



TOWN OF ACTON
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Engineering Department

INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

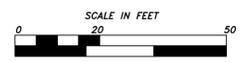
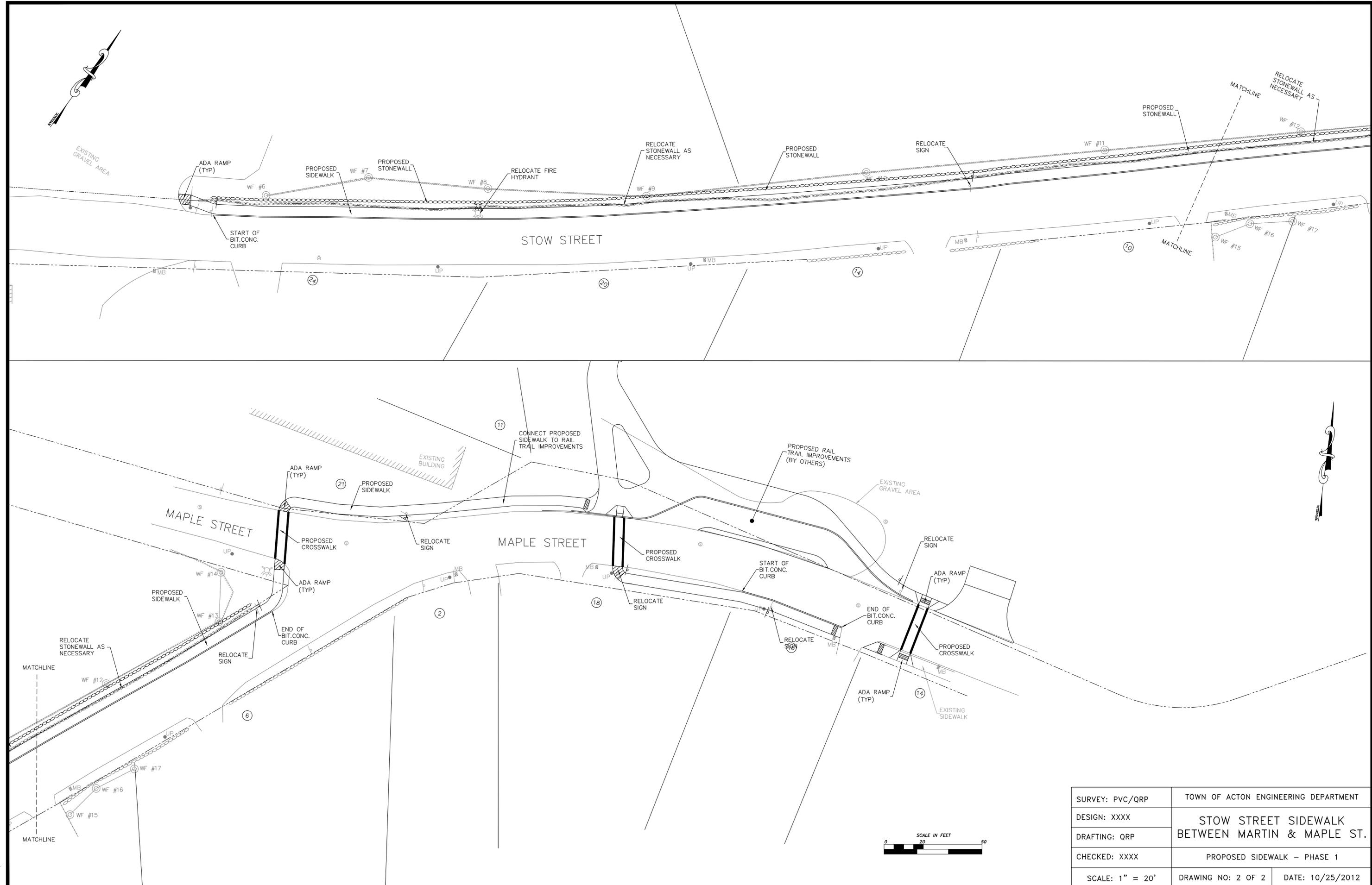
To: Board of Selectmen **Date:** March 21, 2016
From: Engineering Department
Subject: Eversource Petition – Stow & Maple Streets

We have reviewed the petitions from NStar to relocate multiple utility poles and anchor guys along Stow and Maple Streets to accommodate the Assabet River Rail Trail.

The Town is proposing a new sidewalk in the area. We've attached the proposed plan along with this memo. We request that Eversource relocate their poles in a manner that would provide room for the proposed sidewalk. In particular, utility pole #33/4 should also be relocated a minimum 6-foot off the edge of the roadway to provide space for the proposed sidewalk. The new utility pole #33/5s should also be located to provide space for the sidewalk and all guy poles in this area should be required to allow for the vertical clearance needed for a sidewalk.

