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June 6, 2024

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

**RE: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC CROSSING
SOUTH RIVER ROAD (S.R. 0147)
NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILROAD
REED TOWNSHIP COUNTY OF DAUPHIN**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

In accordance with Public Utility Code, Title 66, Chapter 2702, enclosed please find an application requesting permission to alter crossing of **Norfolk Southern**. Said crossing will be within the public right of way confines of SOUTH RIVER ROAD (S.R. 0147). Located in the Township of Reed, Dauphin County.

Said crossing will consist of the replacement of existing utility pole PPL# 21398S39427 in the Township of Reed, Dauphin County. This action is being taken to support existing and future loading conditions. Aerial cables that cross Norfolk Southern Railroad rails within the public right-of-way of S River Rd are to be raised to meet clearance requirements.

PPL Electric Utilities will provide copies of same to all parties listed under its Certificate of Service.

Please review and provide the appropriate authorization to this office.

Should you have any questions please contact this office.

Sincerely,

Matthew Stutzman
Right of Way Agent

Enclosures

cc: Rodney D. Binder, P.E.
Chief-Bureau of Rail Safety
PA Public Utility Commission
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BEFORE

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

In re: Application of PPL Electric Utilities for approval of the alteration of the crossing 518107M by the replacement of one utility pole structure where S River Rd crosses above grade the tracks of Norfolk Southern, located in Reed Township in Dauphin County.

Application

Docket No.

To Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

1. The name and address of applicant are:

PPL Electric Utilities Corporation

650 Hamilton

Suite 601

Allentown, PA 18101

2. The name and address of the applicant's attorney are
Mallory Sweeney

645 Hamilton Street, Suite 601, Allentown, PA 18101

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3. PPL Electric Utilities wishes to replace an existing pole in Reed Township, Dauphin County, PA. To support existing and future loading conditions. Aerial cables that cross Norfolk Southern Railroad rails within the public right-of-way of S River Rd are to be raised to meet clearance requirements. The above ground communication facilities to be replaced is PPL poles #21398S39427.

4. The proposed construction will be the replacement of an existing utility pole on the southeastern side of the railroad crossing. The communication facility will be aerial. S River Rd intersects the railroad above grade. See attached Exhibit "A". The estimated completion date for this project is September 15th, 2024.

5. The public utilities, municipalities, corporations and property owners concerned in, or affected by, the crossing alteration are identified in Exhibit "B" attached hereto

6. The expected cost for the construction procedure is \$10,000. PPL Electric Utilities will pay all costs of construction of the utility pole replacements, In addition to being responsible for installing, maintaining and inspecting the facilities.

7. The alteration is necessary or proper for the following reasons: to provide adequate, efficient, and reasonable communication facilities and power to the public in Dauphin County and surrounding areas.

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

(Signature of Applicant)

§ 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, Matthew Stutzman, 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: 6/5/24

Matthew Stutzman

(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 (relating to service by participant) .

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Dated this 6th day of June, 2024

Matthew Stutzman

(Signature)

EXHIBIT "B"

The public utilities, municipalities, corporations, and property owners concerned in, or affected by, the crossing alteration are:

