

## **Denmark Township Utility Permit Policy**

1. All Utility companies are required to obtain a utility permit from Denmark Township prior to utility construction/maintenance work within Township road right-of-way or utility easements.
2. All applicants shall submit an application form including a site plan showing the location of the proposed work and a description of the proposed project.
3. Application fees shall be as established by the Denmark Town Board.
4. All applicants shall be required to provide proof of liability insurance.
5. The Township Road Right of Way or Utility Easement shall be restored to the same or better condition as prior to placement of the utility.
6. All applicants shall be required to provide a financial guarantee that the premises are restored to the same or better condition as they were pre-construction. Said guarantee may consist of one of the following:
  - Providing/maintaining a restoration bond in the name of Denmark Township in the amount of \$5000. Proof of such bond shall be provided to the Township on an annual basis.
  - OR**
  - Submitting a \$500 cash restoration bond with every application. Said bond shall be refunded in full following satisfactory completion/inspection of the project.
7. Applicants shall notify Denmark Township when construction is complete.
8. Denmark Township shall inspect the premises to ensure that they have been restored to the same or better condition as they were pre-construction. Denmark Township shall notify applicant if inspection results are not satisfactory and what is required to restore premises to original condition.
9. In the event that the applicant fails to restore the premises to its original condition, resulting in a disagreement that cannot be resolved between the parties, the Township reserves the right to conduct a hearing under the Denmark Township Administrative Penalty Ordinance.

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