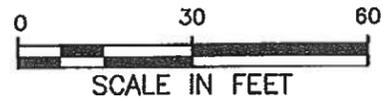
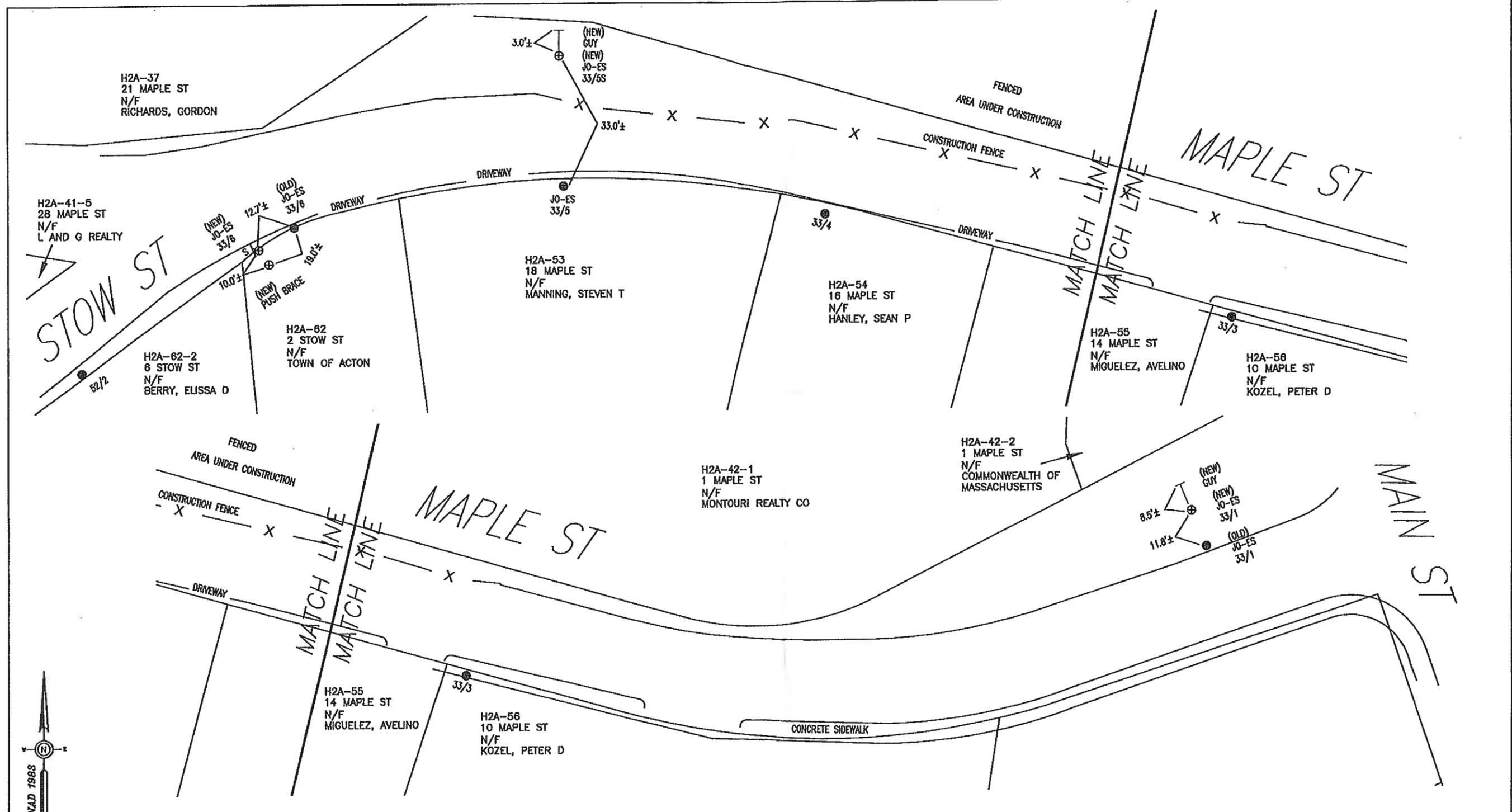
Eversource has shown that the proposed work will take place within the public right-of-way of the road and on Town property. If any work occurs on private property, Eversource will need to obtain an easement agreement with the property owner.

We don't foresee an issue in approving this request. Please let us know if you have any questions or comments regarding this matter.



