulic connection to the same waterway or water body. Further, with respect to waterways, such compensatory volume shall be provided within the same reach of the river, stream or creek.

Work within mapped BLSF will be within a paved roadway. Following the completion of work, all disturbed areas will be returned to pre-existing conditions. No loss in flood storage will occur.

2. Work within Bordering Land Subject to Flooding, including that work required to provide the above-specified compensatory storage, shall not restrict flows so as to cause an increase in flood stage or velocity.

Following the completion of work, all disturbed areas will be returned to pre-existing conditions. No change in flow will occur.

3. Work in those portions of bordering land subject to flooding found to be significant to the protection of wildlife habitat shall not impair its capacity to provide important wildlife habitat functions. Except for work which would adversely affect vernal pool habitat, a project or projects on a single lot, for which Notice(s) of Intent is filed on or after November 1, 1987, that (cumulatively) alter(s) up to 10% or 5,000 square feet (whichever is less) of land in this resource area found to be significant to the protection of wildlife habitat, shall not be deemed to impair its capacity to provide important wildlife habitat functions. Additional alterations beyond the above threshold, or altering vernal pool habitat, may be permitted if they will have no adverse effects on wildlife habitat, as determined by procedures contained in 310 CMR 10.60

No alteration in wildlife habitat is proposed.

6.4 Restoration

Disturbed areas will be stabilized, and the construction site will be returned to existing conditions to the maximum extent practicable. All construction materials, vehicles, and non-biodegradable sediment controls will be removed from the site upon completion of work.



7 <u>CONCLUSION</u>

Although portions of the Project will occur within jurisdictional resource areas, the proposed Project will:

- Result in no impacts to BLSF, RFA, Bank, LUWW or Buffer Zone, as all activities will be underground or involve the removal of existing infrastructure;
- Utilize appropriate BMPs to protect wetland resource areas from sedimentation and soil disturbance during Project activities; and,
- Implement an IR Contingency Plan in the event of an inadvertent return.

Therefore, BGC respectfully requests the Sudbury Conservation Commission find this proposal adequately protective of the public interests identified in the WPA and the Local Bylaw and issue an Order of Conditions for the proposed Project as currently designed.



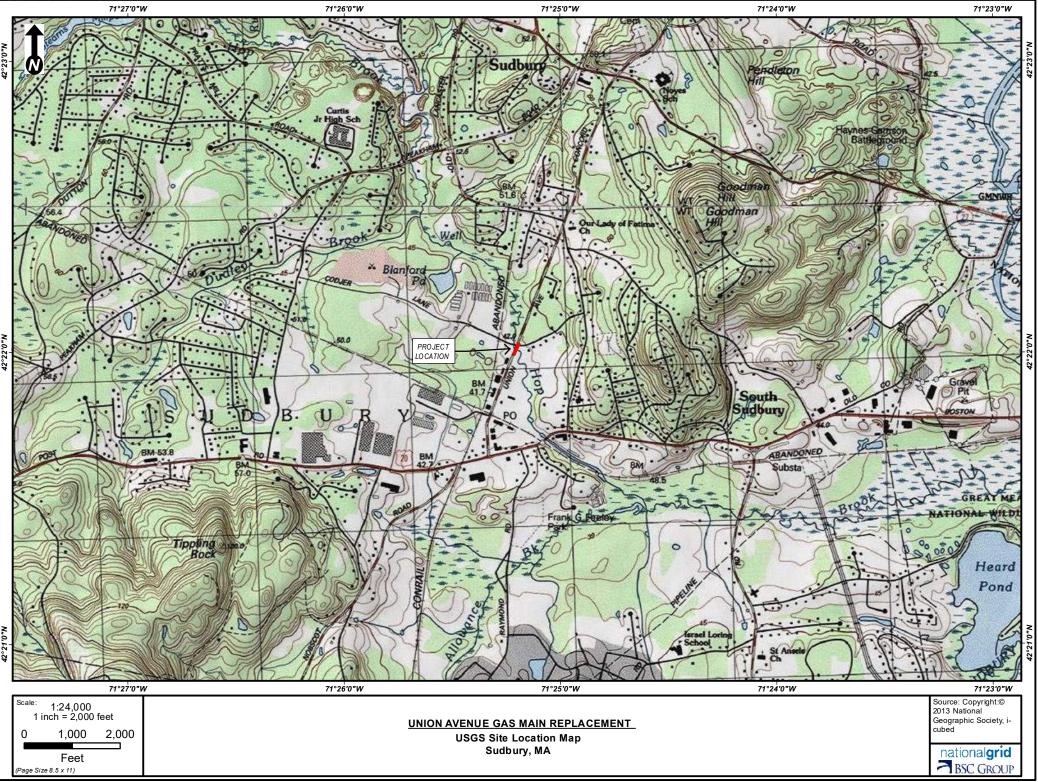
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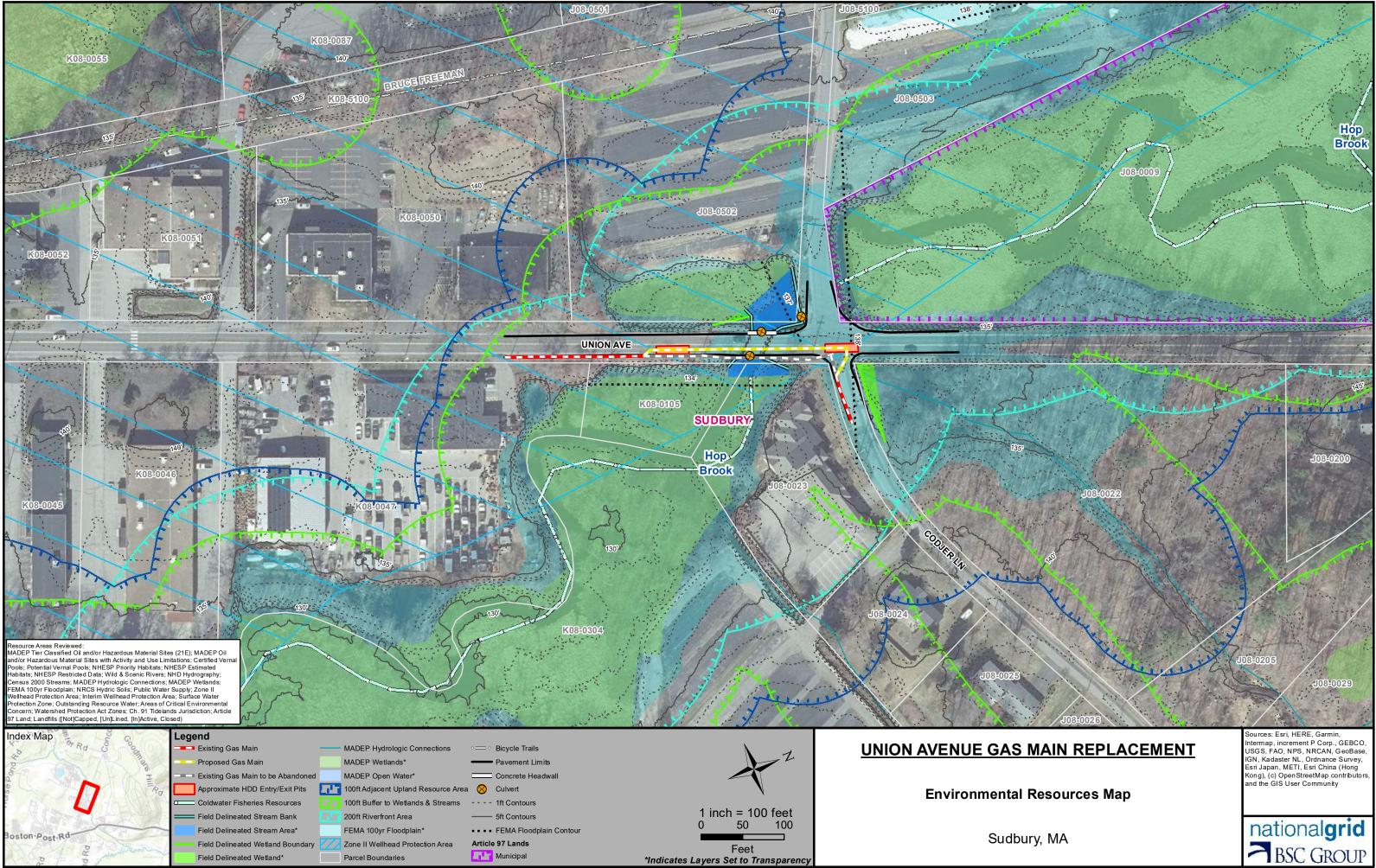


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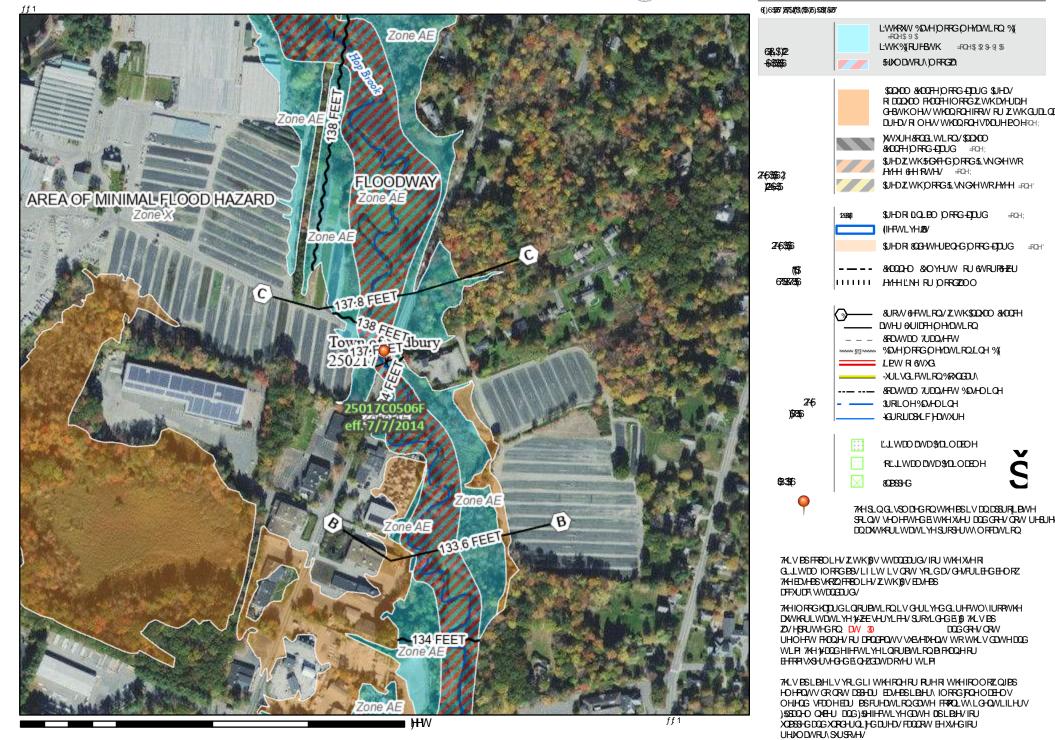
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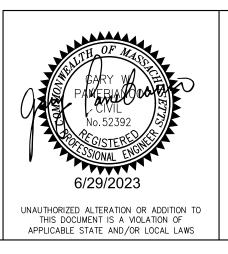
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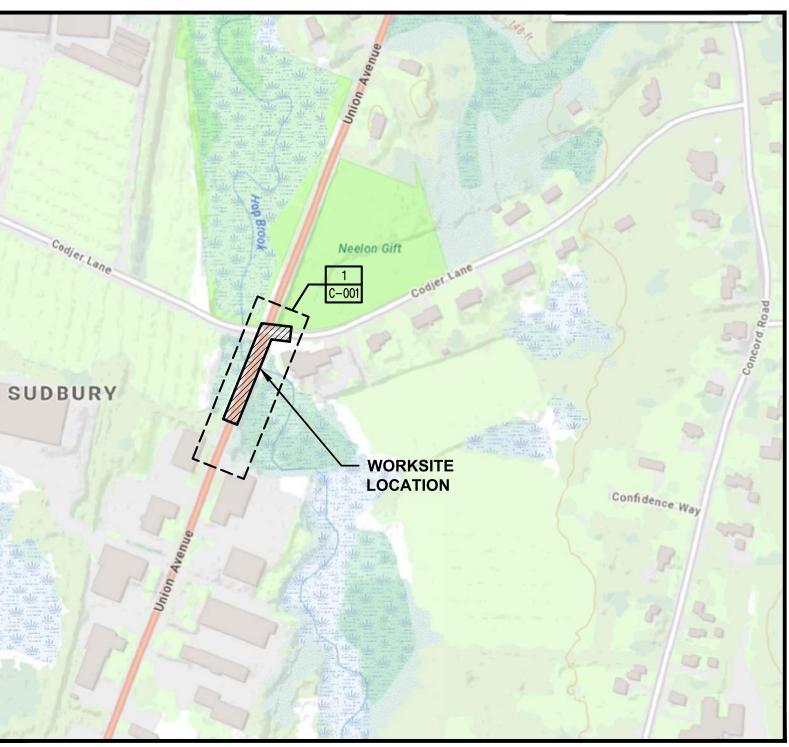




