

Excavation on Right of Ways

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<i><b>Hazards Present:</b></i>	<i><b>PPE or Devices Required:</b></i>	<i><b>Additional Training Required:</b></i>
Vehicular Traffic		
Underground Utilities		

<b>Safe Work Procedure:</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Obtain necessary excavation permit from the jurisdictional authority.</li> <li>2) Obtain required documentation from all underground utilities in the area.</li> <li>3) Ensure Traffic Plan is in place.</li> <li>4) Examine the nature of the traffic at the work site to fully understand the consequences of the proposed interruption.</li> <li>5) Review time restrictions for closing or diverting traffic.</li> <li>6) Taking into consideration weather conditions and hours of work, place appropriate signs, cones, flashers, and barricades. (See handbook for details.)</li> <li>7) Review the set-up to ensure a safe movement of vehicular traffic and pedestrians.</li> <li>8) Assign flag persons to their duties if necessary.</li> <li>9) Bring in equipment and manpower as necessary.</li> </ol>

***If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, engage the emergency stop and follow the lock out procedure***

**REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS TO YOUR SUPERVISOR**

<p><b>Guidance Documents/Standards:</b>                  MB Workplace Safety &amp; Health Act &amp; Regulations:                  4 General Workplace Requirements</p>	This Safe Work Procedure will be reviewed any time the task, equipment or materials change and at a minimum of every three years
	Reviewed By WSH Committee:  Date: