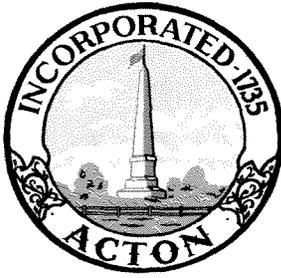


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Engineering Department

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**INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION**

**To:** Board of Selectmen

**Date:** August 10, 2006

**From:** Engineering Dept. 

**Subject:** Boston Edison Petition – install UP #24/82XA – by the Acton Water District driveway

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We have reviewed the petition from the Boston Edison Company and Verizon New England, Inc. for the purpose of installing a new utility pole (UP #24/82XA) on High Street adjacent to the Acton Water District driveway located within an easement on the property owned by the shopping plaza. Boston Edison and Verizon stated that the new utility pole is necessary to accommodate the new pump station.

Based on the proposed sewer plans, we have about a 10-foot wide road shoulder. The new pole (UP 24/82XA) is shown to be about 4 feet from the existing edge of pavement for High Street. We would recommend that the new pole location be 3 feet from the edge of the pavement. This will provide sufficient room for a sidewalk behind the pole along with 2 feet +/- in order to re-grade the area without encroaching onto private property.

We do not foresee any problems with granting this petition.



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**Walter Foster, Chairman  
Board of Selectmen**

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August 1, 2006

**Boston Edison Company and Verizon, New England, Inc.**

The Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing on September 11, 2006 at 7:05 P.M. in the Selectmen's Hearing Room (The Frances Faulkner Room) for the following request. Boston Edison Company and Verizon New England, Inc. are petitioning the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of obtaining a Grant of Location to install (1) pole 24/82XA, High Street, Acton. Northerly side, approximately 550 feet Northwest of Powder Mill Road. This work is to accommodate a new pump station.

Very truly yours,  
Walter Foster, Chairman

 **Boston Edison**  
157 Cordaville Road  
Southborough, Massachusetts 01772

7-28-06

Board of Selectmen  
Town Hall  
Acton, MA 01720

RE: High Street  
W.O. #1509786  
Hearing Required

Dear Members of the Board:

The enclosed petition and plan is being presented by the Boston Edison Company and Verizon New England, Inc. for the purpose of obtaining a Grant of Location to install one (1) pole 24/82XA, High Street, Acton.

This work is necessary to accommodate new pump station.

If you have any further questions, please contact Christine Cosby @ (508) 305-6989. Your prompt attention to this matter would be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,



Richard M. Schifone  
Rights & Permits Supervisor

RMS/laa  
Enclosures

**PETITION OF BOSTON EDISON COMPANY AND OTHER COMPANIES FOR JOINT  
OR IDENTICAL LOCATIONS FOR POLES**

To the **Board of Selectmen** of the Town of **ACTON**, Massachusetts:

Respectfully represent **BOSTON EDISON COMPANY** and **VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.** companies subject to Chapter 166 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), that they desire to construct a line upon, along and across the public way or ways hereinafter specified.

WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray that after due notice and hearing as provided by law the **Board of Selectmen** may by Order grant your petitioners joint or identical locations for the erection or construction of poles, to be owned and used in common by them, and for such other fixtures including anchors and guys as may be necessary to sustain or protect the wires of the line, said poles to be located, substantially as shown on the plans made by **A. Debenedictis**, dated **July 13, 2006**, and filed herewith, upon, along and across the following public way or ways of said Town:

**High Street -                    Northerly side, approximately 550 feet northwest of Powder Mill Road  
One (1) pole (24/82XA)  
Hearing Required**

Also for permission to lay and maintain underground laterals, cables and wires in the above or intersecting public ways for the purpose of making connections with such poles and buildings as each of said petitioners may desire for distributing purposes. Your petitioners agree to reserve space for one crossarm at a suitable point upon each of said poles for the telephone, fire and police signal wires owned by the Town and used for municipal purposes.