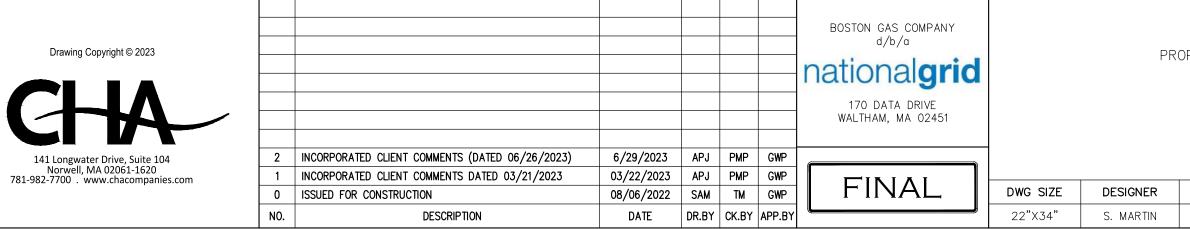




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CONSTRUCTION NOTES SCOPE OF WORK NATIONAL GRID WORK ORDER NUMBER 1469826: (UNION AVENUE & CODJER LANE, SUDBURY, MA)	CODES & STANDARDS 1. WORK SHALL CONFORM TO ALL LOCAL, STA GAS POLICIES AND WORK METHODS. WHERE MAY EXIST, THE MORE STRINGENT CODE, S ^T 2. ALL REFERENCES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANC
THIS WORK IS PART OF THE BRIDGES PROGRAM. THE MAIN ON THE SIDE OF THE CULVERT AT THIS LOCATION IS RECOMMENDED TO BE REPLACED. ENGINEERING RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:	TIME OF CONSTRUCTION 3. FEDERAL & STATE
ABANDON APRX 220 FEET OF 3 INCH 60 PSIG PLASTIC AND APRX 50 FEET OF 3 INCH 60 PSIG CS EXPOSED AT THE CULVERT CROSSING WITH APRX 300 FEET OF 4 INCH 60 PSIC PLASTIC VIA A COMBINATION OF OPEN CUT AND HORIZONTAL DIRECTIONAL DRILLING (HDD). REMOVE APRX 31 FEET OF 3 INCH 60 PSIG CS EXPOSED AT THE CULVERT CROSSING	 A. TITLE 49: PART 192 TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL SAFETY STANDARDS B. 220 CMR: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC 100.00 – 113.00: MASSACHUSETTS C. AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL B31.8: GAS TRANSMISSION AND DIST 4. CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE PERFORMED IN A
BILLING: 2 MAIN CONNECTIONS, 2 CUT & CAPS	AND WORK METHODS, INCLUDING BUT NOT A. CNST01003: BACKFILL AND RESTORA B. CNST01005: PREPARATION OF GAS F C. CNST01006: COMMERCIALLY AVAILAB D. CNST02014: ENCAPSULATING CAST F
GENERAL 1. NO FIELD CHANGES SHALL BE MADE TO THIS DESIGN WITHOUT APPROVAL FROM THE ASSIGNED NATIONAL GRID ENGINEER ENGINEER: BRENDAN GALLAGHER PHONE: (774) 813–7488 EMAIL: BRENDAN.GALLAGHER1@NATIONALGRID.COM 2. NEW MAINS SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TYPICAL TRENCH DETAIL INCLUDED IN THESE DRAWINGS, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. A. 36 INCHES OF COVER FROM FINAL GRADE WHERE PRACTICAL B. STATE HIGHWAY MINIMUM COVER: 36 INCHES 2. NEW MAINS SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH 24 INCHES MINIMUM E. CAUTION MAIN MINIMUM COVER: 24 INCHES 3. SERVICES SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH 24 INCHES OF COVER A. MINIMUM IN PUBLIC ROW: 18 INCHES B. MINIMUM IN PUBLIC ROW: 18 INCHES B. MINIMUM IN PUBLIC ROW: 18 INCHES C. SAND PADDING IN ALL DIRECTIONS, 6 INCHES MINIMUM D. CAUTION TAPE SHALL BE INCLUDED ONE FOOT BELOW GRADE 3. SERVICES SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH 24 INCHES OF COVER A. MINIMUM IN PUBLIC ROW: 18 INCHES B. MINIMUM IN PUBLIC ROW: 18 INCHES C. SAND PADDING IN ALL DIRECTIONS, 6 INCHES MINIMUM D. CAUTION TAPE SHALL BE INCLUDED ONE FOOT BELOW GRADE 4. REFER TO CNST-6030 FOR SHALLOW MAINS. PRIOR TO INSTALLING GAS MAINS WITH LESS THAN 24 INCHES OF COVER, COMPLETE REQUEST FOR WAIVER FORM AND CONTACT GAS PIPELINE SAFETY & COMPLIANCE FOR APPROVAL: A. JENNIFER GILLIS – (617) 594–5157 (MA EXCLUDING CAPE AND WEBSTER) B. LIEN GAUTHIER – (617) 438–9069 (MA EXCLUDING CAPE AND WEBSTER) B. LIEN GAUTHIER – (617) 438–9069 (MA EXCLUDING CAPE AND WEBSTER) C. IF A PROPOSED TOP TEE CONNECTION RESULTS IN A SHALLOW MAIN THAT CANNOT MEET THE WAIVER CRITERIA, A FULL TEE CONNECTION IS AN ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVE. A SPHERICAL TEE IS ONLY	 E. CNST03001: SQUEEZE-OFF OPERATION F. CNST03002: STOP-OFF OPERATIONS G. CNST03005: PURGING REQUIREMENTS I) CNST03006: PURGING OPERATION II) CNST03007: PURGING OPERATION III) CNST03008: PURGING OPERATIONS I. CNST04005: INSTALLING STEEL DISTF J. CNST04007: FIELD COLD BENDING O K. CNST04008: INSTALLING PLASTIC MA L. CNST040011: ABANDONMENT OF MAIN M. CNST04012: GROUTING ABANDONED N. CNST04030: RAISING MAIN AND SER O. CNST05001: JOINING OF PLASTIC PIF P. CNST05011: INSTALLATION OF DRESS Q. CNST55010: GENERAL CONSTRUCTION R. DAM01011: EXCAVATION AND EXCAVA FACILITIES FOR MASSACHUSETTS ANI S. DAM01015: LOCATE AND MARKOUT F T. DAM01016: LOCATE AND MARKOUT F M. GEN03002: PROCESSING GAS MAIN A X. GEN03004: CHANGE CONTROL PROCI Y. INR06002: SUPPLEMENTAL ODORIZAT Z. MAIN5030: INSTALLATION OF POLYET
 ACCEPTABLE WITH APPROVAL FROM NATIONAL GRID STRATEGIC ASSET AND SYSTEM PLANNING. 5. ALL MAINS SHOULD BE INSTALLED WITH CLEARANCE OF 12 INCHES FROM OTHER FACILITIES. A. DISTRIBUTION MINIMUM CLEARANCE: 6 INCHES B. APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE MEASURES SHALL BE USED TO PROTECT THE GAS FACILITY IF MINIMUMS CANNOT BE ATTAINED. APPROVAL IS REQUIRED BY GAS SYSTEMS ENGINEERING. 6. THE PIPE ALIGNMENT IS SHOWN FOR REFERENCE ONLY AS APPROXIMATELY 3 FEET FROM THE EXISTING MAIN (BASED ON AVAILABLE RECORD INFORMATION). THE ACTUAL ROUTE AND ALL VERTICAL AND HORIZONTAL OFFSETS ARE TO BE FIELD ROUTED WITHIN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY BASED ON THE ACTUAL LOCATION OF EXISTING UTILITIES. ADDITIONAL FITTINGS NOT SHOWN WILL BE REQUIRED. A. ELBOWS SHOWN ARE ASSUMED TO BE 45 DEGREES IN MOST APPLICATIONS. 90 DEGREE ELBOWS MAY BE NEEDED BASED ON FIELD CONDITIONS. 7. VALVES DEPICTED IN THE DESIGN ARE THE MINIMUM REQUIRED FOR SECTIONALIZING, ISOLATION, CRITICAL 	AA. MECH5010: JOINTS OTHER THAN WEI AB. 030018-CS SPECIFICATION AND HAN AC. DAM01008: CAST IRON ENCROACHME AD. CS-CNST002-MA: TYPICAL UTILITY AE. CS-MAIN004: PRESSURE TESTING OF AF. CNST6061: TRACER WIRE INSTALLATI AG. CS-LIVE002: TEMPORARY BYPASSES AH. MECH6010: CONNECTION OF DISSIMIL MECHANICAL COUPLING AI. MECH6030: CONNECTION OF DISSIMIL COUPLING - ALTERNATE AJ. PURG6040: TYPICAL NITROGEN PURC
VALVES, AND/OR TO ACCOMMODATE TIE-INS. ADDITIONAL FULL PORT VALVES MAY BE ADDED TO ACCOMMODATE CONSTRUCTION. A. VALVES FOR BRANCHES AT INTERSECTIONS SHOULD BE FIELD LOCATED JUST OUTSIDE OF THE INTERSECTION WHERE EASILY ACCESSIBLE, PRIOR TO THE FIRST SERVICE. 8. ELECTROFUSION COUPLINGS MAY BE INTERCHANGED WITH BUTT FUSION WHERE APPLICABLE.	 AK. VALV6020: 2 IN. – 12 IN. POLYETH' AL. FITS6370: VALVE BOXES UP TO 8 IN AM. CNST01001: HORIZONTAL DIRECTIONA 5. SERVICE SPECIFIC GAS POLICIES AND WORK A. CMS03002: CUSTOMER METER AND S B. CMS04002: PURGING PROCEDURES F
 9. TIE-IN LOCATIONS MAY VARY UP TO 100 FEET OF THE PROPOSED LOCATION TO ACCOMMODATE CONSTRUCTION, EXCEPT FOR WHEN THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS APPLY: A. REGULATOR STATION IS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE JOB OR WITHIN 200 FEET OF THE TIE-IN LOCATION B. CHANGE TO THE NUMBER OF CONNECTIONS (ADDITIONAL ADDED FROM AN INTERSECTION OR OTHERWISE) C. MATERIAL/SIZE CHANGE AT NEW LOCATION 10. NOT ALL BYPASSES, GAUGES, PURGES AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS FITTINGS ARE SHOWN. CONSTRUCTION SHALL INSTALL THESE FITTINGS AS NEEDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED SOP. 11. WHEN CONNECTING NEW "DEAD" MAIN TO NEW "DEAD" MAIN: AS LONG AS THE CONNECTION BRANCH SIZE SHOWN IN THE DRAWINGS CAN BE ACHIEVED, THE FOLLOWING CONNECTION TYPES ARE ACCEPTED AND INTERCHANGEABLE.	 C. CNST03011: NO–INTERRUPT SERVICE D. CNST06002: INSTALLING DISTRIBUTIO E. CNST06003: INSTALLATION & MAINTI INSTALLED METER CAPACITIES OVER F. CNST06009: METER/SERVICE RELOCA G. CNST06020: COMPLETION AND PROC H. CNST06030: NOTIFICATION OF CUSTO I. CS-SERV001: TYPICAL 1/2" SERVICE J. CS-SERV002: TYPICAL 1" SERVICE O K. CS-SERV003: TYPICAL 1-1/4" SERVICE
 B. PLASTIC HIGH VOLUME TAPPING TEE (2" BRANCH SIZE OR LESS) C. PLASTIC BRANCH SADDLE (WITH MAIN CUTTER SIZE SHOWN IN NATIONAL GRID POLICIES) D. STEEL THREE-WAY TEE (WITH MAIN CUTTER SIZE SHOWN IN NATIONAL GRID POLICIES) 12. THE LIVE MAIN CONNECTION DETAIL SHOWN IN THE DRAWINGS SHALL BE FOLLOWED. ANY CHANGES TO THE TIE IN CONNECTION TYPE SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE NATIONAL GRID ENGINEER PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. 13. ALL CUSTOMER SERVICES WITHIN THE SCOPE OF MAIN TO BE ABANDONED SHALL BE TRANSFERRED OR RELAYED BY THE CONTRACTOR TO THE NEW MAIN PRIOR TO ABANDONMENT. WHEN RELAYING A LOWER PRESSURE MAIN WITH A HIGHER PRESSURE MAIN, ALL SERVICES SHALL BE RELAYED OR INSERTED. 14. DRESSER STYLE COMPRESSION FITTINGS ON PLASTIC MAY BE USED AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO ELECTROFUSION FITTINGS ON PLASTIC TO PLASTIC PIPE CONNECTIONS PROVIDED THAT THE COUPLINGS ARE: i) MADE FOR PLASTIC TO PLASTIC APPLICATIONS. 	 L. CS-SERV004: TYPICAL 2" SERVICE M. CS-SERV005: EXCESS FLOW VALVE N. CS-SERV009: TYPICAL 1/2" SERVICE O. CS-SERV010: TYPICAL 1" SERVICE II P. HTAP-6010: NO-INTERRUPT 1 INCH TO 60 PSIG MAINS Q. SERV-5075: RELOCATION OF METER R. SERV-6185: HOT TAPPING MD BRAN S. VALV6110: 1/2 INCH - 3 INCH POL 6. SEE TIE IN DETAILS FOR APPLICABLE MAIN 7. SEE BILL OF MATERIAL FOR MATERIAL SPEC
 ii) PULL-OFF RESISTANT. iii) INSTALLED WITH AN APPROPRIATELY SIZED ANODE ATTACHED. THE SAME STYLE COUPLING MAY BE USED AS A PERMANENT LINE CAP PROVIDED THAT THE CORRECT FACTORY END PLATE IS UTILIZED AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO A FUSED END PLASTIC END CAP. iv) DRESSER STYLE CAPS AND PERMASERT CAPS ARE INTERCHANGEABLE WITH FUSION CAPS, PROVIDED CATHODIC PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS ARE USED FOR METALLIC BOLT STYLE FITTINGS REMAINING IN 	"FITS" REFERENCE A. FOR THIS PROJECT, GRADE B, X42, STRENGTHS IF APPLICABLE. ALTERNA ON MATERIAL AVAILABILITY.
SERVICE. 15. FOR HOST STEEL MAIN CONNECTIONS: IN LIEU OF THE USE OF TDW 3-WAY TEE FITTINGS. ESPECIALLY WHERE INSUFFICIENT COVERAGE PROHIBITS THEIR USE, A MUELLER WELD ON BOTTOM-OUT FITTING OR A TDW SPHERICAL 3-WAY TEE CAN BE USED FOR STOP OFF/TAKE OFF APPLICATIONS. A TDW SHORTSTOPP FITTING CAN ALSO BE USED AS AN ALTERNATIVE, BUT REQUIRES ANALYSIS FOR BYPASS ETC. NATIONAL GRID SYSTEM PLANNING SHALL REVIEW AND APPROVE THE USE OF AN ALTERNATIVE FITTING. A PULL OUT RESISTANT	
COUPLING MUST BE USED FOR THE CONNECTION OF THE NEW MAIN TO THE HOST MAIN. 16. FOR HOST CAST IRON MAIN CONNECTIONS: IN LIEU OF THE USE OF TDW 3-WAY TEE FITTINGS, WELDED ON A DRESSER STYLE 50A REPAIR SLEEVE, ESPECIALLY WHERE INSUFFICIENT COVERAGE PROHIBITS THEIR USE, AN INLINE TEE CAN BE SUBSTITUTED IN CONJUNCTION WITH EITHER A TDW SHORTSTOPP FITTING WELDED ON TOP OF A DRESSER STYLE 50A REPAIR SLEEVE, TDW SHORTSLEEVES, OR A MUELLER MECHANICAL STOP OFF FITTING CAN BE USED BUT REQUIRES ANALYSIS FOR BYPASS ETC. NATIONAL GRID GAS SYSTEM PLANNING SHALL REVIEW AND APPROVE THE USE OF AN ALTERNATIVE FITTING. A PULL OUT RESISTANT COUPLING MUST	
BE USED FOR THE CONNECTION OF THE NEW MAIN TO THE HOST MAIN. 17. ON NEW PLASTIC TO EXISTING STEEL CONNECTIONS, IN-LINE TIE-INS USING A STOP-OFF FITTING AND A PULLOUT RESISTANT DRESSER STYLE COUPLING IS INTERCHANGEABLE WITH USING A TDW 3-WAY TEE, AN ELBOW AND A PLASTIC TO STEEL TRANSITION FITTING ON A HIGH PRESSURE DISTRIBUTION MAIN OR SERVICE. 18. STEEL MUELLER ANSI 150 CLASS FITTINGS ARE INTERCHANGEABLE WITH TDW FITTINGS OF 150 POUND CLASS PROVIDED THAT THEY ARE THE SAME SIZE AND CAN PROVIDE THE SAME FUNCTION IN A SAFE MANNER IN	
 ACCORDANCE TO THE MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFICATIONS. 19. PLASTIC INLINE TEES AND BRANCH SADDLES ARE INTERCHANGEABLE PROVIDED THE SADDLE IS THE EQUIVALENT SIZE OF THE TEE INCLUDING REDUCERS AND TAPPED OUT TO THE MAXIMUM SIZE ALLOWED BY THE MANUFACTURER. 20. FOR A 2" PLASTIC TIE-IN TO AN EXISTING 2" PLASTIC PIPE, EITHER A 2" HVT OR A STRAIGHT BUTT CONNECTION ARE ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVES PROVIDED THERE ARE NO ONE WAY FEED ISSUES. 21. BUTT FUSE PLASTIC CAPS, WITH OR WITHOUT ELECTROFUSION COUPLINGS, MAY BE USED IN LIEU OF ELECTROFUSION GAPS AS NEEDED. 	PARE PLANE P
 ZZ. CONTRACTOR SHALL CALL DIGSAFE (DIAL 811 OR 888-344-7233) AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. SATURDAYS. SUNDAYS, AND HOLIDAYS ARE EXCLUDED. 23. CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THE LOCATION OF ALL UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES DEPICTED OR NOT DEPICTED ON THIS DESIGN PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. 	6/29/2023 UNAUTHORIZED ALTERATION OR ADDITION TO THIS DOCUMENT IS A VIOLATION OF APPLICABLE STATE AND/OR LOCAL LAWS

ATE, AND FEDERAL CODES IN ADDITION TO NATIONAL GRID ANY CONFLICTS OF CODES, STANDARDS, AND REGULATIONS TANDARD, OR REGULATION SHALL APPLY. CE WITH THE MOST CURRENT REVISION AVAILABLE AT THE

- ON OF NATURAL AND OTHER GAS BY PIPELINE: MINIMUM
- UTILITIES GAS DISTRIBUTION CODE
- ENGINEERS
- TRIBUTION PIPING SYSTEMS
- CCORDANCE WITH NATIONAL GRID GAS POLICIES LIMITED TO:
- ATION FACILITY HISTORICAL RECORDS
- BLE SHORING SYSTEMS
- IRON JOINTS ONS
- S ON LOW PRESSURE MAINS
- S FOR GAS PIPELINES
- NS DIRECT REPLACEMENT ONS - COMPLETE INERT FILL
- ONS SLUG METHOD
- FOR KLEISS EQUIPMENT
- RIBUTION MAINS F LINE PIPE
- AINS
- PIPELINES
- **VICE GATE BOXES**
- SER 700 COUPLINGS
- REQUIREMENTS AND PIPE HANDLING
- ATION NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR UNDERGROUND ID RHODE ISLAND
- REQUIREMENTS FOR UNDERGROUND GAS FACILITIES OF UNDERGROUND FACILITIES
- ROCEDURE (SOP)
- N PLAN
- AND NEW SERVICE WORK PACKAGES EDURE FOR STANDARD CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS
- TION FOR NEW PIPING
- THYLENE PIPE
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- CROSSING AND TRENCH GUIDELINES NEW MAINS MAOP OF 124 PSIG OR LESS
- IONS FOR PLASTIC MAINS AND SERVICES
- ON PLASTIC, CAST IRON OR STEEL MAINS
- AR POLYETHYLENE PLASTIC PIPE WITH ELECTROFUSION OF LAR POLYETHYLENE PLASTIC PIPE WITH MECHANICAL
- GE ARRANGEMENT YLENE VALVE INSTALLATIONS ON GAS MAIN
- N. VALVES AND ALL RISER RINGS
- AL DRILLING
- METHODS
- SERVICE REGULATOR DESIGN AND INSTALLATION POLICY FOR CUSTOMER METER SERVICES
- TRANSFER IN SERVICES
- ENANCE POLICY FOR CURB VALVES ON SERVICE LINES WITH 1000 SCFH THAT DON'T HAVE EXCESS FLOW VALVES
- ATION GUIDELINE
- CESSING OF GAS SERVICE RECORD CARDS OMERS INVOLVED IN THE INTERRUPTION OF GAS SERVICES
- OUTSIDE SETS
- OUTSIDE SETS
- VICE OUTSIDE SETS
- REQUIREMENTS ON HP SERVICES
- E INSIDE SETS
- NSIDE SETS CTS AND 1-1/4 INCH CTS SERVICE TRANSFER (NIST) LP
- SET ASSEMBLIES INSIDE TO OUTSIDE
- NCH SADDLES OFF 4IN 12IN 60 PSIG
- YETHYLENE GAS SERVICE VALVE INSTALLATION

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- CONNECTION REFERENCES CIFICATION, STANDARD AND/OR APPLICABLE NATIONAL GRID
- X52 AND EQUIVALENT ARE ACCEPTABLE STEEL MATERIAL ATES TO THE BOM ARE ALLOWED WITHIN THIS RANGE BASED

- DESIGN CRITERIA
- 1. DESIGN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING: A. ENGO2001: DESIGN OF GAS SERVICES
 - B. ENG04001: DESIGN OF DISTRIBUTION MAINS
- C. ENGO4010: DESIGN REQUIREMENTS FOR INSTALLATION OF CASINGS 2. PROPOSED PIPING: A. DESIGN CLASS LOCATION - 4
 - B. NOMINAL SIZE 4 INCH
 - C. MATERIAL MDPE & HDPE
 - D. SYSTEM MAOP 60 PSIG
- 3. PIPE SIZING DETERMINED BY NATIONAL GRID STRATEGIC ASSET AND SYSTEM PLANNING
- 4. BYPASS REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL MAIN CONNECTIONS TO BE DETERMINED BY NATIONAL GRID OPERATIONS ENGINEERING AND IMPLEMENTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SOP PROCESS
- 5. FOR WORK ORDERS PERTAINING TO ENCROACHMENTS, NATIONAL GRID SHALL DETERMINE IN THE FIELD THE EXACT LOCATION OF THE ENCROACHMENT TO ENSURE THE REPLACEMENT COMPLIES WITH DAMO1008 AND REMOVES ANY POTENTIAL HAZARD CREATED BY THE ENCROACHMENT.

