



**Verizon Pennsylvania LLC
Right of Way Department**

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Mr. Matthew Homsher, Secretary
PA Public Utility Commission
P. O. Box 3265
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

RE:DOT #145226N

Quemahoning Township, Somerset County

Dear Mr. Homsher:

Enclosed is an application to the PUC for Verizon North LLC to place an aerial fiber optic cable and Innerduct crossing in the Township of Quemahoning, Somerset County and must cross the CSX Railroad, in the public right of way of Whistler Road, Crossing #145226N.

All parties have been notified.

Sincerely

Kathleen Meeks

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Engineer III-Specialist

**BEFORE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

In re: Application of Verizon North for approval to place an aerial fiber optic cable and Innerduct located in the Township of Quemahoning, Somerset County. To complete this work, we must cross CSX Railroad in the public right of way of Whistler Rd, Crossing #145226N.

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
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3. Verizon North requests permission to place an aerial fiber optic cable and Innerduct in the Township of Quemahoning, Somerset County. **Projected Start Date for this project is August 12th, 2026.**
4. The proposed construction will involve a placement of an aerial fiber optic cable and innerduct 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 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 \$10,000.00. Completion Date is September 12th, 2026.
8. The construction is necessary or proper for the following reasons: **Subsidized Broadband.**

