

Resolution 08-05-20

Avon Township Policy for Utility Work in the Road Right-of-Way

WHEREAS, the Supervisors of Avon Township, Stearns County, Minnesota, recognize that utility companies need to periodically work in the Township road right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 237.162 & 237.163, and Public Utilities Commission Minnesota Rule Chapter 7819, provide guidance and rules for work in the road right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisors of Avon Township, Stearns County, Minnesota, want to be informed of any work that occurs in the Town road right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisors of Avon Township, Stearns County, Minnesota, want to ascertain that there is no lasting damage or other problems related to work by utilities in the Township road right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisors of Avon Township, Stearns County, Minnesota, want to be certain that any work in the Township road right-of-way is done properly and to State mandated specifications;

NOW, THEREFORE LET BE IT RESOLVED: any company planning to do utility work in an Avon Township road right-of-way (excluding projects involving single family homes):

1. Send a representative, prior to starting any proposed work, to attend an Avon Township Board of Supervisors meeting;
2. Provide a written summary of the proposed work that includes: a drawing(s) showing the planned work, description of the roadwork, and how the Township right-of-way will be restored according to State and Township guidelines.

Adopted by the Avon Township Board of Supervisors this 5th day, in the month of August in the year 2020.

BY THE TOWN BOARD

	Yes	No	Abstain
Supervisor _____ Mike Linn, Chair	___	___	___
Supervisor _____ Ken Mergen	___	___	___
Supervisor _____ Rich Sanoski	___	___	___

Attest:

Stephen Saupe, Town Clerk

date