PROJECT CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. PER NATIONAL GRID GAS POLICY DOC# ENG05004, ALL COMPLEX PROJECTS ARE REQUIRED TO PREPARE AN SOP IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STAMPED PLANS, WHICH MUST BE APPROVED BY A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER. THE SOP MUST INCLUDE ALL PROPOSED PROJECT SPECIFIC STEPS AND PROCEDURES TO DEFINE AN ADEQUATE SEQUENCE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE MAIN.
- 2. IN ACCORDANCE WITH MASSACHUSETTS 220 CMR 105.00, THE STAMPED SOP IS CONSIDERED PART OF A REQUIRED PROJECT SPECIFIC PACKAGE TO PERFORM ANY COMPLEX PROJECT CONSTRUCTION. THEREFORE, FOR ANY COMPLEX PROJECT CONSTRUCTION WORK, THE CONTRACTOR MUST FOLLOW THE PE STAMPED SOP.

PRESSURE TESTING

- 1. PRESSURE TESTING TO BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH: A. CNST04003: PRESSURE TESTING MAINS OPERATING BELOW 125 PSIG.
 - TEST PRESSURE (MINIMUM): 90 PSIG
- C. TEST DURATION BASED ON LENGTH AND DIAMETER IN ACCORDANCE WITH TABLE 1 TEST MEDIUM: AIR AND/OR NITROGEN CS-MAIN004: PRESSURE TESTING OF NEW MAINS MAOP OF 124 PSIG OR LESS
- 2. PRESSURE TEST SERVICES IN ACCORDANCE WITH: A. CNST06008: PRESSURE TESTING SERVICE LINES

WELDING

- 1. NATIONAL GRID WELDING GAS POLICIES AND WORK METHODS INCLUDE: A. CNST05002: WELDING POLICY
- CNST05003: PIPE WELDING SAFETY
- CNST05005: WELDING PROCEDURE SPECIFICATIONS
- MS-030: WELDING FILLER MATERIALS
- 2. PRIOR TO THE START OF ANY WORK THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT WELDER CERTIFICATION DOCUMENTS FOR EACH OF THE WELDERS EMPLOYED ON THIS PROJECT. 3. WELDING PROCEDURE SPECIFICATIONS REQUIRED
- A. BUTT WELDS (GROOVE): WPS-SMAW-E6010/7010 (LATEST REVISION)
- B. FILLET WELDS (BRANCH): WPS-SMAW-E6010/7010 (LATEST REVISION) 4. 10% (AT LEAST 1) OF WELDS IN EACH CATEGORY BELOW SHALL BE SUBJECT TO NON-DESTRUCTIVE EXAMINATION (NDE).
- A. BUTT WELDS 2-INCH AND GREATER: 10% RADIOGRAPH
- B. BUTT WELDS < 2-INCHES: 10% MAGNETIC PARTICLE C. FILLET WELDS: 10% MAGNETIC PARTICLE
- 5. NDE AND WELD MAP SHALL BE PROVIDED BY SKYTESTING
- 6. SKYTESTING SCHEDULING CONTACT: WILLIAM (BILL) CLARK
- CELL: (704) 858-7794
- EMAIL: WCLARK@SKYTESTING.COM

CATHODIC PROTECTION

- 1. IF EXISTING TEST STATIONS, WIRES, AND/OR MAGNESIUM ANODES ARE DISTURBED OR DAMAGED. NOTIFY THE NATIONAL GRID CORROSION DEPARTMENT: DAVE HALNEN: (781) 379-7831
- ALANNA GRONDINE: (339) 225-5378
- 2. 24 HOUR NOTICE IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF INSULATED FITTINGS TO
- ALLOW FOR ACCEPTANCE TESTING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH NATIONAL GRID CORROSION
- GAS POLICIES AND WORK METHODS INCLUDING: COR01100: CORROSION DESIGN CRITERIA

030031-CS: FACILITY COATING GUIDE

0. 030036-CS: INSTALLING WIRE CONNECTIONS

INCORPORATED CLIENT COMMENTS (DATED 06/26/2023)

INCORPORATED CLIENT COMMENTS DATED 03/21/2023

DESCRIPTION

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NO.

- COR02001: APPLICATION OF COATING SYSTEMS
- COR02020: INSPECTING EXPOSED STEEL PIPE FOR CORROSION
- COR02021: INSPECTING EXPOSED CAST OR DUCTILE PIPING FOR GRAPHITIZATION
- COR03001: TESTING OF PIPE COATING (JEEP TESTING)
- COR04001: INSTALLATION OF MAGNESIUM ANODES

K. 030024-CS: INSTALLATION OF MAGNESIUM ANODES

- COR04003: INSTALLATION OF TEST STATIONS FOR CATHODIC PROTECTION COR04004: INSTALLATION OF WIRE CONNECTION
- COR04005: INSTALLATION OF INSULATING JOINTS FOR CATHODIC PROTECTION

L. 030026-CS: INSTALLATION OF TEST STATIONS FOR CATHODIC PROTECTION M. 030016-CS: ELECTRICAL ISOLATION REQUIREMENTS OF A METALLIC COUPLING

N. 030028-CS: INSTALLATION OF INSULATING JOINTS FOR CATHODIC PROTECTION

4. CORROSION DESIGN: SEE CONTENTS OF THIS DESIGN FOR CATHODIC PROTECTION DETAILS.

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	WORK SHALL CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL GRID ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY.
	ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING CONTACT
	JAIME WALKER
	PHONE: (978) 551–1156
7	EMAIL: JAIME.WALKER@NATIONALGRID.COM
э.	CONTRACTOR SHALL REVIEW THE PROJECT WORK ORDER PACKAGE FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL GUIDANCE FORMS, FOR EXAMPLE EG-301, FOR THE RESPECTIVE STATE.
4.	WHEN SOILS OR LIQUIDS ARE ENCOUNTERED THAT ARE BELIEVED TO BE CONTAMINATED WITH OIL AND/OR HAZARDOUS
	MATERIAL, EXCAVATION WORK SHALL BE HALTED AND FIELD PERSONNEL SHALL NOTIFY THEIR IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR.
5.	NO EXCAVATED SOIL SHALL LEAVE THE WORK SITE UNTIL ENVIRONMENTAL HAS MADE A DETERMINATION FOR ITS PROPER
-	DISPOSAL.
6.	NATIONAL GRID ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND PROCEDURES INCLUDE:
	A. SHE02001: HANDLING CONTAMINATED MATERIALS AND PIPING B. SHE02002: REMOVING MERCURY REGULATORS AND DEVICES
	C. SHE02003: ENCOUNTERING CONTAMINATION WHILE EXCAVATING
	D. EG303-NE: BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES
	E. EG140: USED GAS PIPE MANAGEMENT
7.	ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS: PROPOSED WORK IS LOCATED WITHIN 100 FEET OF WETLANDS AND/OR BODIES OF WATER
	/ WITHIN 200 FEET OF A RIVER OR A STREAM (*25 FEET IN BOSTON, BROCKTON, CAMBRIDGE, CHELSEA, EVERETT, FALL
	RIVER, LAWRENCE, LOWELL, MALDEN, NEW BEDFORD, SOMERVILLE, SPRINGFIELD, WINTHROP OR WORCESTER)/ WITHIN A
	FLOODPLAIN. ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT AND/OR THE USE OF ENVIRONMENTAL BMPS MAY BE REQUIRED. SEE ENVIRONMENTAL MEMO FOR DETAILS.
	AFETY
	WORK SHALL CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL GRID EMPLOYEE SAFETY HANDBOOK AND OSHA REQUIREMENTS
2. 3.	REQUIRED PPE SHALL BE WORN AND UTILIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT NATIONAL GRID SAFETY POLICY.
з. 4.	A NATIONAL GRID APPROVED CONTRACTOR HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN (HASP) IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. CONSTRUCTION SIGNING, DRUMS, BARRICADES, AND OTHER DEVICES SHALL CONFORM TO THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM
1.	TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES (M.U.T.C.D.) PART VI AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE CONTRACTOR.
5.	NATIONAL GRID SAFETY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES INCLUDE:
	A- ADMINISTRATIVE B- INSPECTIONS
	C- WALKING WORKING SURFACES D- MEANS OF EGRESS
	E- MATERIAL HANDLING AND STORAGE F- TOXIC AND HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES G- HAZARDOUS MATERIALS H- PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT
	I- GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROLS J- ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION
	K- MACHINERY AND GUARDING L- WELDING/CUTTING/BRAZING
	M– EXCAVATIONS N– CONTRAĆTORS
•	FIRE PROTECTION Q- FLEET AND ROADWAY SAFETY
6.	GAS WORK METHODS SAFETY PROCEDURES INCLUDE: A. SHE01001: GENERAL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS
	B. SHE01002: SUPPLIED-AIR RESPIRATORS
	C. SHE01003: USING AND MAINTAINING PORTABLE GAS MONITORS
	D. SHE01004: USING AND MAINTAINING FLAME IONIZATION UNITS
	E. SHE01005: DISSIPATING STATIC ELECTRICAL CHARGES ON PLASTIC PIPE
	F. SHE01006: ENTERING GAS UTILITY VAULTS

- SHE01008: USING AND MAINTAINING THE GAS-EXPLORER
- H. SHE01009: DISSIPATING STATIC ELECTRICAL CHARGES ON PLASTIC PIPE SHE01010: THE APPLICATION OF FORMAL PROCESS SAFETY ASSESSMENTS TO HIGHER-RISK GAS ACTIVITIES PERFORMED IN THE FIELD

J. SHE02001: HANDLING CONTAMINATED MATERIALS AND PIPING

OTHER PERMITTING REQUIREMENTS

TOWN OF SUDBURY STREET OPENING PERMIT ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT AND/OR THE USE OF ENVIRONMENTAL BMPS MAY BE REQUIRED

REFERENCE DRAWINGS

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DWG SIZE

22"X34"

LOCATION OF IDENTIFIED UNDERGROUND UTILITIES ARE APPROXIMATED BASED ON AVAILABLE RECORD AND FIELD INFORMATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH CI/ASCE 38-02. ADDITIONAL UTILITIES MAY EXIST WHICH ARE NOT IDENTIFIED ON THESE PLANS. ALL EXISTING UTILITIES SHALL BE VERIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR FOR SERVICE, SIZE, INVERT ELEVATIONS, LOCATIONS, ETC.

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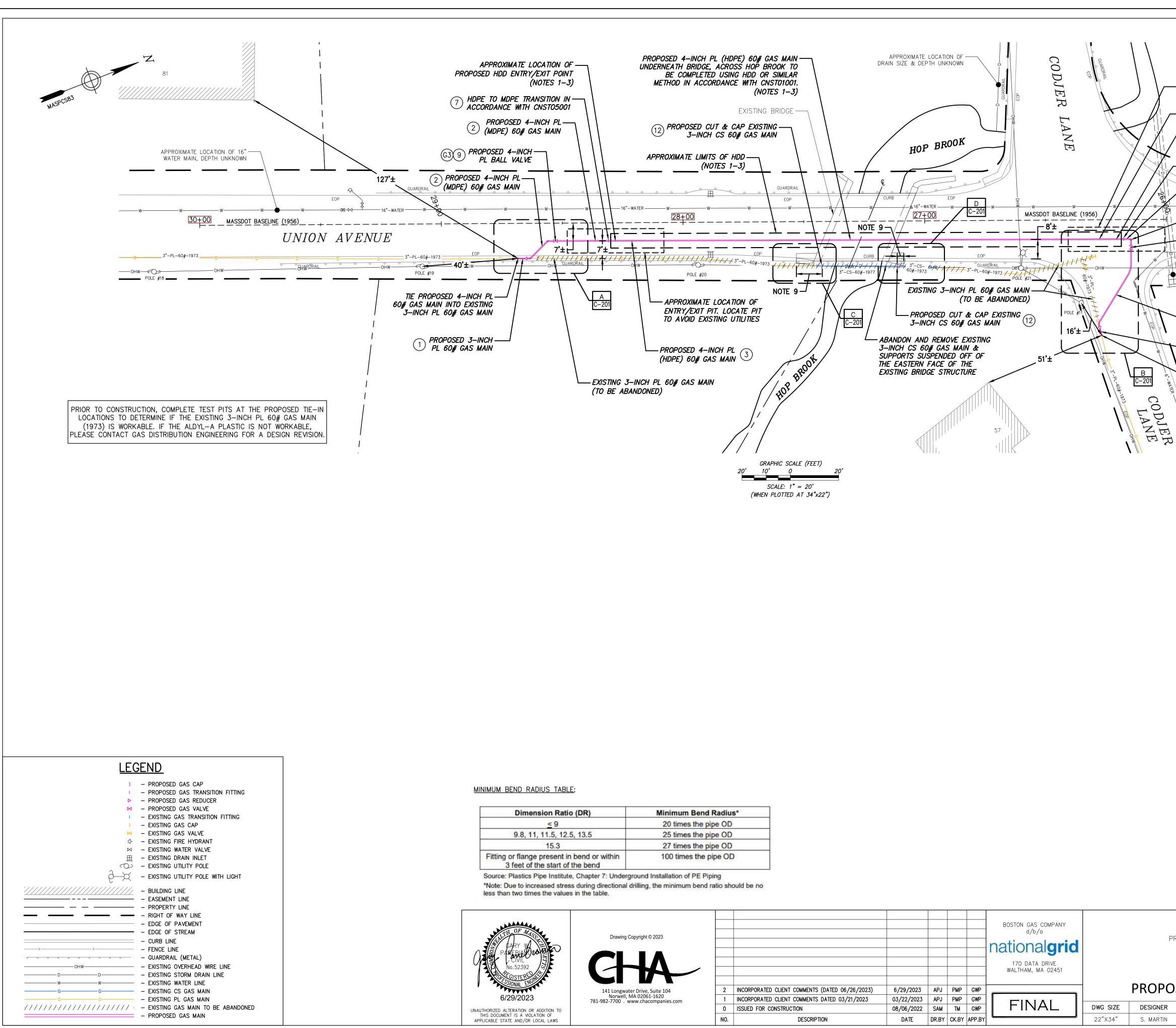
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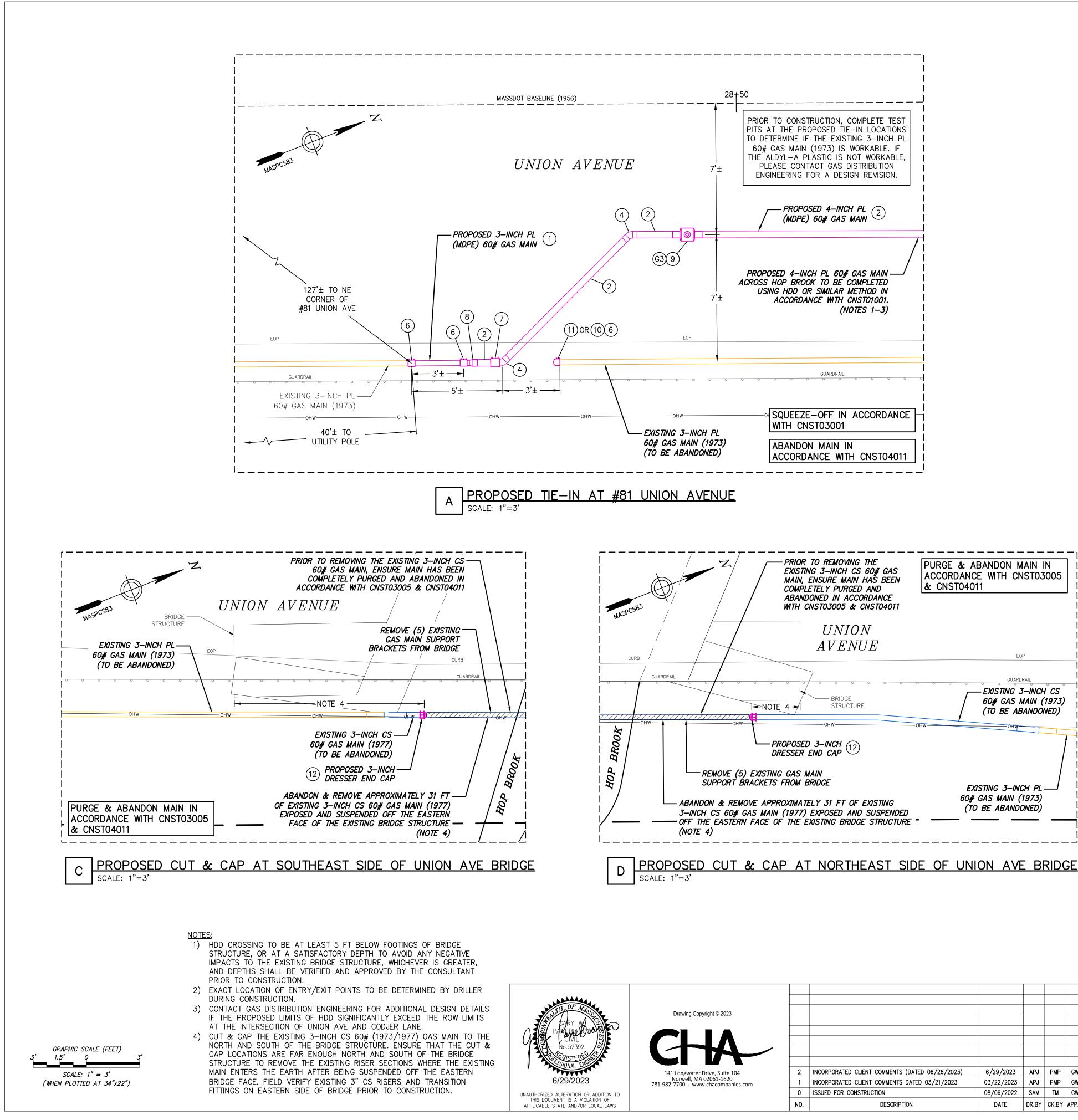
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2	80	FT	PIPE, PLASTIC	, MDPE-STR	AIGHT 40'	4	120	026-MS	9340857	
3	215	FT	PIPE, PLASTIC	, HDPE-COIL	_ 500'	4	120	025-MS	9306310	
4	4 2	L EA	ELBOW, PLAST	TIC, MDPE, 4	5 DEGREE	4	CS	S-FIT011	9341400	
5	1 2	EA	ELBOW, PLAST	TIC, MDPE, 9	0 DEGREE	4	CS	S-FIT011	9341397	
6	6	EA	COUPLING, PL	TROFUSION	3	CS	-FIT015	9307689		
7	3	EA	COUPLING, PL	TROFUSION	4	CS	-FIT015	9314593		
8	2	EA	REDUCER, PLA	Ξ	4 X 3	CS	S-FIT013	9342615		
9	2 🗸	EA	VALVE, PLAST	RE/PORT, MDPE	E 4	VA	LV6020	9341709		
10	2	EA	CAP, PLASTIC,	T FUSE	3	CS	S-FIT010	9339541		
11	2	EA	CAP, PLASTIC, HDPE, ELECTRO FUSE			3	CS	-FIT015	9393583	
12	2	EA	CAP, STEEL, D	RESSER, SE	ELF-RESTRAININ	IG 3	FI	TS6024	9310275	
GENERA	L						•			
G1	A/R	FT	TRACER WIRE			-	CN	IST6061	9315005	
G2	A/R	ROLL	YELLOW CAUT WIDE	ΓΙΟΝ ΤΑΡΕ -	GAS MAIN - 6"	6	CN	IST6060	9341904	
G3	2	EA	VALVE BOX AS	SEMBLY		4	FI	TS6360	(SEE STD)	
NOTE: ALL MATERIAL QUANTITIES ARE ESTIMATED BASED ON PROPOSED DESIGN. ADDITIONAL QUANTITIES AND/OR OTHER MATERIALS MAY BE REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT VERTICAL OFFSETS OR DUE TO OTHER UNKNOWN AS-FOUND CONDITIONS/DESIGN CONFLICTS AND FOR TESTING.										
PROPOSED GAS MAIN REPLACEMENT 81 UNION AVE SUDBURY, MA						PAGE OF 2 8				
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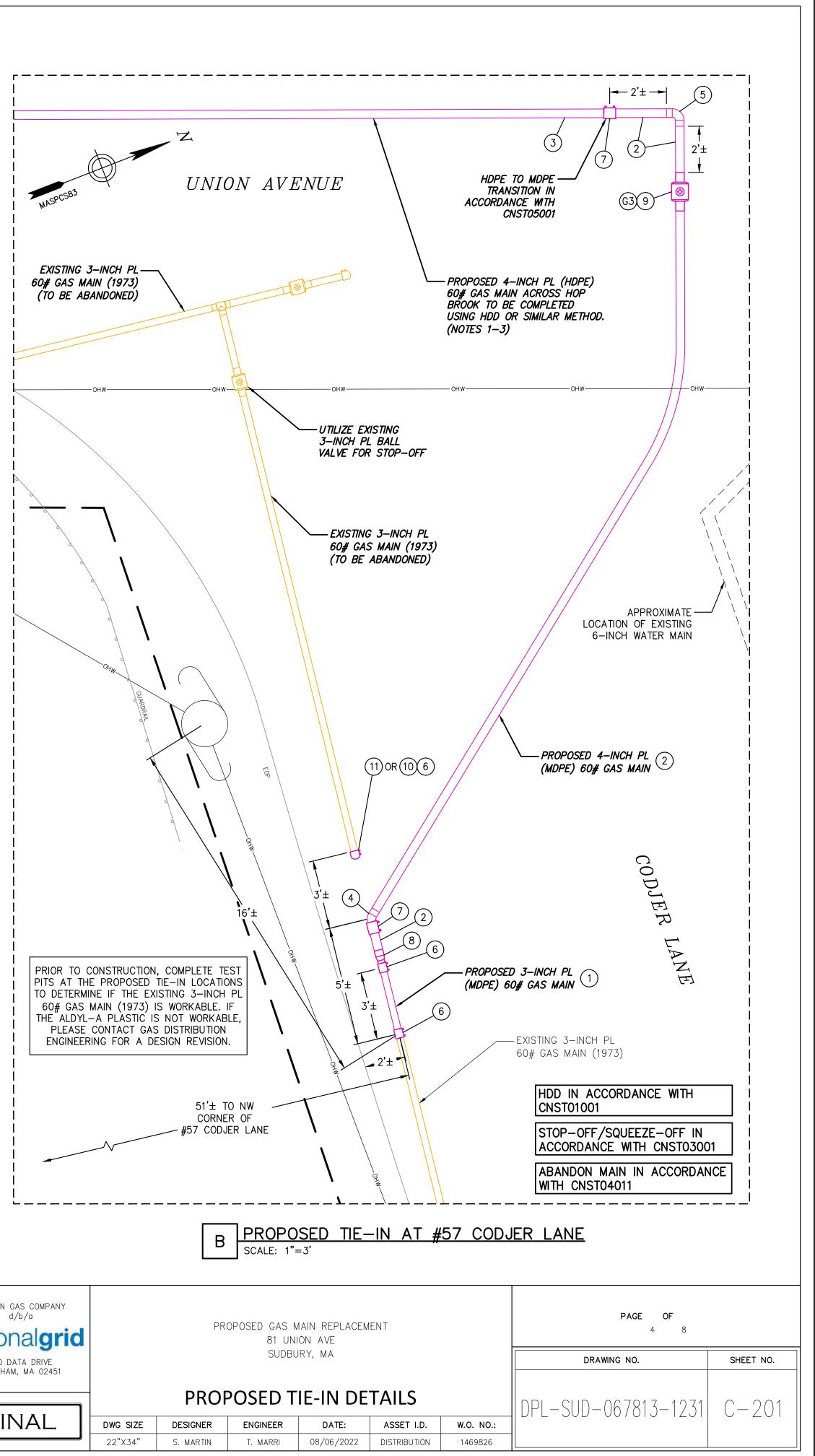
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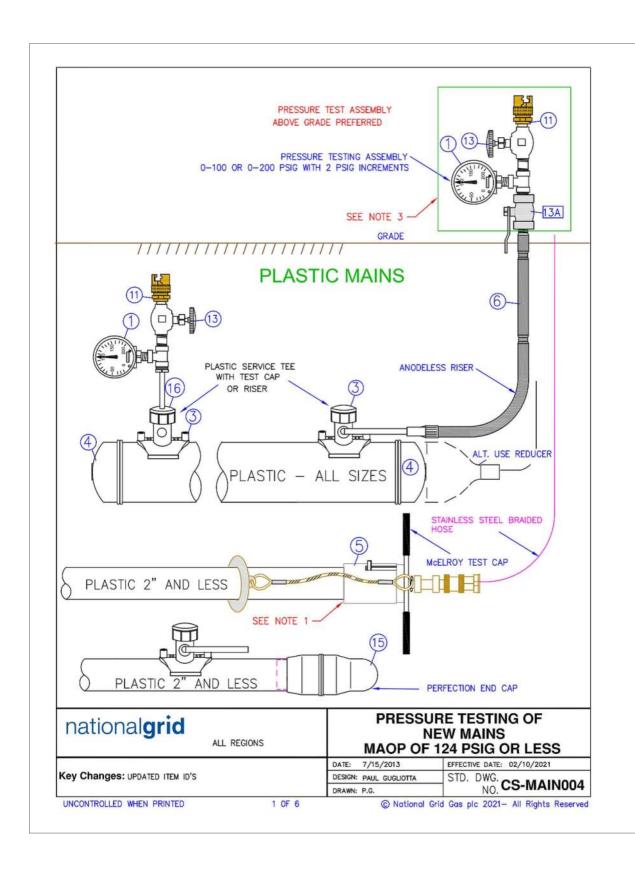
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5, 13.5	25 times the pipe OD				
	27 times the pipe OD				
bend or within	100 times the pipe OD				

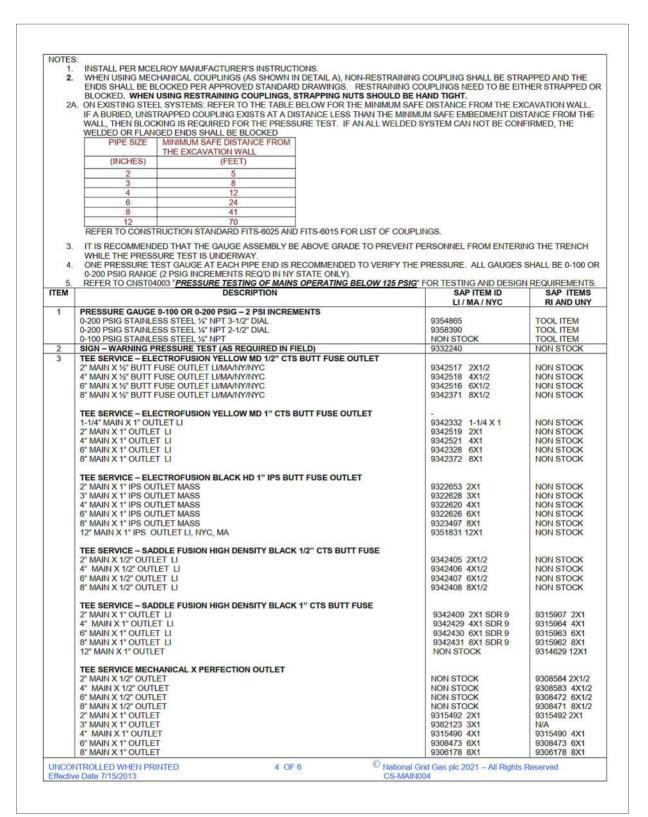
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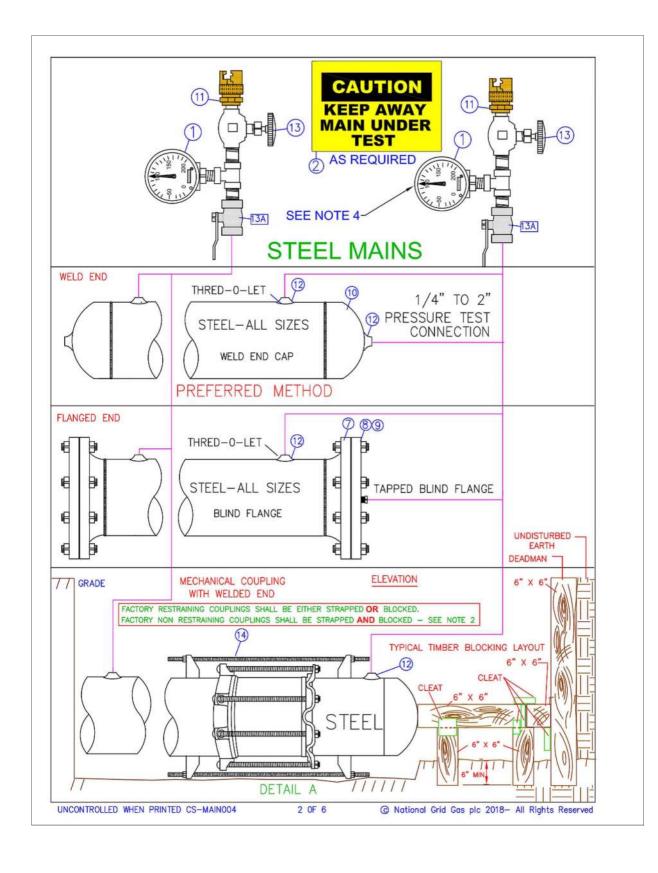


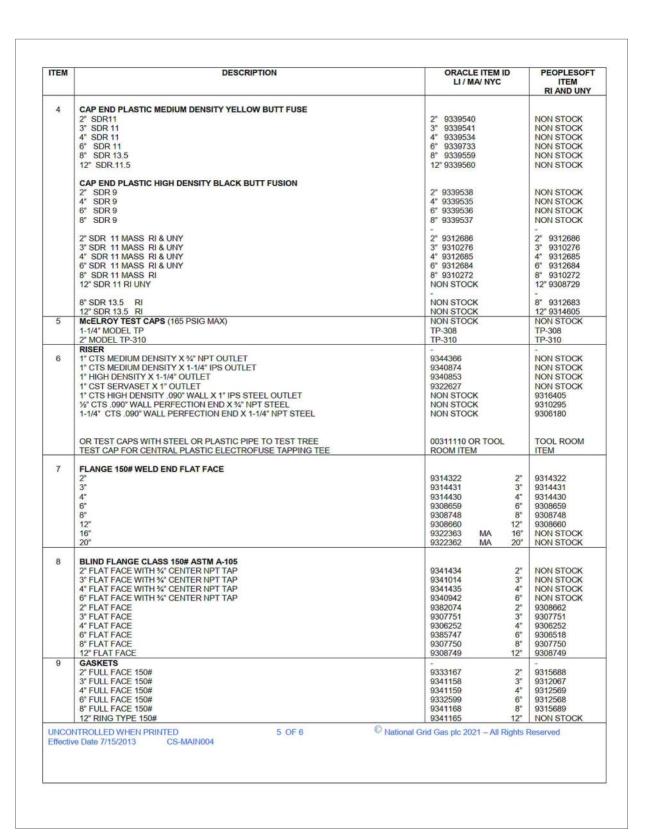


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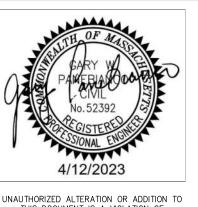




