



Verizon North LLC
Right of Way Department

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Ms. Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
PA Public Utility Commission
P. O. Box 3265
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

RE:DOT #145162E . Main Street
Somerset Borough, Somerset County

Dear Ms. Chiavetta:

Enclosed is an application to the PUC for Verizon North LLC place a fiber optic cable crossing in the Borough of Somerset, County of Somerset and must cross the CSX Railway, in the public right of way of Main Street Crossing #145162E.

All parties have been notified.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathleen Meeks".

Kathleen Meeks
Engineer III-Specialist

**BEFORE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

In re: Application of Verizon North LLC for approval to place an aerial fiber optic cable located in the borough of Somerset, Somerset County. To complete this work, we must cross CSX Railway in the public right of way of Main Street Crossing #145162E

Application
Docket No.

To Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

1. The name and address of applicant are

Verizon North LLC
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2. The name and address of applicant's attorney are

Susan D. Paiva
Assistant General Counsel
900 Race Street
6th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19107

3. Verizon North LLC requests permission to replace a fiber optic cable in the Borough of Somerset, Somerset County. **Projected Start Date for this project is September 26, 2022.**
4. The proposed construction will involve a placement of an aerial fiber optic cable which will lashed to existing cable and will be attached to existing Verizon poles (Exhibit A).
5. The municipalities and property owners concerned in, or affected by, the crossing alterations are in Exhibit B.
6. The motoring public and railroad traffic will not be impacted. Verizon North LLC will use normal construction procedures. Normal procedures will be followed including the use of flagmen to maintain normal flow of traffic.
7. The estimated cost of this construction project is \$5,000.00. Completion Date November 2, 2022.
8. The construction is necessary or proper for the following reasons: Interconnection between the Somerset and Stoystown phone offices for increased bandwidth needed for modern internet and data serviced.

Wherefore, applicant prays your Honorable Commission to approve the application:

Kathleen Meeks

1.36. Verification.

(a) Applications, petitions, formal complaints, motions and answers thereto containing an averment of fact not appearing of record in the action or containing a denial of fact shall be personally verified by a party thereto or by an authorized officer of the party if a corporation or association. Verification means a signed written statement of fact supported by oath or affirmation or made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. §4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities). If verification is required, notarization is not necessary.

(b) The Verification form should comply substantially with the following:

VERIFICATION

I, Kathleen Meeks, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct (or are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief) and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Date: 8/23/22 Kathleen Meeks
(Signature)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document upon the participants, listed below, in accordance with the requirements of § 1.54

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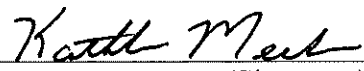
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CSX Transportation
ATTN: Corridor Occupancy Services
500 Water St, J-180
Jacksonville, FL 32202

Dated this 23rd day of August, 2022



(Signature)

Exhibit B

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Dated this 22nd day of August, 2022