SURVEY: PVC/QRP	TOWN OF ACTON ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT	
DESIGN: XXXX	STOW STREET SIDEWALK BETWEEN MARTIN & MAPLE ST.	
DRAFTING: QRP	PROPOSED SIDEWALK - PHASE 1	
CHECKED: XXXX	DRAWING NO: 2 OF 2	DATE: 10/25/2012
SCALE: 1" = 20'		

Drawing name: P:\Drawings\STOW STREET\Sidewalk - Martin to Maple\Proposed Sidewalk-option1.dwg
 Nov 04, 2013 1: 7:32pm



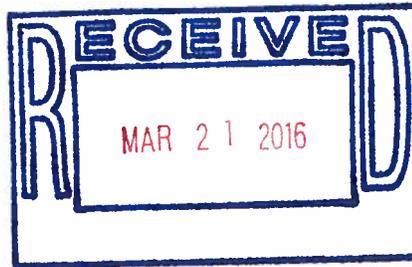
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Proposed pole locations shown thus	⊕	C#	
Pole locations to be abandoned, shown thus	○	Ward #	
Proposed Anchor Guy shown thus	T	Work Order #	2085393
Proposed Hip Guy shown thus	T	Surveyed by:	LM/BS
Proposed Underground location shown thus	—	Research by:	SC
Proposed Push Brace shown thus	⊕	Plotted by:	BS
Existing Pole location shown thus	●	Proposed Structures:	LM
		Approved:	A DEBENEDICTIS
		P#	
		<small>A Northeast Utilities Company 1185 MASSACHUSETTS AVE, DORCHESTER, MASS. 02125</small>	
		Plan of MAPLE ST	
		ACTON	
		Showing PROPOSED POLE RELOCATION & ANCHOR GUY	
		Scale	1"=30'
		Date	9/3/2015
		SHEET	1 of 1

March 10, 2016

Board of Selectmen
Acton Town Hall
472 Main Street
Acton, MA 01720



RE: Maple Street
Acton, MA
W.O. #2085393

Hearing Required

Dear Members of the Board:

The enclosed petition and plan is being presented by the NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a as EVERSOURCE ENERGY and VERIZON for the purpose of relocating two (2) poles 33/6, 33/1 and install one (1) stub pole 33/5S and one (1) anchor guy, Maple Street, Acton.

This work is necessary to accommodate MassDOT Assabett Rail Trail.

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

Very truly yours,

William D. Lemos, Supervisor
Rights and permits

WDL/zj
Attachments

WO#2085393
MAPLE ST.
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-56
10 MAPLE ST
N/F
KOZEL, PETER D
10 MAPLE ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-55
14 MAPLE ST
N/F
MIGUELEZ, AVELINO
14 MAPLE ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-54
16 MAPLE ST
N/F
HANLEY, SEAN P
16 MAPLE ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-53
18 MAPLE ST
N/F
MANNING, STEVEN T
20 RIVER ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-62
2 STOW ST
N/F
TOWN OF ACTON
472 MAIN ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-62-2
6 STOW ST
N/F
BERRY, ELISSA D
6 STOW ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-42-2
1 MAPLE ST
N/F
COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
BOSTON, MA

H2A-42-1
1 MAPLE ST
N/F
MONTOURI REALTY CO
10 PARK PLAZA
BOSTON, MA

H2A-42
19 MAPLE ST
N/F
RICHARDS, GORDON
25 MAPLE ST
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-37
21 MAPLE ST
N/F
RICHARDS, GORDON
60 CHARTER RD
ACTON, MA 01720

H2A-41-5
28 MAPLE ST
N/F
L AND G REALTY
15 WHITMAN ROAD
CANTON, MA

PETITION OF NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY dba EVERSOURCE ENERGY AND OTHER COMPANIES FOR JOINT OR IDENTICAL LOCATIONS FOR POLE

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Acton, Massachusetts:

Respectfully represent **NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY dba Eversource Energy** 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 **September 3, 2015** and filled herewith, upon along and across the following public way or ways of said town:

Maple Street – Southerly side approximately 25± feet East of Stow Street

**Relocate one (1) pole
Pole 33/6**

Maple Street – Northerly side approximately 115± feet East of Stow Street

Install one (1) new stub pole 33/5S

Maple Street – Northerly side approximately 535± feet East of Stow Street

**Relocate one (1) pole
Pole 33/1
Install one (1) anchor guy**

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.

**NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY
dba EVERSOURCE ENERGY**

By: William D. Lemos
William D. Lemos
Rights and Permits, Supervisor

VERIZON NEW ENGLAND INC.

By: [Signature]

Dated this _____ day of _____ 2016
Town of ACTON, Massachusetts
Received and filed _____ 2016

**ORDER FOR JOINT OR IDENTICAL LOCATIONS FOR POLES
Town of Acton, Massachusetts**

WHEREAS, NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY d.b.a. Eversource Energy 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 NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY d.b.a. Eversource Energy 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:

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Hearing Required

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 plans made by A. Debenedictis Dated September 3, 2015 on file with said petition. There may be attached to said poles by said NSTAR ELECTRIC COMPANY d.b.a. Eversource Energy 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

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 _____, 2016 at _____ P.M.

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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 _____ 2016, and recorded with records of location Orders 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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