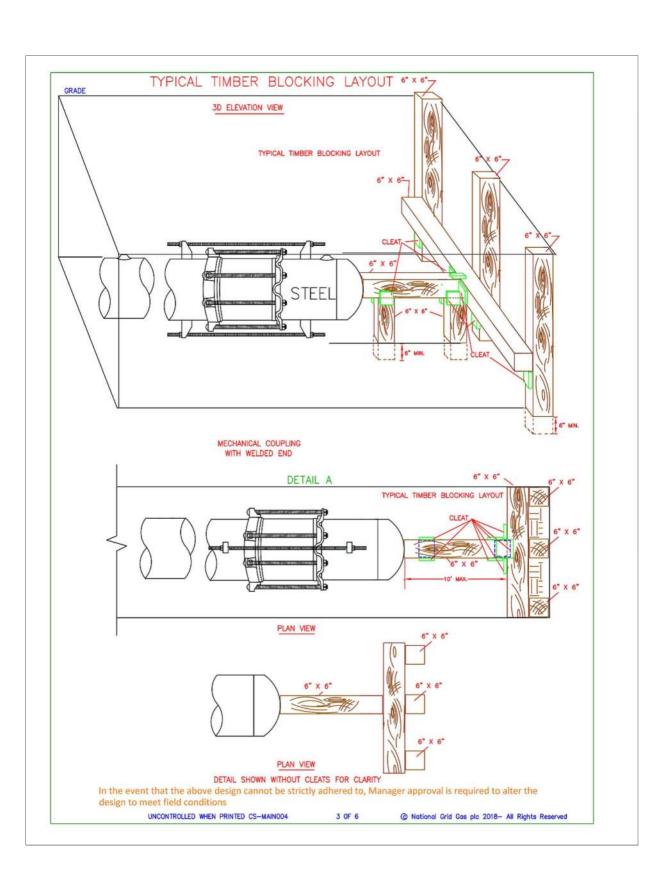


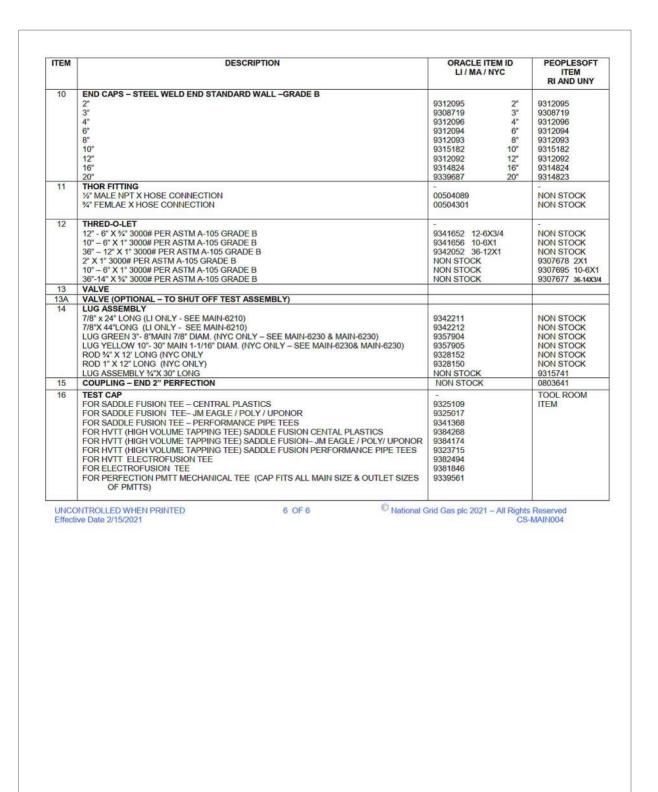
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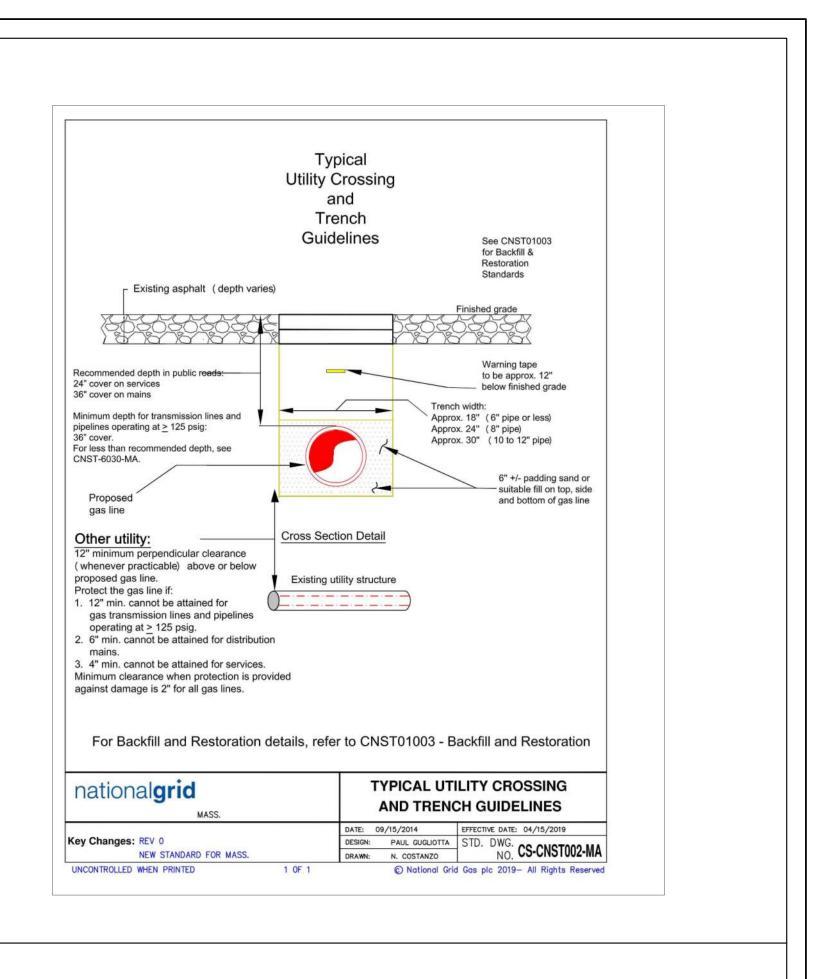


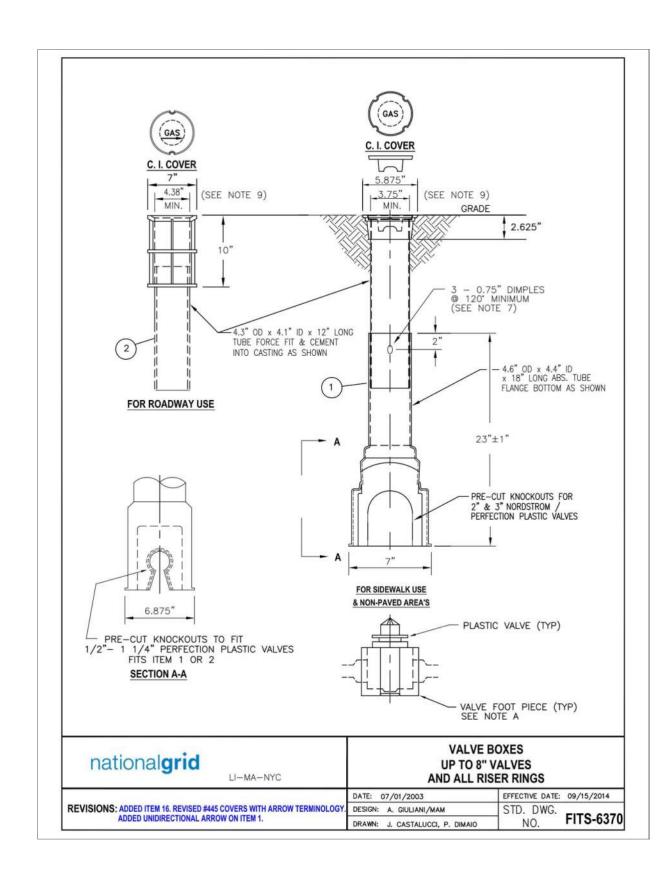
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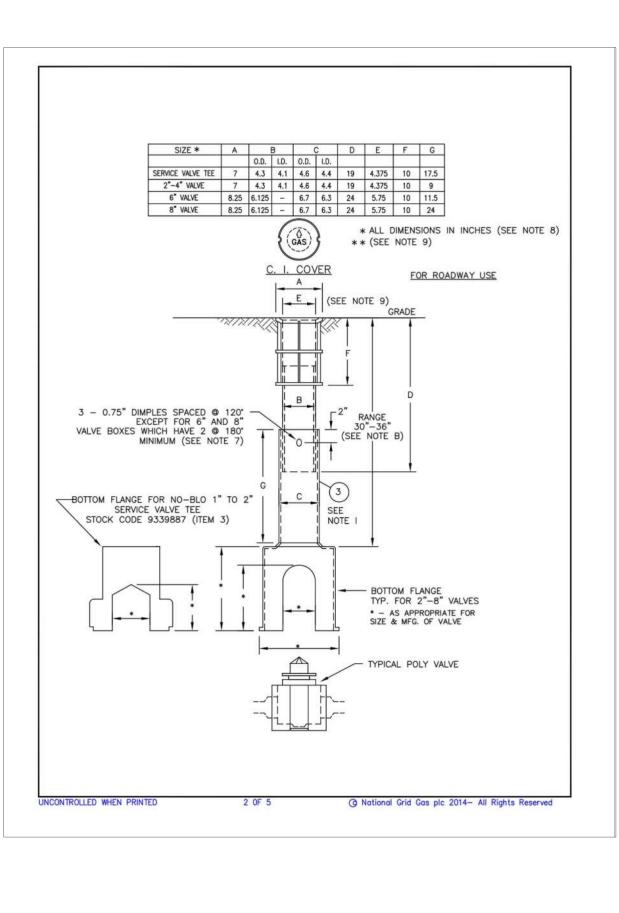




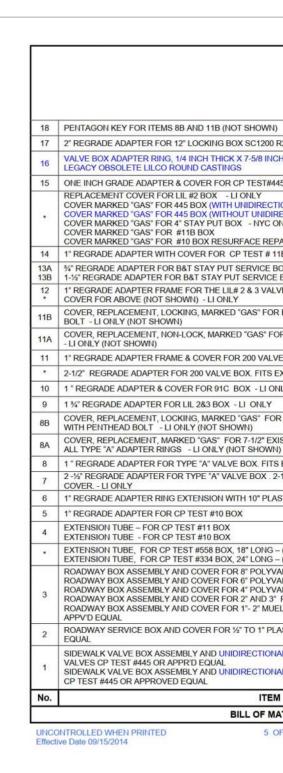
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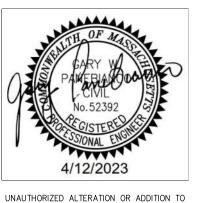






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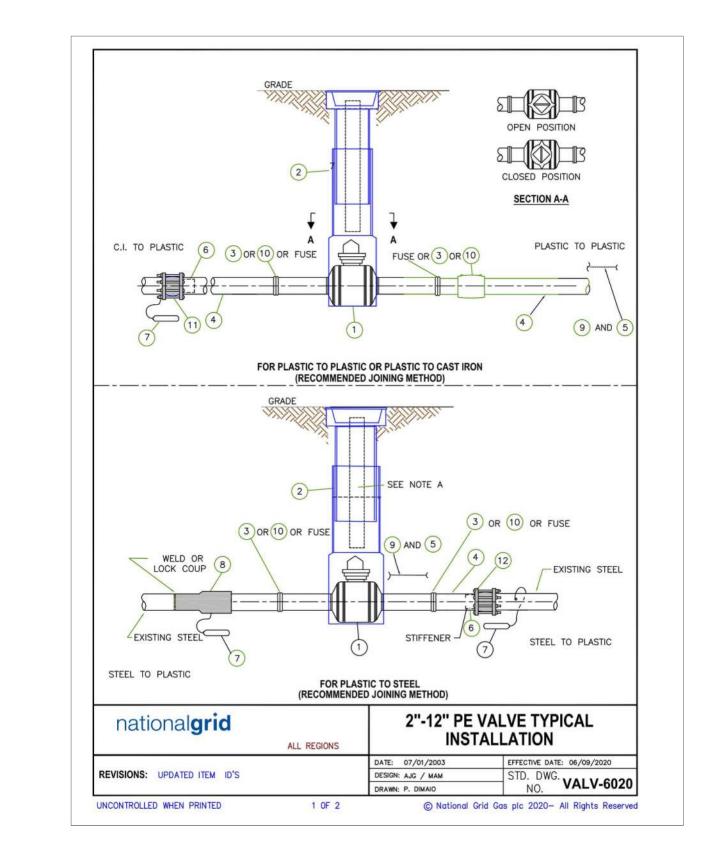
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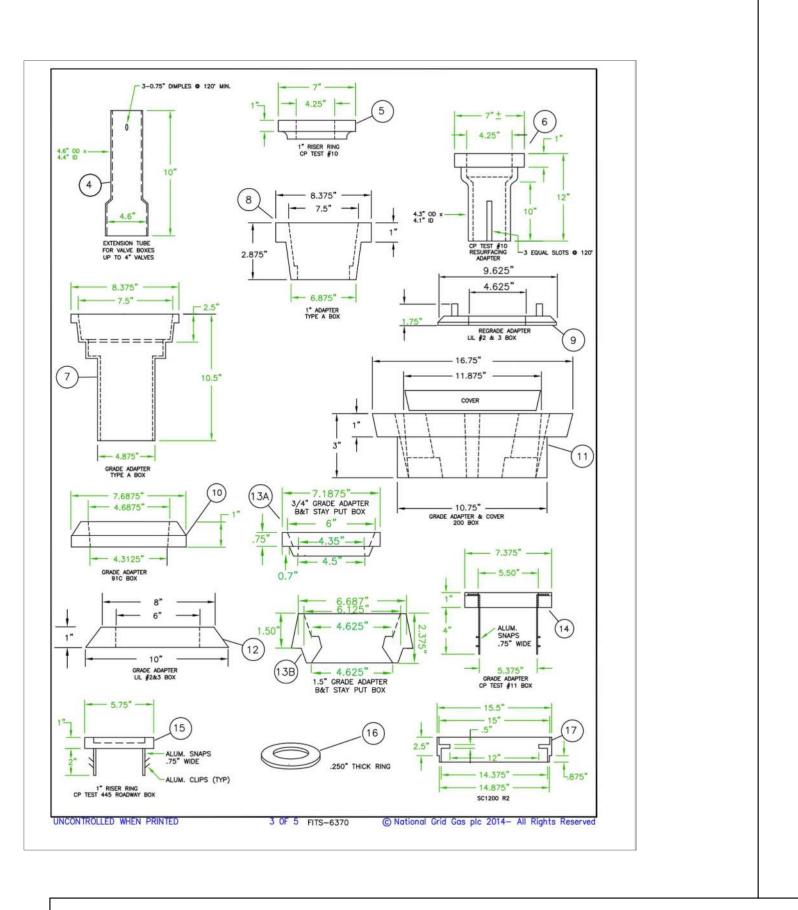
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EXISTING COVER LI ONLY	9339827
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XISTING COVER. (NOT SHOWN) - LI ONLY	9339799
BOX - LI ONLY	9339826
R EXISTING NON-LOCK TYPE 200 BOX	9339798
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B BOX - SEE NOTE B	9382611
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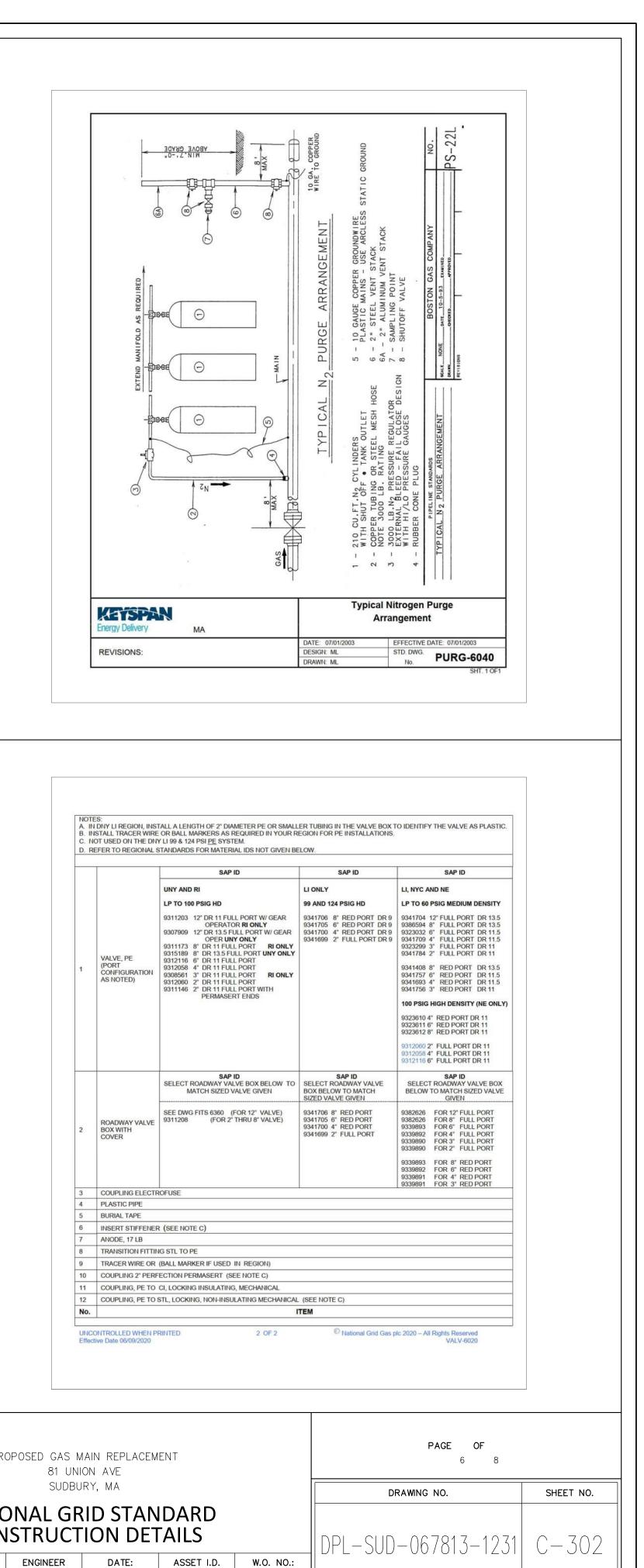


