



VILLAGE WIDE FIBER INSTALLATION

Amendment #1

The following changes / clarification / additions have been added to the Request for Proposal.

Question: 1. How much are the Village permit fees associated with the installation of this project?

Village Response:

Since this is a Village project, all permit fees from the Village will be waived. Please note, generally private companies installing fiber conduits in the Village pay a significant amount of fees to occupy our Right of way. They also need to go through the entire Right of Way permitting process with the Village which is handled by the Public Works department.

Question: 2. What is the process and permit fees associated for crossing under the Metra tracks at Church Road?

Village Response:

There is a permit process involved in order to bore the conduit under the Metra Railroad Tracks. In this case, the conduit is to be bored under the tracks at Church Road. First of all, the Village will need to provide Metra with a plan depicting the exact location of the conduit in order to obtain an easement. Metra will then prepare a contract granting that easement, which will cost \$1500.00. Additionally, the Village has to pay \$5000 annually to Metra to keep the conduit in that location. The contractor needs to obtain a Right-to-entry permit from Metra, prior to boring the conduit which will cost \$1000. The permit application can be found at the following web address.

http://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/metra_business/real_estate_leasing.html

The contractor will also need pay \$700 for Metra to provide flaggers while the work is being completed. The contractor cannot use its own flaggers while working in the railroad right of way. In addition, the contractor will also need to abide by the liability insurance requirements set forth by Metra.