**BOSTON EDISON COMPANY**

By Richard M. Schifone  
Richard M. Schifone, Supervisor  
Rights & Permits

**VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.**

By Kelley-Ann Condon  
Right of Way Manager

Dated this                    day of                    **2006**

Town of **ACTON** , Massachusetts.

Received and filed \_\_\_\_\_ 2006

**ORDER FOR JOINT OR IDENTICAL LOCATIONS FOR POLES**

Town of **ACTON**, Massachusetts

WHEREAS, **BOSTON EDISON COMPANY** and **VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.** have petitioned for joint or identical locations for the erection or construction of poles to be owned and used in common by them upon, along and across the public way or ways of the Town hereinafter specified, and notice has been given and a hearing held on said petition as provided by law.

It is ORDERED that **BOSTON EDISON COMPANY** and **VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.** be and hereby are granted joint or identical locations for the erection or construction of poles, to be owned and used in common by them, and for such other fixtures including anchors and guys as may be necessary to sustain or protect the wires of the line upon, along and across the following public way or ways of said Town:

**High Street - Northerly side, approximately 550 feet northwest of Powder Mill Road  
One (1) pole (24/82XA)**

All construction work under this Order shall be in accordance with the following conditions: Poles shall be of sound timber and located as shown on a plans made by **A. Debenedictis** dated **July 13, 2006** on file with said petition. There may be attached to said poles by said **BOSTON EDISON COMPANY** and by said **VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.** wires and cables necessary for the conduct of their business. All such wires and cables shall be placed at a height of not less than eighteen feet from the ground at crossings of other ways and at not less than fourteen feet from the ground elsewhere.

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\_\_\_\_\_ Selectmen of  
the Town of  
**ACTON**

**CERTIFICATE**

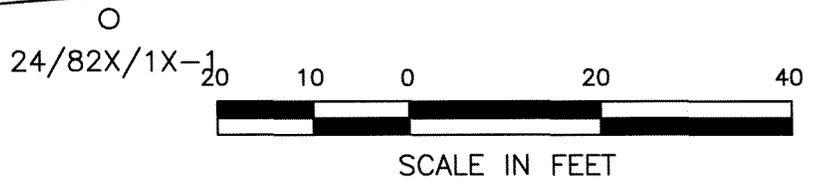
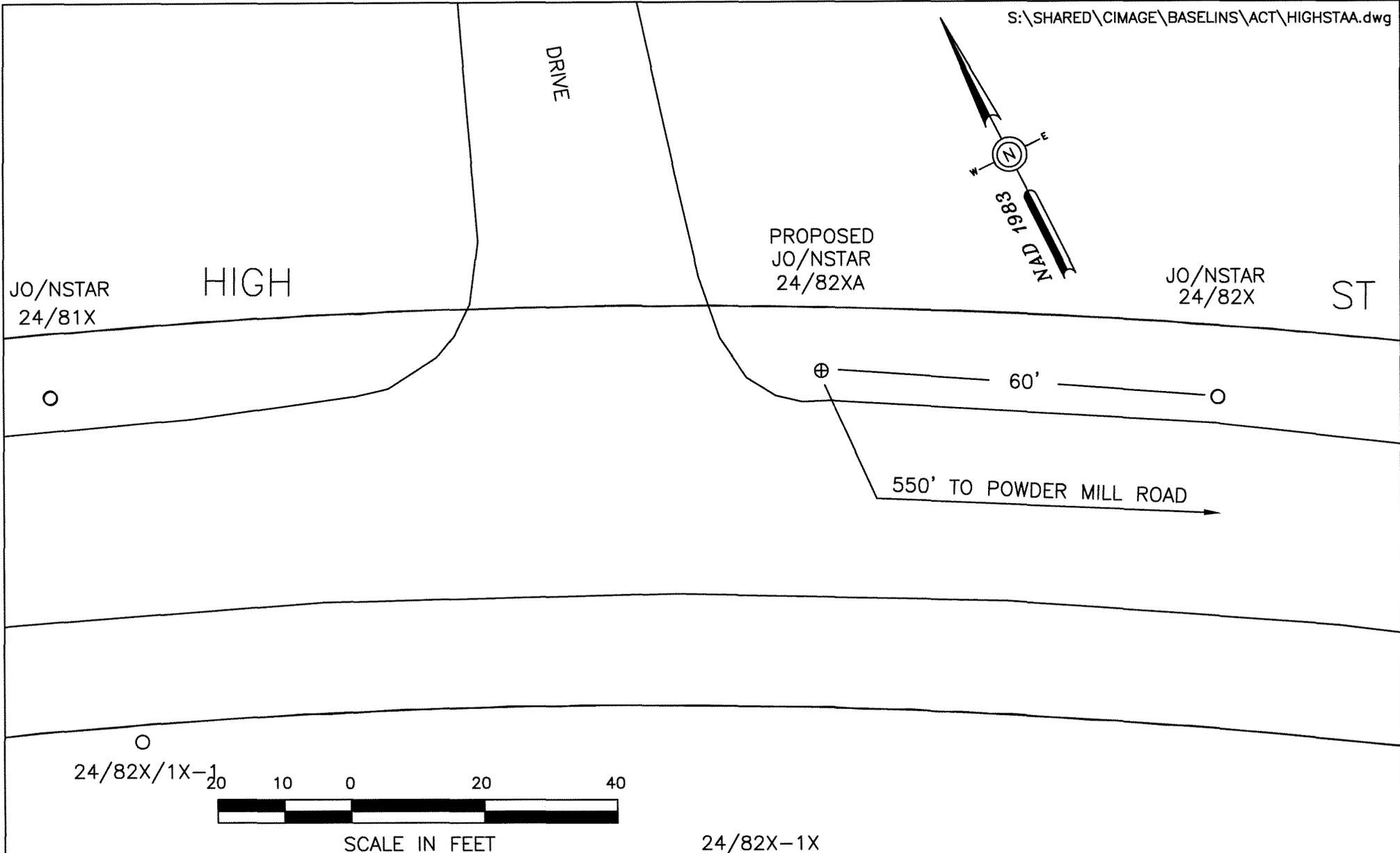
We hereby certify that the foregoing Order was adopted after due notice and a public hearing as prescribed by Section 22 of Chapter 166 of the General Laws (Ter.Ed.), and any additions thereto or amendments thereof, to wit: -after written notice of the time and place of the hearing mailed at least seven days prior to the date of the hearing by the Selectmen to all owners of real estate abutting upon that part of the way or ways upon, along or across which the line is to be constructed under said Order, as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation, and a public hearing held at \_\_\_\_\_ in said Town on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2006 at \_\_\_\_\_ P.M.

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\_\_\_\_\_ Selectmen of  
the Town of  
**ACTON**

**CERTIFICATE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing are true copies of the Order of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of **ACTON** Massachusetts, duly adopted on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2006, and recorded with records of location Orders of said Town, Book \_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_, and of the certificate of notice of hearing thereon required by Section 22 of Chapter 166 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), and any additions thereto or amendments thereof, as the same appear of record.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Town of **ACTON**, Massachusetts



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| Proposed pole locations shown thus         | ⊕              |
| Pole locations to be abandoned, shown thus | ●              |
| Proposed Anchor Guy shown thus             | T              |
| Proposed Hip Guy shown thus                | T <sub>H</sub> |
| Proposed Underground location shown thus   | —              |
| Proposed Push Brace shown thus             | ⊕              |
| Existing Pole location shown thus          | ○              |

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| C#            |              |
| Ward #        |              |
| Work Order #  | 1509786      |
| Surveyed by   | NSTAR/MER    |
| Structures by | RB           |
| Plotted by    | MER          |
| Approved A.   | DEBENEDICTIS |
| P#            |              |


**Boston Edison**  
d/b/a  
**NSTAR**  
ELECTRIC

GIS SERVICES  
1185 MASSACHUSETTS AVE. DORCHESTER, MASS. 02125

Plan of HIGH ST  
ACTON

Showing PROPOSED POLE LOCATION

Scale 1" = 20' Date JULY 13, 2006

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

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