

**STATE OF ARKANSAS
COUNTY OF CRAWFORD**

ROAD CUT PERMIT

PERMISSION IS HEREBY GRANTED _____
TO CUT _____

SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS STATED HEREIN:

THE SAID CUT SHALL BE PLACED AT NO LESS THAN 24" BELOW DITCH FLOW LINE AND NO LESS THAN 36" BELOW ROAD SURFACE SO AS NOT TO INTERFERE WITH ROAD MAINTENANCE OR IMPROVEMENT, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED. THE CUT SHALL BE PLACED NOT MORE THAN ONE FOOT INSIDE THE RIGHT-OF-WAY. IN NO EVENT SHALL ANY POLE BE PLACED IN THE SHOLDER OF THE ROAD, OR IN THE ROAD BED, OR IN THE DITCH LINE.

IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED AND AGREED THAT ALL OPENINGS AND DITCHES MUST BE PROTECTED BY THE HOLDER OF THIS PERMIT BY PROPERLY LIGHTING AND BARRICADING DURING CONSTRUCTION AND WHEN NECESSARY OVERNIGHT. ALL PROPER SIGNS TO WARN ONCOMING TRAFFIC OF CONSTRUCTION SHOULD BE USED AT ALL TIMES. ALL SUCH OPENINGS MUST BE REFILLED AND TAMPED IN A GOOD AND WORKMANLIKE MANNER AND RESTORED TO THEIR ORIGINAL CONDITION AS FAR AS POSSIBLE. THE CUT IS SUBJECT TO THE INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THE COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT OF THE CRAWFORD COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT OR HIS AUTHROIZED AGENT.

SAID OPENINGS ON SHALE ROADS TO BE BACK-FILLED WITH CLASS 7 BASE GRAVEL AND LEVELED WITH THE EXISTING ROAD. ALL WASTE MATERIALS WILL BE REMOVED AS CONSTRUCTION PROGRESSES AND ALL LEFTOVER MATERIALS AND WASTE WILL BE CLEANED AT END OF CONSTRUCTION.

SAID OPENINGS AND CUTS ARE TO BE KEPT FIXED AND REPAIRED BY THE HOLDER OF THIS PERMIT AFTER THE FIRST TIME, SHOULD DEPRESSIONS OR SWELLS SUBSEQUENTLY OCCUR PERMIT HOLDER SHALL BE RESONSIBLE FOR THE CUT FOR ONE (1) YEAR.

IT IS ALSO UNDERSTOOD THAT HOLDER WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY BREAKS OR CUTS IN THE LINE THAT HAPPENS IN THE MAINTENANCE OF THE COUNTY ROAD. PERMIT HOLDER WILL NOT HOLD CRAWFORD COUNTY RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSSES OR DAMAGES FROM ANY CUTS, BREAKS, OR INERRUPTION OF SERVICE OF SAID LINE.

SAID **CUT** TO BE CONSTRUCTED BY THE HOLDER IN SUCH A MANNER AS NOT TO INTERFERE WITH THE PUBLIC USE OF THE PUBLIC ROADS IN CRAWFORD COUNTY UNDER WHICH SAID CONSTRUCTION IS BEING DONE. SAID HOLDER WILL, WHILE CONSTRUCTING AND LAYING LINE IN SAID **CUT**, KEEP OPEN SUCH PUBLIC ROADS AS NOT TO BLOCK OR CAUSE TRAFFIC TO CEASE; THAT, IF NECESSARY, THE HOLDER WILL FURNISH SUITABLE DETOURS FOR NORMAL TRAFFIC. THE HOLDER OF THIS PERMIT HEREBY AGREES TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGES SUFFERED BY ANY PERSON OR ANIMAL BY REASON OF THIS OPERATION UNTIL ACCEPTED AND RELEASED BY THE COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, AND FURTHER AGREES TO PAY ANY AND ALL DAMAGES, IF ANY, DONE TO THE ROAD BED, AND TO PAY THE COST OF REPAIRING SAID ROAD BED.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED THAT IF, AT ANY TIME IN THE FUTURE, ANY SUCH ROAD MENTIONED IN THIS PERMIT, OR DITCHES ADJACENT TO SUCH ROAD, SHALL BE WIDENED OR OTHERWISE IMPROVED BY CRAWFORD COUNTY, THE HOLDER OF THIS PERMIT SHALL MOVE AND RELOCATE SAID **CUT** AT HIS OWN EXPENSE, AS DIRECTED BY AUTHORIZED AGENT FOR CRAWFORD COUNTY ROAD DEPARTMENT.

THE COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT IS TO BE NOTIFIED IN ADVANCE BEFORE A COUNTY ROAD IS CROSSED WITH A **CUT**, SO THAT A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT MAY BE PRESENT.

THE ROADS INVOLVED IN THE **CONSTRUCTION CUT** AND APPROVED BY CRAWFORD COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT ARE: _____

IN ACCEPTANCE OF THIS PERMIT, HOLDER AGREES TO THE ABOVE STATED TERMS.

SIGNED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 20_____

APPLICANT

CRAWFORD COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: APPRIOPRIATE BOND **PAID** _____ OR **ON FILE** _____ Emp. Int. ____

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