



165 Beach Lake Highway

Honesdale, Pennsylvania 18431

July 5, 2024

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

**RE: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC CROSSING
At 249 606K, 8th AVENUE (S.R. 6006
DELAWARE AND LACKAWANNA RAILROAD
CITY OF CARBONDALE
COUNTY OF LACKAWANNA**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

In accordance with Public Utility Code, Title 66, Chapter 2702, enclosed please find an application requesting permission to alter crossing of **Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad**. Said crossing will be within the public right of way confines of 8th Avenue – State Road 6006. It is located in the City of Carbondale, Lackawanna County.

Said crossing will consist of the replacement of a PPL pole and the alteration of the overhead wires over the track of the **Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad** tracks and right of way. The **poles and overhead cables and conductors** are located within Public Right of Way. This is an existing crossing 249 606K.

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.

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Sincerely,

Dustin Stockholm

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Supervisor - Right of Way

Enclosures

cc: Rodney D. Bender, 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 # 249606K by the replacement of one utility pole structure where 8th Avenue (State Road 6006) crosses at grade the tracks of Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad located in City of Carbondale, Lackawanna County.

Application

Docket No.

To Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission:

1. The name and address of applicant are:

PPL Electric Utilities Corporation

Two North Ninth Street

GENN3

Allentown, PA 18101

2. The name and address of the applicant's attorney are Mallory Jane Sweeney, Associate General Counsel, PPL Electric Utilities Corporation, Two North Ninth Street, Allentown, PA 18101-1179

3. PPL Electric Utilities wishes to replace one existing pole in Carbondale City, Lackawanna County, PA, to support existing and future loading conditions and clearance requirements. Aerial cables that cross Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad rails within the public right of way of 8th Avenue are to be raised to meet clearance requirements. The above ground communication facilities to be replaced is PPL pole #61368N51991.

4. The proposed construction will be the replacement of a existing utility pole 61368N51991 on the southeastern side of the railroad crossing. The facility will be aerial. 8th Avenue intersects the railroad at grade. See attached Exhibit "A". The proposed completion date for this project is August 25, 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 or alteration of the facility, as well as be 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 Lackawanna County and surrounding areas.

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

Dustin Stockholm

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Supervisor – Right of Way

§ 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, Dustin Stockholm, 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: 7-5-24

Dustin Stockholm

(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 5th day of July, 2024

Dustin Stockholm

(Signature)

EXHIBIT "B"

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

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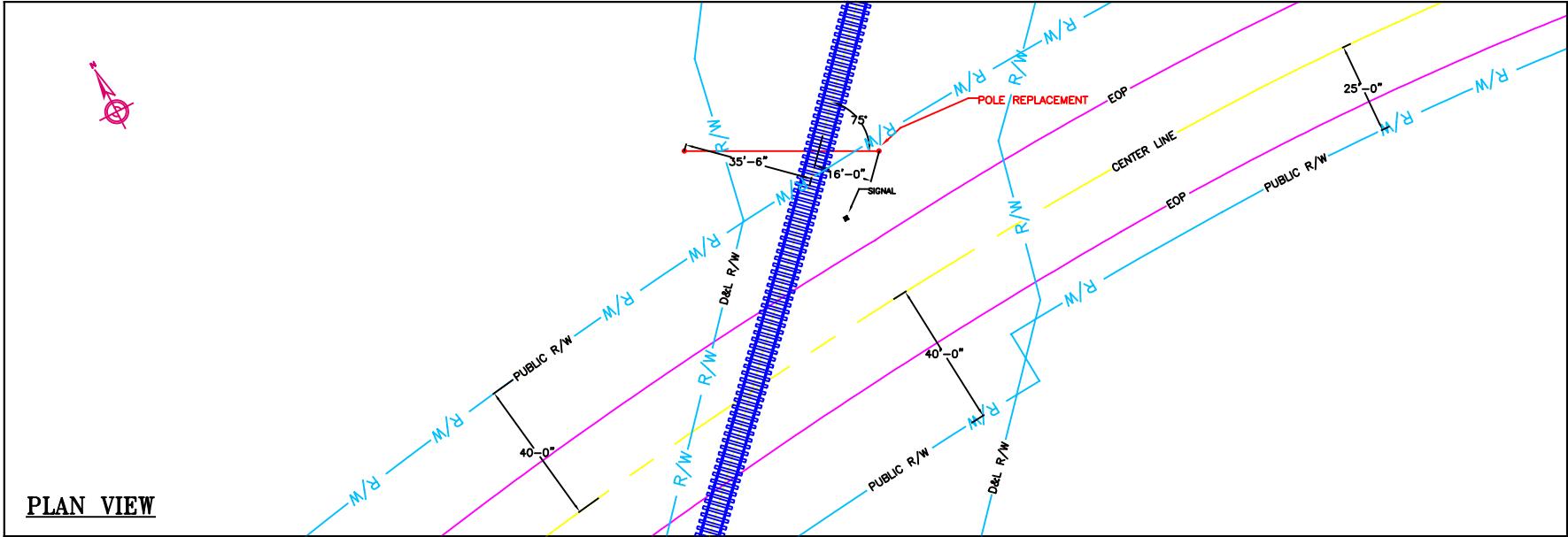
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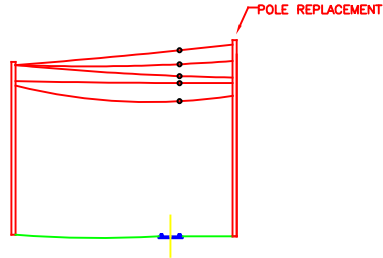
PLAN VIEW



PROFILE VIEW

PPL# 61361N51912
 LAT/LONG: 41.5700535, -75.5066966
 HEIGHT: 50
 CLASS: 3
 BURY DEPRTH: 8'-2"

CROSSING NUMBER:
 266107N



PPL# 61368N51911
 LAT/LONG: 41.5699862, -75.5065234
 PROPOSED HEIGHT: 55
 PROPOSED CLASS: 1
 BURY DEPRTH: 7'-6"

EXISTING HEIGHTS	PROPOSED HEIGHTS
PRIMARY 40'-10"	43'-7"
PRIMARY 39'-4"	41'-11"
PRIMARY 37'-8"	39'-11"
POWER GUY 34'-6"	36'-10"
SECONDARY 30'-0"	32'-3"
PROPOSED COM	27'-6"

