



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF PEACE NO. 135

PREPARED BY: TEPROW Co-Ordination Inc REVISED BY: Margaret McClarty	ADOPTED BY: COUNCIL	NUMBER: ADM-30
TITLE: Telecommunication Installations in Municipal Road Rights-of-Way	PREPARED: January 12, 2021 REVISED: October 8, 2024	

PURPOSE OF THIS POLICY:

To regulate the use of municipal road rights-of-way by telecommunication companies, subject to the *Telecommunications Act* S.C. 1993 c. 38.

POLICY STATEMENT:

1. The Municipal District of Peace No. 135 (MD) will allow the use of municipal roads for telecommunication installations under the following guidelines:
 - 1.1 the installation is approved through a permit which shall be obtained prior to telecommunication installation.
 - 1.2 the installation shall be performed using the least obtrusive construction methods, subject to the MD's Permit conditions.
 - 1.3 all applicable municipal, provincial, and federal standards will be followed.
 - 1.4 all telecommunication road crossings shall be:
 - a) a minimum of six feet (6') below the crown of the roadway or a minimum of three feet, six inches (3' 6") below the road ditch for underground crossings; or
 - b) a minimum of eighteen feet (18') above the crown of the roadway for aerial crossings.
 - 1.5 all telecommunication longitudinal and/or parallel installations within municipal road rights-of-way shall be:
 - a) a minimum of four feet (4') below the crown of the roadway or a minimum of three feet, six inches (3' 6") below the road ditch for underground installations; or
 - b) a minimum of eleven feet, six inches (11' 6") above the surface of the edge of the roadway, boulevard and/or sidewalk for aerial installations, or greater to meet applicable codes.

2. The person requesting the installation of wireline telecommunication equipment within a road allowance shall sign a Municipal Access Agreement accepting full responsibility for the repair of said roadway to the satisfaction of the Municipality.

This policy was APPROVED by Council on October 8, 2024 by Motion #423/24