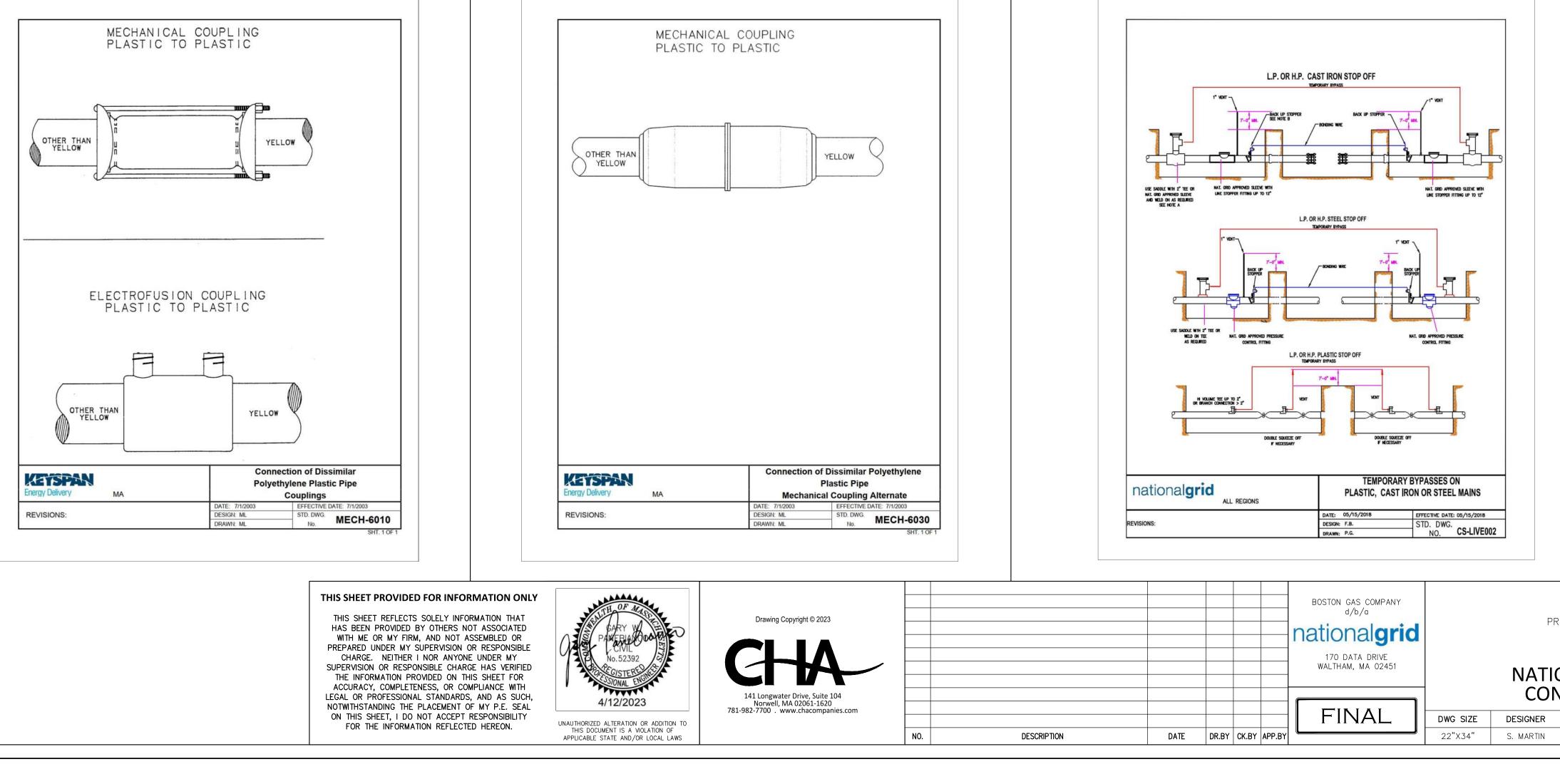
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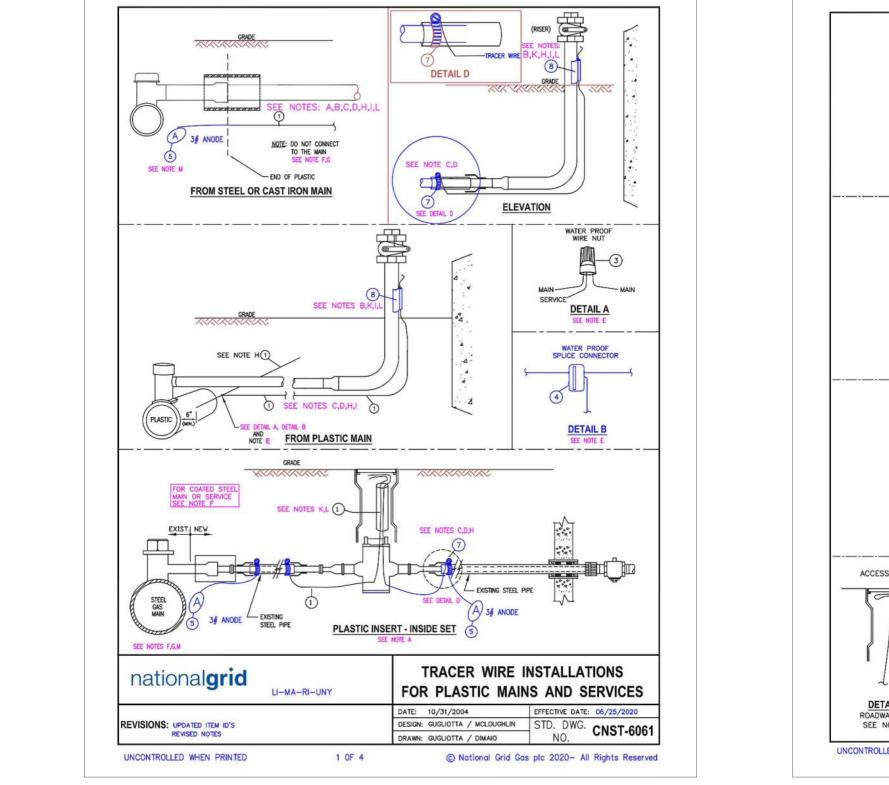
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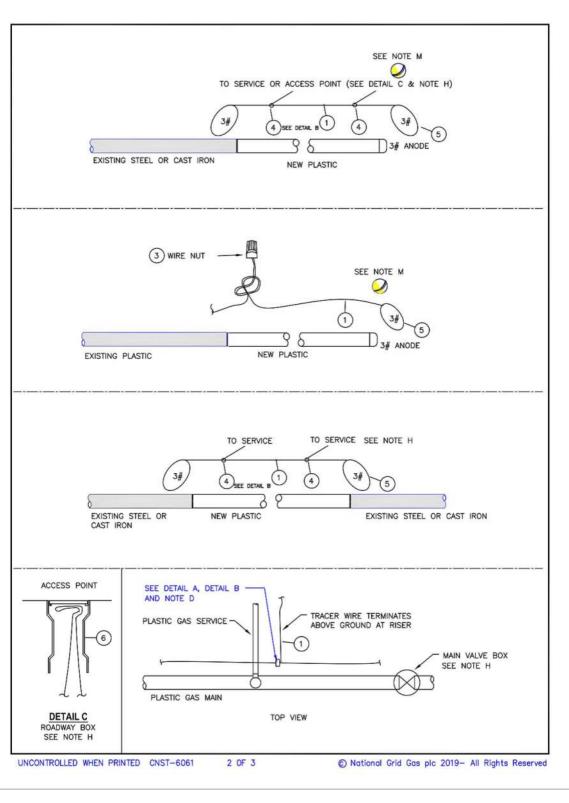
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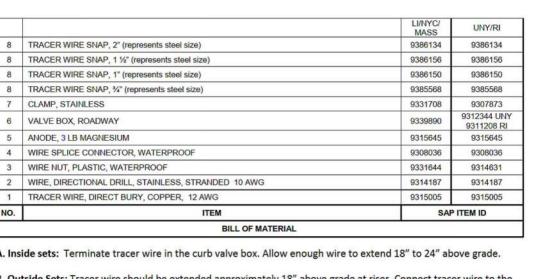












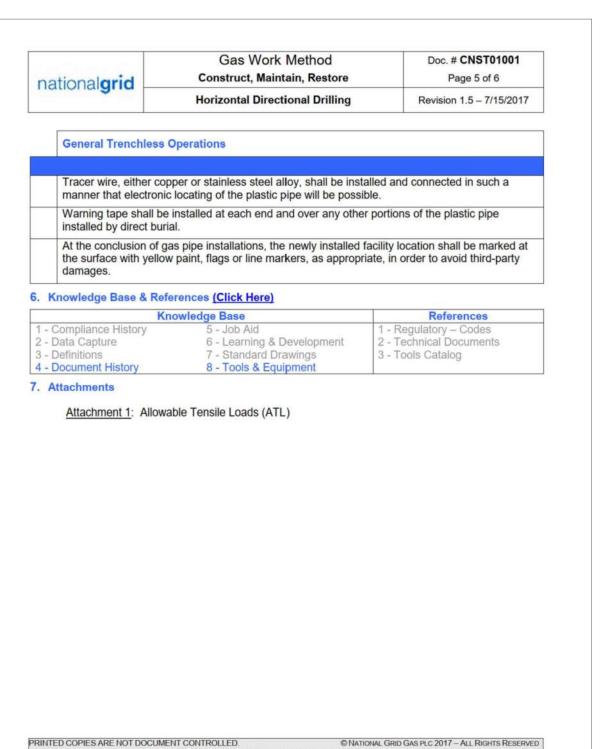
SEE NOTE M ESS POINT (SEE DETAIL C & NOTE H) f(x) = 1 f(x)	Image: State in the state	K. Tracer wire installed in boxes should allow enough wire to extend 18" to 24" abov L. Verification: upon completion, the installer shall verify the location of the main or and locating device and perform a mark out using the conductive method. M. LI and MA: Required to terminate the tracing wire with a 3# anode. This is to grou increase signal strength when locating. This practice is recommended in all areas whe Regional Notes NYC ONLY: refer to <u>Installation of Marker Tapes and EMS Pipeline Locators for Mains</u> for installation of electronic marker ball in place of tracer wire. UNCONTROLLED WHEN PRINTED Effective Date 06/25/2020	service using the tracer wire and the tracer wire and ere signal strength is an issue.
TO SERVICE SEE NOTE H (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3) (3)	 C. Partially tubed services: When the abandoned portion of an existing sets service pipe is used as a sieceve for the new plastic, all cut out sections of the steel pipe to be inserted with plastic, shall be connected using a section of tracer wire to maintain continuity. If the existing service is coated steel , see <u>installation of Test Stations for Cathodic Protection [030026-CS]</u> and <u>installation of Test Stations for Cathodic Protection [COR04003]</u> or contact corrosion department for more guidance. D. Thermite welding of tracer wire to abandoned steel service is only acceptable prior to insertion of the plastic tubing. See <u>installation of Test Stations for Cathodic Protection [030026-CS]</u>. E. Plastic Mains: The service tracer wire shall be connected to the plastic main tracer wire using item #3 detail A or item #4 (detail B - preferred) in accordance with <u>installing Wire Connections [COR04004]</u>. F. Coated Steel Mains: Do not connect the tracer wire to the steel main. See <u>installation of Test Stations for Cathodic Protection [030026-CS]</u> and <u>installation of Test Stations for Cathodic Protection [030026-CS]</u> or contact corrosion department for more guidance. G. Cast Iron or Bare steel Mains: Do not connect the tracer wire to the main. It is required in Ll and MA, and suggested in all other areas to terminate the tracing wire with a 3# anode. Tracer Wire Installation Notes H. Install tracer wire in close proximity to the plastic pipe. Approximately 4" to 6" away from the pipe. Ll & MA-Above or alongside, RI-Under or alongside. Exception: For trenchless pipe installations, the minimum clearance is waived. I. Maintain separation of approximately 4" from service riser. Do not permanently connect the tracer wire to the riser. J. For horizontal directional drill installations, use stainless wire, item #2. 		
NG	LP. OR H.P. CAST IRON STOP OFF	NOTES: A. FOR BYPASSES ON THE LP SYSTEM ONLY SCREW TEES AND BAGHOLE B. BACK UP STOPPERS WILL BE REQUIRED IF INSUFFICENT STOP OFF CAN STOPPERS WILL BE REQUIRED. C. STOP OFF CAN BE PERFORMED USING MUELLER, T.D. WILLIAMSON, KLI SYSTEMS.	N BE ACHIEVED OR IF WELDING BETWEEN THE
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	Horizontal Directional Drilling	Revision 1.5 – 7/15/2017		Horizontal Directional Drilling	Revision 1.5 – 7/15/20
He	orizontal Directional Drilling CNS	Γ01001		e operator and rod helper are manually loading mats shall be used when a rod helper is preser	-
1. Purpose The purpose of this door	cument is to provide guidelines to install gas d	istribution nine using Horizontal		tecting equipment shall be inspected before ea	
Directional Drilling (HD		istribution pipe using Honzontal	Electric Strike A		
a compression and a second	astic or steel main and service installations wit	th an MAOP of 124 psig or less.		rike alert systems shall be tested for proper op	peration before the start of e
b. HDD approved fo	or use by trained and qualified personnel.			cal strike does occur:	
c. For instructions s	pecific to a particular tool, consult the Knowled	dge Base Tool Link.	Do not n	move from the grounding mats, truck or trailer	
2. Responsibilities			Retract	rods one (1) stroke if drilling, never uncouple r	rods
Construct & Maintain sl				d one (1) stroke if back reaming, never uncour	
	cable One Call system in the area of the work	1. Frank 1		crewmember contact the utility company to sho	
	owners, property owners etc., to obtain location the One Call system along the proposed route		 If you are or 		
	e utilities in the cross-bore path		Do not n	move from where you are standing	
	I premises for sewer laterals within the project		Do not s	step on to or off of the grid mats	
 Refer to <u>Trench</u> prep. 	less Pipe Installation Site Assessment Requir	ements [CNST01002] for site	Do not to	ouch the boring unit, auxiliary power unit, traile	er, truck or transport vehicle
3. Personal & Process S	Safety		The voltage diff	ference between the equipment and ground as	s well as even between feet
	E (Personal Protective Equipment) shall be wo National Grid Safety Policy	orn and utilized in accordance	be sufficient to d	cause injury or death.	
_				inue to bore until the utility company has given	
	e Installation Site Assessment Requirements [art of any HDD operation.	CNST01002] shall be referred	strike dama	e strike alert system before continuing to bore ged the strike alert system.	e. It is possible that the elec
Before any pow	vered equipment or mechanical means is used	to excavate a cable avoidance	<u>Remote lock-ou</u> This is avail		
tool (CAT) shall	I be used to check the vicinity and the path of	the drill operation.		lable on certain HDD equipment only prevents accidental rod rotation	
The CAT tool sh	ould be checked daily prior to use.		o Where equi	ipped, remote lock out devices shall be tested shall not proceed if remote lockout devices are	
	pproved N-100 filtering face piece mask shall b pnite or similar powdered products used for dri			n Required Tasks [Qualified or Directed & C	
	mitting requirements, including environmental,		 Task 31 – Insta 	Illation of Pipe	
bentonite			Task 70 – Prop	erties of Gas and Abnormal Condition	
	ing equipment shall be used when undergroun enchless technology path of the pipe installation		5. Content		
 Electrically i 	insulated boots shall be worn by bore operator	r, rod helper and boring tool	Horizontal Directio	onal Drilling (HDD) Operation	
locator.	insulated aloves shall be warn when			a view of the second se	
	insulated gloves shall be worn when: e operator stands on the ground alongside the	ria while utilizina borina	Operators shall not	use pipe wrenches on drill rods or change drill	heads unless the system
	pment			ngaged (if equipped) and the unit is shutdown a	
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na	tional grid			
_		Horizontal Dire	ctional Drilling	Revision 1.5 – 7/15/2017
		and larger diameter instal larger reamers may be re		wed by a back ream process
		must be inspected at prev sing locations to ensure a		ations at perpendicular
	The diameter of th of the pipe.	e back reamed hole shou	ld typically be 1.5 times	s the nominal outside diameter
	Inspection of PE p	ipe:		
	that excee	ed 10% of wall thickness)		s (scratches and/or gouges
	excavation	mages exist, check all vis ns; determine the point of	damage and remedy	-
		to pull the plastic pipe into for a continuous length of		shows no evidence of such) feet
	Inspection of steel	pipe:		
	 Inspect pij 	pe for gouge or pipe-wrap	ping damage and make	e necessary repairs.
	 A swivel s during pul 		rotational torque being	transferred to the product
	For PE gas installa leading end of the		hall be installed in line	between the swivel and the
	Limit the A	Allowable Tensile Load (A	TL) of the PE	
		ver stressing of the facility		
				e link should be inspected prior r various size and density of
600		pipe with a nominal diame away link is permitted.	ter of one (1) inch or le	ss, pullback by hand without
(eans without the use of an nsile Stress as per <u>Attachment</u>
	Drill mud must be	used with correct circulat	on flows and mixture to	protect the pipe from damage
	except for the norr		e out the drill stem. App	ng pullback is inadvisable proximately 1% additional nd for joining to the next
		d shall be removed from backfilling and final resto		p of "frac" outs must be g fluid is a disposal alternative.
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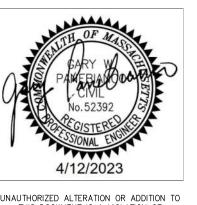
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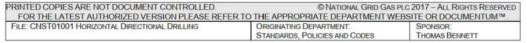