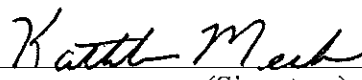
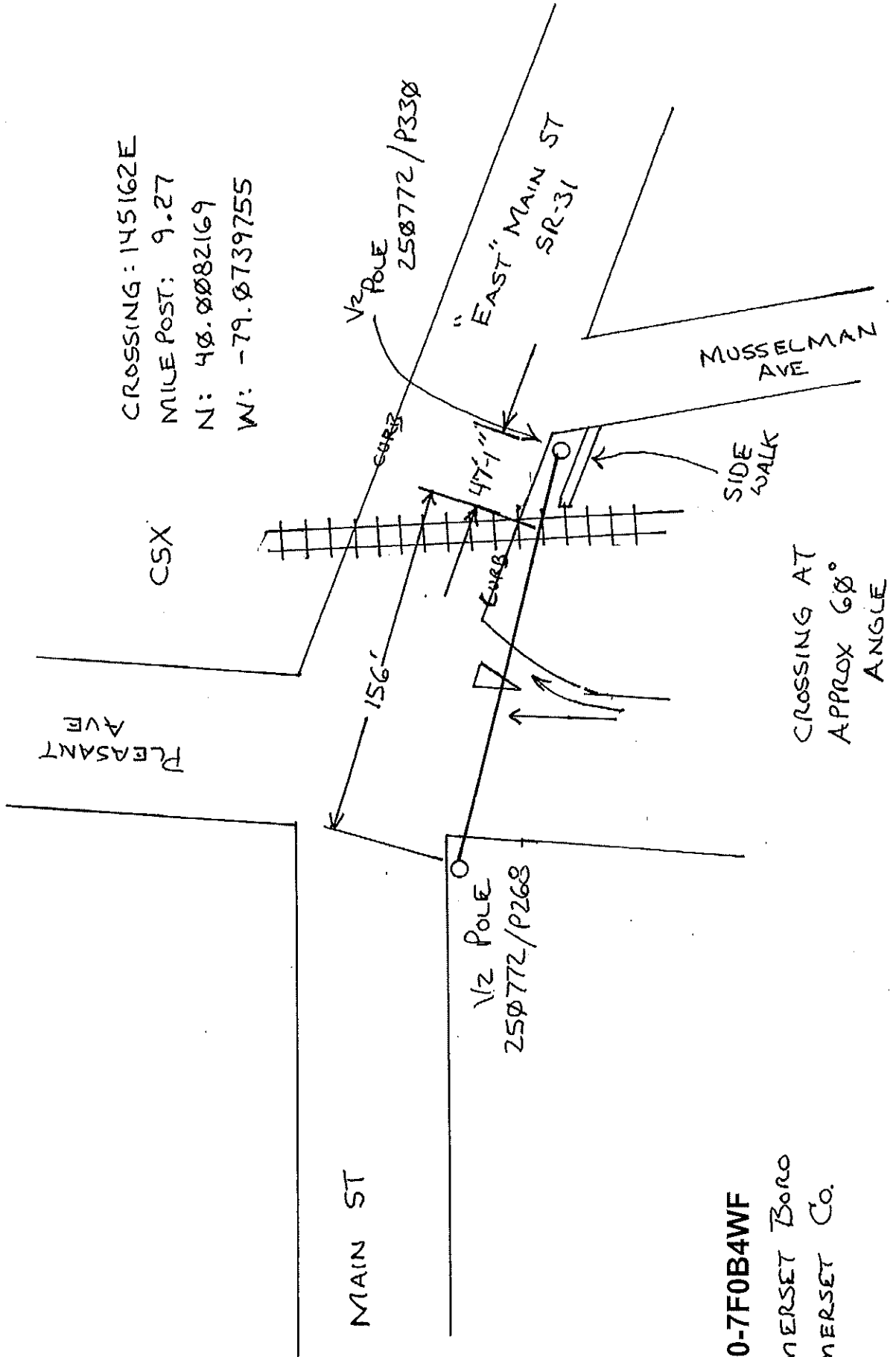

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EXHIBIT A



CROSSING: 145162E
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W: -79.0739755

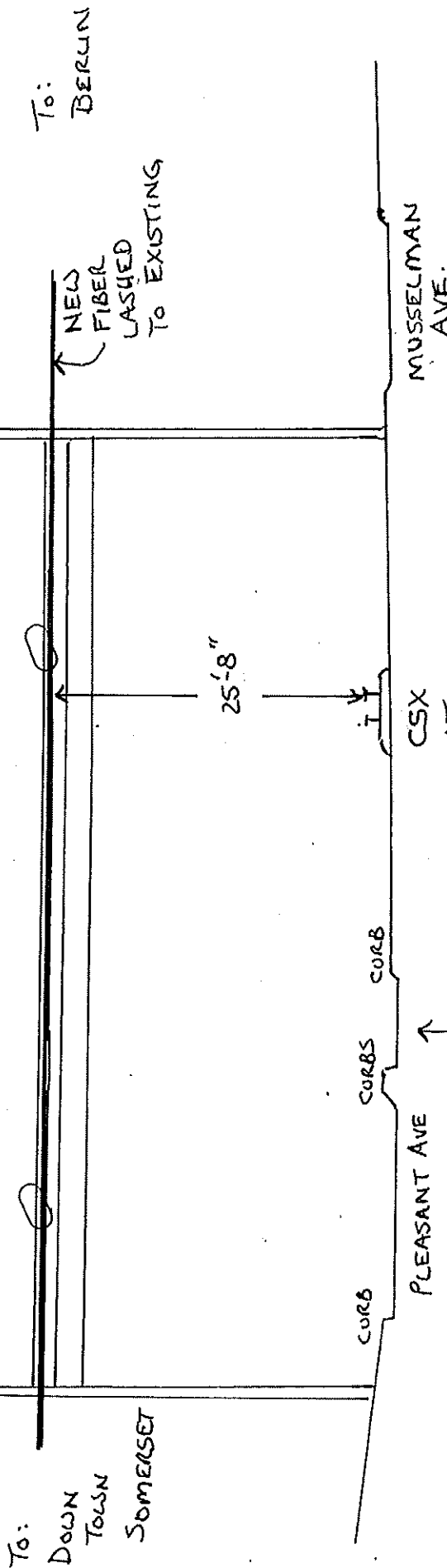
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SOMERSET BORO
SOMERSET CO.

EXHIBIT A

LOOKING NORTH

V2 POLE
25Ø772/P268

V2 POLE
25Ø772/P33Ø



PLEASANT AVE
TURNING LANE

CSX AT "EAST MAIN ST" SR31

MUSSELMAN AVE.

MILE POST 9.27
145162E

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