



Braintree Town Council

ORDER NO: 22 016

DATE FILED: MARCH 15, 2022

REQUEST OF: NATIONAL GRID

National Grid hereby respectfully requests your consent to the locations of mains as hereinafter described for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the following public streets, lanes, highways, and places of the Town of Braintree and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and accomplish the objects of said Company; and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same:

National Grid hereby requests to relay approximately 500 feet of 1.5-inch bare steel with approximately 500 feet of 2-inch plastic in Sampson Ave. from the existing 2-inch plastic near Washington Street to the end of main at #42 Sampson Avenue with Staff Recommendations: with Staff Recommendations:

BELD: BELD has no conflicts on Sampson Ave.

DPW: The DPW has reviewed the subject petition and the accompanying sketch for the gas main replacement on Sampson Avenue. The work is being proposed to eliminate aging gas infrastructure. Sampson Avenue is not subject to the excavation moratorium having been resurfaced by total reconstruction in 2012, however, the roadway pavement is still in excellent condition. As such, the DPW recommends that the petition be granted with the following conditions:

- A temporary patch shall be placed immediately after the work. The street excavation should be saw-cut, backfilled and compacted in 8-inch lifts, paved to match existing asphalt depth (with a minimum depth of four inches) in two-inch lifts to match the existing street grade.
- After maintaining the temporary patch through one winter, permanent restoration shall be completed the following spring. The permanent restoration shall be a curb-to-crown mill and overlay with a pavement depth 1.5 inches.

We also recommend that the following requirements be added to the permit, if it is to be granted:

- National Grid must arrange a pre-construction meeting with Braintree the DPW to discuss utility corridor assignment. The new gas mains must not encroach on any existing utilities.



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- Neither National Grid nor any of its contractors is authorized to close any street or to close a direction of travel to facilitate their work without authorization from the Director of the Department of Public Works or the Highway Superintendent. The Chief of Police can also authorize a closure for a police or fire emergency. Construction zone traffic safety issues are to be addressed by using appropriate traffic control signs and devices and the use of police officers for traffic control to safely guide traffic through the work zone. If a closure is authorized by the DPW, it shall not be implemented until signs and police officers (where needed) are properly in place in conformity with the written plan prepared by the contractor's engineer and approved by the DPW and Police Department."

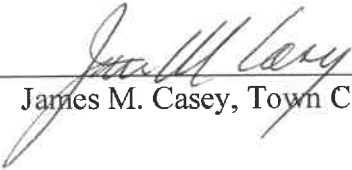
YEAS: Boericke, Flaherty, Hume, Mackin, Maglio, O'Brien, Reynolds, Ryan

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: Ringius

PASSED IN COUNCIL: APRIL 5, 2022

A True Record, Attest:


James M. Casey, Town Clerk

4/7/2022
Date Approved

PETITION OF NATIONAL GRID FOR GAS MAIN LOCATIONS

#22-016

Town of Braintree / Town Council:

The Nationalgrid hereby respectfully requests your consent to the locations of mains as hereinafter described for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the following public streets, lanes, highways and places of the **Town of Braintree** and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and accomplish the objects of said Company; and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same:

Relay approximately 500 feet of 1.5- inch, bare steel (1940) with approximately 500 feet of 2- inch, plastic in Sampson Av from the existing 2- inch, plastic in Washington St to the end of main at #42 Sampson Av. - All part of the BSMNRPL Program, LPP Integrity Management Program.

March 10, 2022

By: Mary Mulrone
Mary Mulrone
Permit Representative

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Town of Braintree / Town Council:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the locations of the mains of the Nationalgrid for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the public streets, lanes, highways and places of the **Town of Braintree** substantially as described in the petition date March 10, 2022 attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof, and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and/or accomplish the objects of said Company, and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same, are hereby consented to and approved.

The said Nationalgrid shall comply with all applicable provisions of law and ordinances of the **Town of Braintree** applicable to the enjoyment of said locations and rights.

Date this 7th day of April, 2022.

I hereby certify that the foregoing order was duly adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Braintree, MA on the 5th day of April, 2022.

By: James M. Casey
Town Clerk
Title

WO# 713990

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NATIONAL GRID
40 SYLVAN RD, WALTHAM, MA 02451
RETAIN DUPLICATE FOR YOUR RECORDS**

FORM # 1444, Rev. 90

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