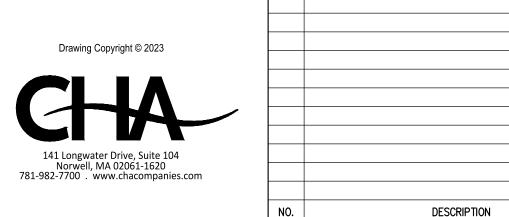
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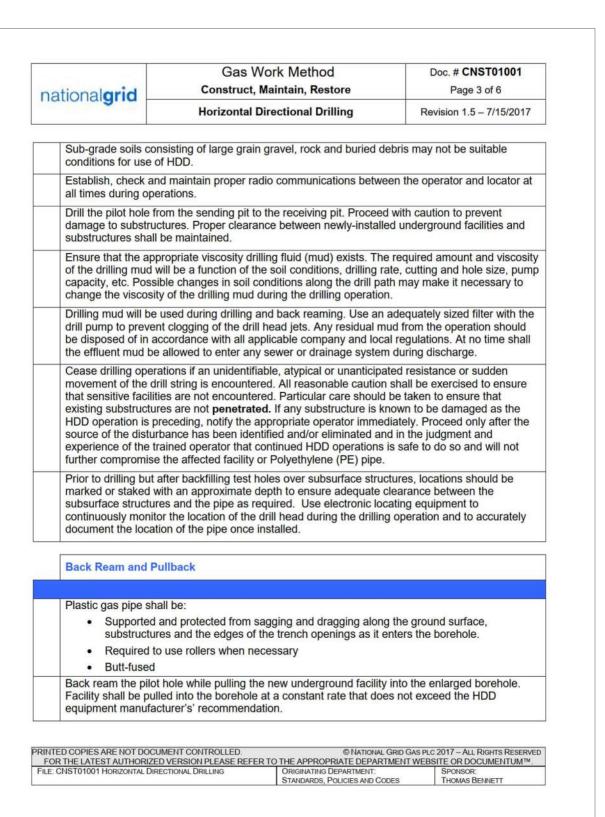
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SITE PHOTOGRAPHS







Photo #1: View of Hop Brook from Union Ave bridge. Facing southeast.



Photo #2: View of the exposed gas main on Union Ave bridge. Facing north.





Photo #3: View of the exposed gas main on Union Ave. Facing southwest.



Photo #4: View of Hop Brook Union Ave. Facing northwest.

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Photo #5: View of wetland SU-W1 on the west side of Union Ave. Facing southwest.



Photo #6: View of wetland SU-W1 on the west side of Union Ave. Facing northwest.

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Photo #7: View of Union Ave over Hop Brook. Facing southwest.



Photo #9: View of Codjer Lane culvert. Facing northwest.

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Photo #10: View of wetland SU-W2, on the north side of Codjer Lane. Facing north.



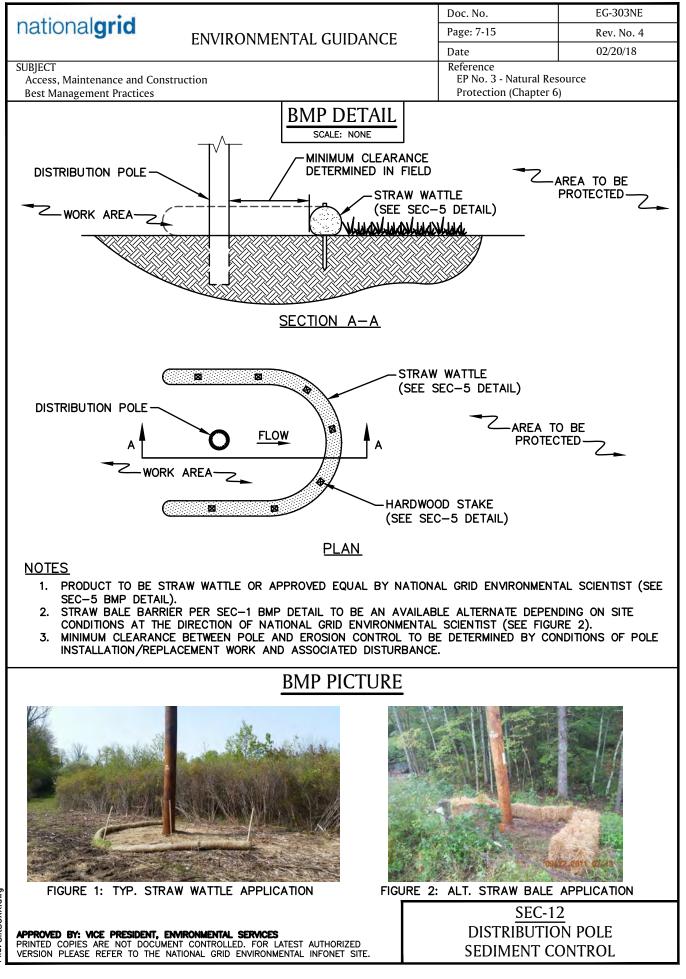
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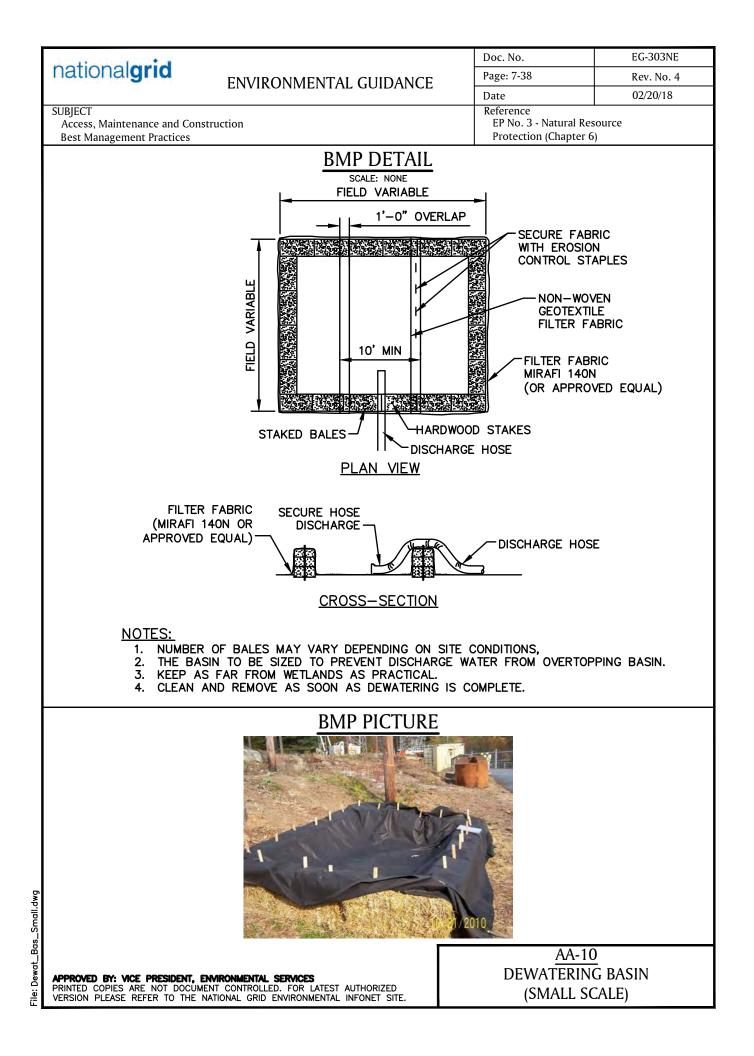
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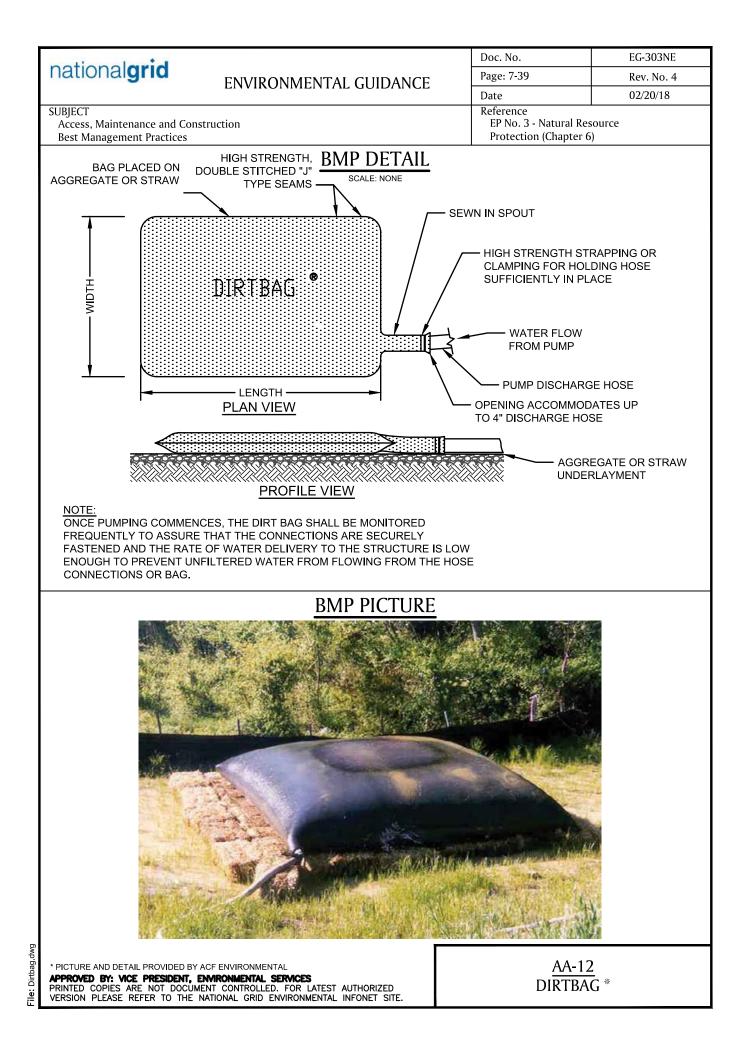
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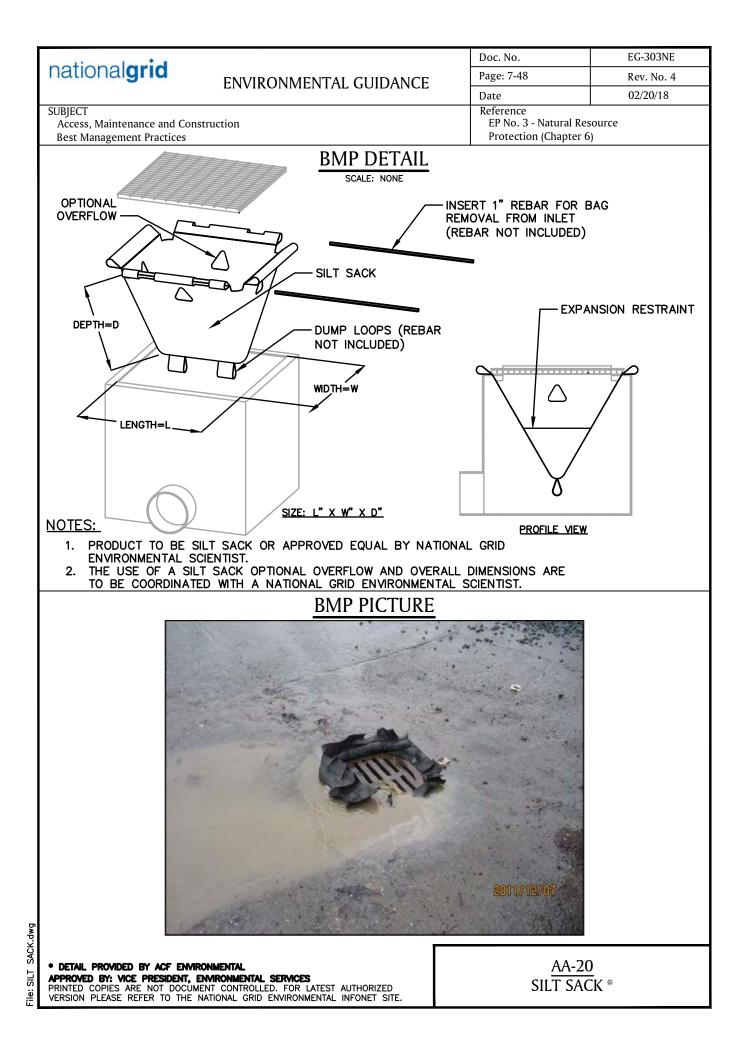
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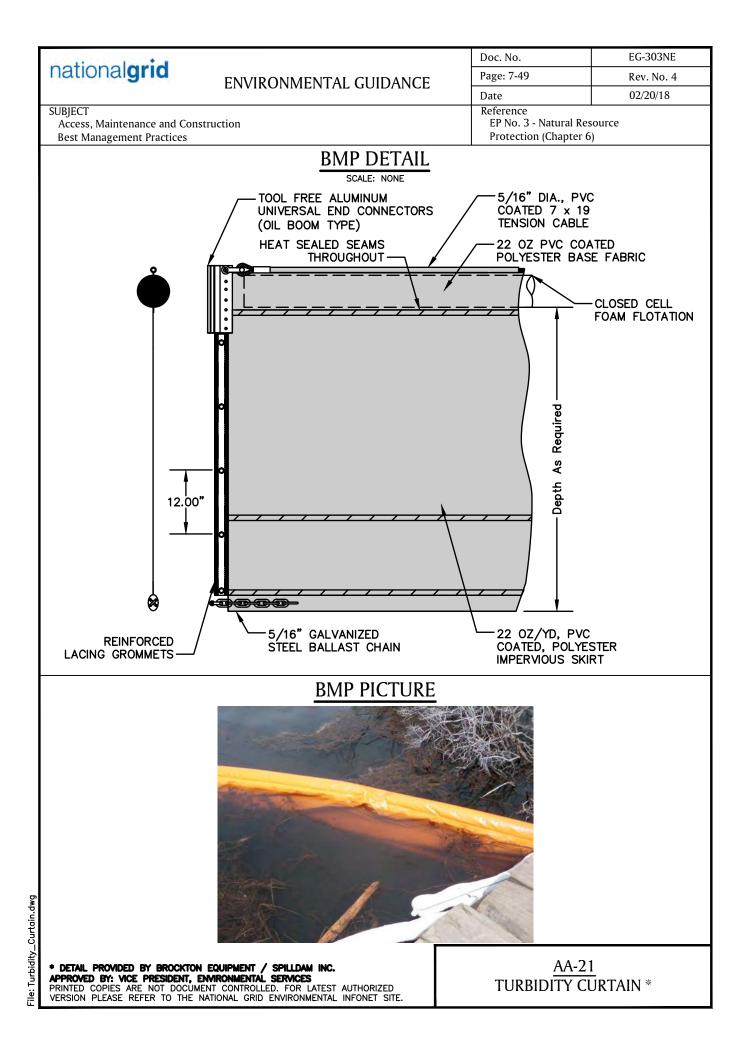












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> ABUTTER NOTIFICATION LETTER CERTIFIED LIST OF ABUTTERS AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE- TO BE PROVIDED



Notification to Abutters Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the Sudbury Wetlands Administrative Bylaw

In accordance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40, you are hereby notified of the following:

- A. The name of the **Applicant** is **Boston Gas Company**
- B. The Applicant has filed a Notice of Intent with the Sudbury Conservation Commission seeking permission to work in an Area Subject to Protection (Wetland Resource Area and/or Buffer Zone) under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (General Laws Chapter 131, Sec.40) and the Town of Sudbury Wetlands Administrative Bylaw.
- C. The <u>address</u> of the lot where the activity is proposed: <u>Union Ave & Codjer Lane, Sudbury MA</u>
- D. The proposed activity is: Boston Gas Company (BGC) proposes to replace existing gas mains at the intersection of Union Avenue and Codjer Lane in Sudbury, MA. Proposed activities include the abandonment of approximately 270 feet of 3-inch plastic and coated steel at the culvert crossing and replacement of approximately -300-feet of 4-inch plastic via open trench and HDD methodology.
- E. A **Public Hearing** regarding this Notice of Intent will be held on: Monday, <u>November 13th</u> at 6:30 PM.
- F. **Public Participation will be via Virtual Means Only** In light of the ongoing COVID-19 coronavirus outbreak, Governor Baker issued an emergency Order on March 12, 2020, allowing public bodies greater flexibility in utilizing technology in the conduct of meetings under the Open Meeting Law. The Town of Sudbury Conservation Commission greatly values the participation of its citizens in the public meeting process, but given the current circumstances and recommendations at both the state and federal levels to limit or avoid public gatherings, including Governor Baker's ban on gatherings of more than 10 people, together with the present closure of Sudbury Town Hall and other public buildings to the public, the Town has decided to implement the "remote participation" procedures allowed under Governor Baker's emergency Order for all boards, committees, and commissions.

