

Appendix H

Permits Required to Perform Work

Work Activity	NO Permit or Notification	Notification Only	Excavation Permit	Municipal Consent
Aerial Service Drops	X			
Pulling or placing cabling through or on existing support structures (with pits) – soft surface				X
Pulling or placing cabling through or on existing support structures (with pits) – hard surface				X
Tree trimming	X			
Maintenance, testing and repair to cabinets, pedestals, poles and other above ground equipment, including replacement (except pole replacement), but with no increase in the size or depth or location		X		
Routine maintenance and repair where there will be minimal physical disturbance or changes to the ROW or its use, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • field testing without test-pitting • installing single service connections or cable inside existing duct structures; or • replacing “like for like” structures (without adding more Plant) 		X		
Excavations soft surface (including day-lighting) within the ROW to investigate subsurface conditions, or perform installations				X
Excavations hard surface (including day-lighting) within the ROW to investigate subsurface conditions, or perform installations			X	X

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Routine maintenance and repair where there will be minimal physical disturbance or changes to the ROW or its use, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • field testing and test-pitting • hard surface 			X	
Routine maintenance and repair where there will be minimal physical disturbance or changes to the ROW or its use, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • field testing and test-pitting • soft surface 		X		
Buried Service Drops (i.e., single wire containing no more than 4 wires for lengths of greater than 10 m)				X
All new direct buried and aerial installations (excluding Service Drops)			X	X
Directional boring and associated pits for Work of Installing new Plant			X	X
New installation of cabinets, pedestals, poles, and other above-ground equipment, or increase in size or location of any of the above			X	X
Road crossings, including buried Service Drops crossing the road			X	X
Relocation of underground or surface Plant			X	X

Excavation Permit

***Any work disrupting a hard surface requires an
Excavation Permit***

Municipal Consent

***Any work disrupting a soft surface requires a
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