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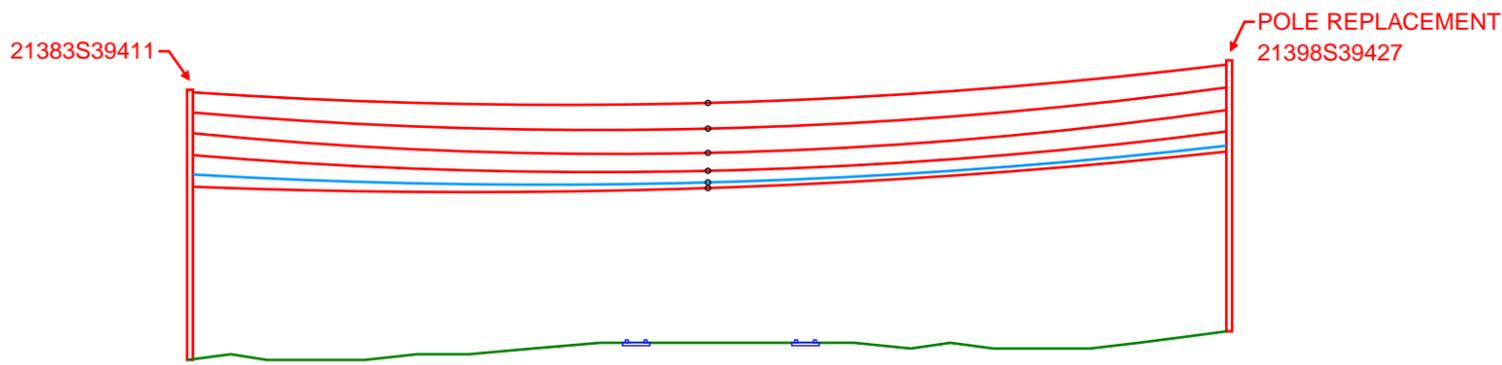
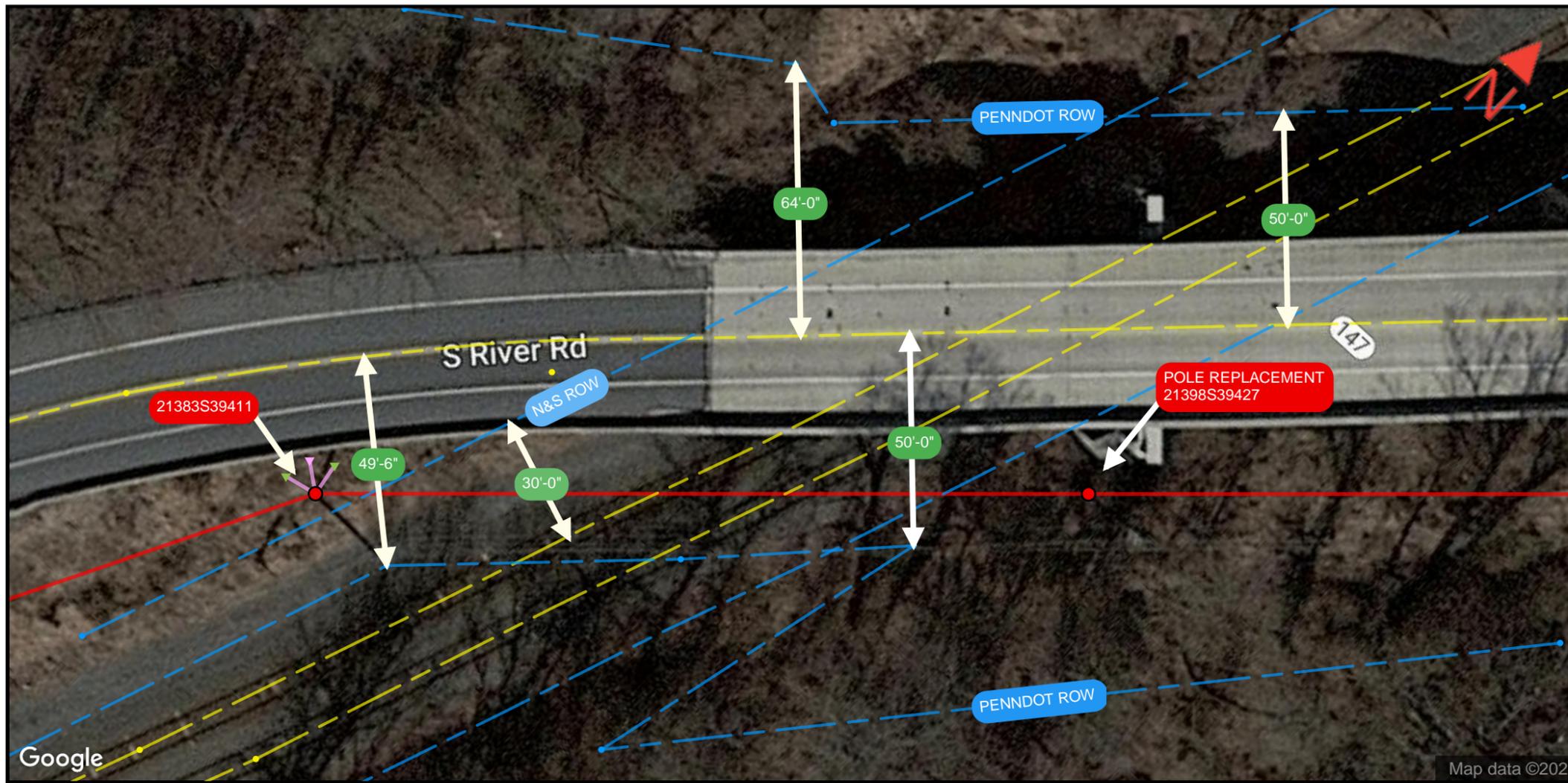
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CABLES	WIRE SPEC	EXISTING	PROPOSED
Primary	477 AAC (37/0)	39'-0"	42'-0"
Primary	477 AAC (37/0)	35'-0"	37'-6"
Primary	477 AAC (37/0)	31'-0"	33'-3"
Neutral	4/0 ACSR (6/1)	28'-3"	30'-1"
Proposed CATV Com		--	28'-1"
Telco Com		24'-2"	27'-1"

SCALE IN FEET

0' 45' 90'

- Aerial
- Center line
- Right of way line
- Pole
- New Anchor
- Anchor
- RxR Signal

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PPL Electric Utilities

PREPARED BY:	
TOWNSHIP: Reed	COUNTY: Dauphin
PROJECT NO:	STATE: Pennsylvania
PRINT NO: 1	DATE: 04-Jun-2024
NO. OF PRINTS: 1	DRAWN BY: EJC
ENGINEERED BY: KATAPULT	
FILENAME: EXHIBIT A	



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