

107-R-169 STATEMENTS ABOUT EXISTING CONDITIONS OF UTILITIES, ADDITIONAL  
RIGHT-OF-WAY, AND ENCROACHMENTS

(Revised 06-08-15)

The Standard Specifications are revised as follows:

SECTION 107, AFTER LINE 764, INSERT AS FOLLOWS:

***107.26 Existing Conditions of Utilities, Additional Right-of-Way, and Encroachments***

*Such existing conditions are as described below.*

***(a) Utilities***

*There is no known involvement of utility companies or organizations located within the project limits. **The contractor must use caution and is required to follow all laws and safety precautions when digging, excavating or working near aerial lines.***

***(a) Utilities***

*The status of all utility companies and organizations potentially involved with the work to be performed are described below as know at the time this contract was prepared. **The active engagement of the Utility Coordinator does not minimize nor negate the responsibility of the Contractor to perform duties per the Standard Specifications.***

*(The following is to be inserted when the contractor is required to clear and stake)*

*When the contractor is required to clear and stake right-of-way, the contractor shall inform the Construction Project Engineer/Supervisor (PE/PS) when clearing and staking of the right-of-way for the project is completed or the right of way is sufficiently completed for a specific area that will allow for a particular utility to relocate. Upon the INDOT PE/PS's written and dated acceptance that the clearing and staking work is completed, the PE/PS will notify the Utility Coordinator. The contractor shall copy the PE/PS and the Utility Coordinator on all correspondence with utilities.*

*(The following is to be inserted for Design Build)*

*The following represents the collected information concerning utility involvement at the time of letting. The Contractor shall initiate and complete all Utility Coordination efforts using an INDOT Certified Utility Coordinator following 105 IAC 13, the Design Manual, and INDOT's model for utility coordination. Utilities identified as in conflict and eligible for reimbursement by INDOT at the time of bid letting will be reimbursed directly by INDOT and are identified below. Additionally, as the contractor completes the INDOT design, additional conflicts with utilities may be found. INDOT's Central office Utility team will review these impacts/design changes to approve it as reasonable and necessary. Conflict analysis and design review will take no more than 5 working days after all requested documents are submitted. INDOT's Utility review will not occur until the other required design reviews have been satisfactorily completed and approved. Once the design is approved the contractor shall coordinate work plans with those utilities. Should those utilities be reimbursable, INDOT will execute a reimbursable agreement with the utility. In contrast, if the contractor revises the INDOT design causing a utility to have to relocate, the cost of that relocation including utility*

*coordination efforts and the associated time to complete the relocation shall be the responsibility of the contractor.*

*The facilities of \_\_\_\_\_ exist within the project limits, but are not expected to be affected by the proposed construction. If questions arise, \_\_\_\_\_ of the utility may be contacted at \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_.*

*The facilities of \_\_\_\_\_ exist within the project limits. Their facilities have been adjusted to accommodate construction. If questions arise, \_\_\_\_\_ of the utility may be contacted at \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_.*

*The facilities of \_\_\_\_\_ exist within the project limits. It is anticipated that they will adjust their facilities for construction on or before \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_. If questions arise, \_\_\_\_\_ of the utility may be contacted at \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_.*

*The facilities of \_\_\_\_\_ exist within the project limits. The utility will be able to complete its involvement with the contract when the Contractor has completed \_\_\_\_\_ in the location of \_\_\_\_\_ such that the utility may adjust its facilities. It is anticipated that the utility will take approximately \_\_\_\_\_ calendar days to adjust its facilities in such area. If questions arise, \_\_\_\_\_ of the utility may be contacted at \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_.*

*The following are examples for guidance in writing special provisions, note the date the Work Plan was executed is a required entry for FHWA .....*

*The facilities of Crossroads Fiber exist within the project limits, but are not expected to be affected by the proposed construction. If questions arise, Mike Hennessey of the utility may be contacted at 574-360-6772. The work plan was executed on July 1, 2015*

*The facilities of Buckeye Pipeline exist within the project limits, but are not expected to be affected by the proposed construction. A representative from Buckeye needs to be present when excavating with any mechanized equipment within 5' of the pipeline. The contractor shall give 7 working days notice prior to working near this pipeline. If questions arise, John Rangel of the utility may be contacted at 219-781-3383. The work plan was executed on July 17, 2015*

*The facilities of IAWC exist within the project limits. The utility will be able to relocate when the Contractor has accomplished the final grade elevations at STA 105 +50 LINE "A", 50 FT RT. IAWC will mobilize within 10 calendar days after contractor notification. It is anticipated that the utility will take approximately 40 calendar days to adjust its facilities in such area. If questions arise, Matt Schieler of the utility may be contacted at 317-807-2466. The work plan was executed on July 21, 2015*

*For Design build projects: each utility listed should indicate reimbursable status per FHWA:*

*The facilities of Vectren Gas exist within the project limits. The utility will be able to relocate when the Contractor has accomplished the final grade elevations at STA 105*

*+50 LINE "A", 50 FT RT. Vectren will mobilize within 10 calendar days after contractor notification. It is anticipated that the utility will take approximately 40 calendar days to adjust its facilities in such area. If questions arise, John Smith of the utility may be contacted at 317-807-2466. This utility relocation is eligible for reimbursement. The work plan was executed on July 21, 2015*

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