G The public may participate in this meeting via Remote Participation:

From your computer, smart phone or tablet:

- https://zoom.us/j/98803339162
- Meeting ID: <u>988 0333 9162</u>
- From your phone: **978-639-3366** or **470 250 9358**
- H Copies of the Notice of Intent may be examined by visiting this Website: https://sudbury.ma.us/conservationcommission/meetings/
- I. Copies of the Notice of Intent may be obtained from either The Applicant, or the Applicant's representative <u>Carolyn Gorss, BSC Group</u>, by calling this telephone number: (617) 896-4341 between the hours of <u>9am-5pm</u>

Note: Public Hearing Notice, including its date, time, and place, will be published at least 5 days in advance in either the Sudbury Crier or MetroWest newspapers (at the applicant's expense).

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HDD CONTINGENCY PLAN



HDD Overview and Contingency Plan Purpose

HDD is a method of creating a crossing path beneath a surface without intruding directly on that surface area, compared to conventional open-cut trenching methods where the surface feature(s) would otherwise sustain direct disturbance. HDD uses specific drilling equipment capable of boring a drill path at a shallow inclined angle into the subsurface, and steering the borehole at depth beneath a surface feature(s), such as a stream, roadway, railroad, or combination of these features, and re-emerging within an excavation pit on the other side of the designated surface area. Once the borehole is created, it is successively reamed by larger bits until the borehole is wide enough for pre-assembled pipeline to be pulled through the borehole. Pipeline segments are connected to the two ends of the HDD segment once it has been successfully pulled back through the HDD borehole.

HDD drilling requires specialized drilling equipment to allow shallow-angled entry of a drill bit, steering and remote telemetry tracking of the drill head and advancing the drill string by addition of successive segments of drill pipe until a pre-determined exit point is reached. HDD requires drill "mud" to be pumped down the drill string through the head of the drill bit. Drill mud is required for several critical functions:

- It cools the drill head and string as it grinds through soil and/or rock;
- It helps to lubricate and support the borehole side-walls while the bit and drill string pass through;
- It provides a fluid to carry rock and soil cuttings in suspension from the drill path face back to the point of entry so the cuttings can be cleared from the HDD borehole path; and
- It assists in stabilizing an open bore hole, by exerting positive pressure on the borehole wall and through the buildup of a wall cake, also produces a bridging mechanism to hold soil particles in place.

The drill mud must be maintained under pressure within the borehole in order to carry out all of these functions.

HDD crossings are specifically designed to follow a pre-determined path to carry the boring at depths below the surface area being crossed so as to avoid disturbance of the surface area and create a borehole of sufficient diameter and configuration to allow the conduit to pass through the completed borehole smoothly from end to end once the HDD is completed.

Despite specific engineering design of an HDD crossing, it is possible to unexpectedly lose circulation of the drill mud. Lost circulation may be signified by unexpected drop of the desired pressure of the drill mud, failure of it to return to the borehole entry point, or change in other monitored conditions during HDD drilling. A "inadvertent return" is the condition where drilling mud is inadvertently

released through the soil stratigraphy or fractured bedrock and travels to the surface. Because drill mud must be maintained under pressure the potential for an inadvertent return tends to be greatest where the HDD drill path is near the entry or exit points of the drill. Other features, such as unexpected geologic fractures or material may also provide pathways for loss of pressure and circulation that could lead to inadvertent returns at other points along an HDD drill path.

Drilling muds consist largely of a bentonite clay-water mixture, sometimes with non-toxic polymer additives to maintain specific viscosity, density or other properties. Bentonite is a naturally occurring type of clay, is non-toxic and commonly used in farming practices.

The purpose of this Contingency Plan is to:

- Minimize the potential for an inadvertent return associated with HDD activities
- Provide for the timely detection of lost drilling mud circulation and the inadvertent return(s) that may result
- Protect areas that are considered environmentally sensitive (streams, wetlands, other ecological resources, cultural resources)
- Ensure and establish organized, timely, and "minimum-impact" response procedures to address loss of circulation and inadvertent return loss and the proposed clean-up of the event.
- Provide for notifications to the applicable parties and regulatory agencies, in the event an inadvertent drilling mud loss occurs.

Measures to be deployed as part of this contingency plan include site inspection, proper training of the contractor and construction personnel, development of response procedures, deployment of containment materials ahead of drilling and at locations to allow timely and minimum impact use of the materials, and implementation of appropriate clean up procedures. These measures are described in detail below.

Site Personnel Responsibilities

National Grid has overall responsibility for implementing this contingency plan. National Grid will be familiar with the aspects of the HDD drilling and plan for the project, the contents of this contingency plan and the conditions of approval under which the activity is permitted to take place. National Grid will provide a copy of this plan to its construction personnel involved with performance of and potential response to the HDD crossing. National Grid will ensure that workers are properly trained and familiar with the necessary procedures for response to an inadvertent return, prior to initiation of drilling operations. National Grid will provide the anticipated schedule of HDD operations around protected streams, rivers, wetlands, cultural resource sites and other features (non- road, structure or railroad bores) to the site inspector responsible for monitoring environmental compliance ("Environmental Inspector" or "EI").

Monitoring of HDD operations by National Grid will include the following parameters in order to evaluate and detect potential loss of circulation or inadvertent return during drilling operations:

- Monitor the direction, progress and telemetry of the drill head and drill string along the designed HDD drill path.
- Monitor the condition and character of soil & rock cuttings emerging from the borehole for consistency with geologic conditions anticipated along the drill path.
- Monitor drill mud pressure for unexpected changes (particularly decreases in pressure) as the borehole is advanced.
- Perform visual monitoring of the ground surface along the drill path for signs of inadvertent return (unexpected expansion cracks or emergence of drill mud)

Field crews will provide timely notifications and responses to observed inadvertent returns in accordance with procedures identified in the contingency plan.

Notifications

Upon indication of a potential loss of circulation, National Grid shall notify the drill foreman & appropriate drilling personnel to temporarily suspend drilling operations until verification can be made that an inadvertent return has not occurred. If it is determined that an inadvertent return has occurred, the drilling procedure will be discontinued until clean-up and repair has been successfully implemented and Owner has authorized drilling to commence.

National Grid shall also notify its response personnel to implement containment and response procedures summarized below.

National Grid and the host utility will have the authority to stop work and commit the resources (personnel and equipment) necessary to implement this plan. National Grid and/or the Construction supervisor are responsible for promptly notifying the host utility of the inadvertent return, and coordinating personnel to oversee proper clean-up and disposal of recovered material. The host utility will be on the ROW, available during drilling operations to consult with HDD personnel and conduct inspections. The host utility will inspect the drilling operation (e.g., monitoring HDD drill path during pilot hole operations) for the purpose of identifying signs of inadvertent return and will coordinate with the Construction supervisor to implement the appropriate measures to address an inadvertent return. Should an inadvertent return occur, the host utility will evaluate the situation and location, and will determine the appropriate level of response to the incident based on the guidelines contained in this contingency plan. To the extent practicable, the host utility will consult with Owner before determining the appropriate level of response to the incident.

Training

Prior to the start of construction, the Construction supervisor and EI will verify that the construction field crew members receive the following site-specific training:

- review provisions of the contingency plan, equipment maintenance and site-specific permit and monitoring requirements;
- review location of sensitive environmental resources at the site and relevant permit conditions, including any cultural resource site locations, avoidance or restriction measures;
- review inspection procedures for inadvertent return prevention and be familiar with containment equipment and materials;
- review contractor/crew obligations to temporarily suspend forward progress of the drilling upon first evidence of the occurrence of lost circulation and potential inadvertent return, and to report any observed inadvertent returns to the EI;
- review operation of inadvertent return control equipment and the location of inadvertent return control materials, as necessary and appropriate; and
- review protocols for reporting observed inadvertent returns and project team communication with appropriate regulatory agencies.

<u>Pre-Construction Considerations</u>:

Prior to construction, environmental and cultural resources will be protected by implementing the following measures:

- Environmental, biological and cultural surveys, clearances and applicable permitting for proposed HDD and associated workspace(s) will have been completed prior to commencing drilling operations in order to minimize potential impacts to resources.
- Where present, sensitive resources within the construction right-of-way (CROW) will be flagged for avoidance, restricted activity locations, and construction limits will be clearly marked.
- Barriers (straw bales or sedimentation fences) will be erected between the bore site and nearby sensitive resources within or bounding the edge of the CROW prior to drilling, as appropriate, to prevent the potential for released material to reach resources nearby.
- On-site briefings will be conducted for the workers to ensure they have received site specific training for the HDD drilling operations and contingencies for drilling fluid inadvertent return procedures and clean-up.
- Ensure that all field personnel understand their responsibility for timely reporting of inadvertent returns.

• Maintaining necessary response equipment on-site or at a readily accessible location(s) and in good working order.

The drilling entry and exit areas will be clearly marked, surrounded by construction fencing and silt fencing to minimize the potential for on-site migration of drilling mud. Access and egress locations will be designated and clearly marked.

The primary areas of concern for inadvertent returns typically occur near the entrance and exit points where the drill bit and leading parts of the drill string is at depths of less than 20 feet deep. The likelihood of inadvertent return decreases as the depth of the pipe increases.

Inadvertent Return Contingency Response Plan

If an inadvertent return is suspected:

- National Grid will temporarily suspend all HDD drilling operations immediately upon a substantive lack of drilling fluid return or a drop in back pressure in the drilling pipe or other indications of potential inadvertent return occurrence.
- Pipeline construction personnel tasked with the observation of the directional drill path shall be dispatched to walk the alignment and visually monitor the area for inadvertent drilling fluid release and report back any findings.

If an inadvertent return is identified:

- All work stops, including the recycling of drilling mud/lubricant. The pressure of water above the pipe will keep excess mud from escaping through the fracture. Drilling operations will be suspended if the release poses a threat to human health and safety or the environment.
- Owner shall be notified of the findings and release location and in return will contact the appropriate concerned parties and regulatory agencies as necessary.
- Determine the location and extent of the inadvertent return. The host utility will document the size, impact and conditions of the release with notes and photographs.
- Immediately contain the inadvertent drilling fluid return to minimize further migration of drilling fluids/slurry mixture across the surrounding area by use of hay bales, sand bags, or silt fencing to surround and contain the drilling mud.
- Direction from the Environmental Inspector shall be followed for clean-up and mitigation requirements.
- Remove the drilling fluids and restore the site to pre-existing conditions. Clean-up work will be performed by hand if a vacuum truck cannot access the release area. The clean-up shall be to

the maximum extent possible. All waste and collected materials will be disposed of at an approved location or recycled to the return pit.

- The host utility shall document the conditions of the cleaned up area with photographs.
- If the release area is not accessible, Owner will consult with the landowner(s) regarding next appropriate action, including leaving the drilling mud in place to avoid potential damage from vehicles entering the area or safety concerns to personnel.
- Once excess drilling mud is removed, the area will be seeded and/or replanted using species similar to those in the adjacent area, or allowed to re-grow from existing vegetation at the direction of National Grid

Containment Materials

At a minimum, the following containment, response, and clean-up equipment will be available in sufficient quantities proximate to the HDD site, during all drilling operations at the time such crossing occurs:

- straw bales/hay bales and 2 stakes per bale (min.);
- weighted sediment logs, sand/gravel bags;
- silt fence;
- erosion control blankets;
- plastic sheeting;
- turbidity barriers;
- shovels, pails, drums;
- push brooms;
- squeegees;
- pumps with sufficient hoses;
- mud storage tanks; and
- vacuum truck on 24-hour call, with 1 hour response time.

Photographs of inadvertent drilling fluid return shall be taken to document the size, location and clean- up procedures of any inadvertent return occurrence.

 If drilling mud congeals, take no other action that would potentially suspend sediments in the water column. Monitor the inadvertent return for at least 2 hours to determine if the drilling mud congeals. (Bentonite will usually harden, effectively sealing the inadvertent return location).

- If drilling mud does not congeal, erect isolation/containment environment (underwater boom and curtain).
- If the fracture becomes excessively large, a spill response team would be called in to contain and clean up excess drilling mud in the water. Phone numbers of spill response teams in the area will be on site.
- If the spill affects an area that is vegetated, the area will be seeded and/or replanted using species similar to those in the adjacent area or allowed to re-grow from existing vegetation at the direction of National Grid.
- Revegetated areas will be monitored to confirm revegetation is successful.
- After inadvertent return is stabilized and any required removal is completed, the host utility shall document post-cleanup conditions with photographs and prepare inadvertent return incident report describing time, place, actions taken to remediate the inadvertent return and measures implemented to prevent recurrence.

Response Close-Out

- Drilling mud will be cleaned up by hand using hand shovels, buckets and soft bristled brooms as possible without causing damage to existing vegetation. Fresh water washes will be employed if deemed beneficial and feasible.
- The recovered drilling fluid will either be recycled to the return pit or hauled to an approved facility for disposal. No recovered drilling fluids will be discharged into streams, storm drains or any other water source. Off-site disposal in other than commercially operated disposal locations is subject to compliance with all applicable survey, landowner permission, and mitigation requirements. These materials will not be disposed on or buried in agricultural lands without landowner permission. Other construction materials and wastes shall be recycled, or disposed of, as appropriate.
- All inadvertent return excavation and clean-up sites will be returned to pre-project contours using clean fill, as necessary.
- All containment measures (fiber rolls, straw bale, etc.) will be removed, unless otherwise specified by the host utility.
- Containment structures will be pumped out and the ground surface scraped to bare topsoil without causing undue loss of topsoil or ancillary damage to existing and adjacent vegetation. Bare soil will be seeded and stabilized with mulch or erosion blankets as

applicable. Material will be collected in containers for temporary storage prior to removal from the site.

Construction Re-start

For releases not requiring external notification, drilling may continue, if 100 percent containment is achieved through the use of a leak stopping compound or redirection of the bore and the clean-up crew remains at the inadvertent return location until directed by the host utility that the HDD operations have stabilized and release potential has subsided.

If the release poses a threat to human health and safety or the environment, drilling operations will not recommence until conditions have been adequately addressed. For releases requiring external notification to applicable agencies, construction activities will not restart without prior approval from Owner.

Prior to restart, National Grid shall evaluate the current drill profile (e.g., drill pressures, pump volume rates, drilling mud consistency) to identify means to prevent further inadvertent return events.

Crossing Alternatives

During construction of the HDD, should there be an inadvertent return, the measures in this plan will be employed to respond. If necessary, before determining HDD construction infeasible, alternate drill path profiles may be developed to modify approach in response to site specific drilling conditions or to avoid further inadvertent return conditions.