



## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Under the provisions of the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 166, and any additions or amendments thereto; please be advised that at their meeting of **Monday, December 18, 2023, at 7:05 p.m.**, the Berlin Select Board will consider a request to give permission to Massachusetts Electric Company d/b/a National Grid and Verizon New England, Inc, to locate poles, wires, and fixtures, including the necessary sustaining and protecting fixtures, along and across the following public way:

Power Rd - National Grid to install 1 JO Pole on Power Rd beginning at a point approximately 0 feet northeast of the centerline of the intersection of Conrad Rd and continuing approximately 300' in a northeast direction. Installing one new Pole # 24-50 at the entrance to Power Rd in Berlin. This pole is located 300' from the intersection with Conrad Rd. Location approximately as shown on the plan attached.

Wherefore it prays that after due notice and hearing as provided by law, it be granted location for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires, together with such sustaining and protecting fixtures as it may find necessary, said poles to be erected substantially in accordance with the plan filed herewith marked- Power Rd - Berlin - Massachusetts.

Also for permission to lay and maintain underground laterals, cables, and wires in the above or intersecting public ways for the purpose of making connections with such poles and buildings as each of said petitioners may desire for distributing purposes.

Your petitioner agrees to reserve space for one cross-arm at a suitable point on each of said poles for the fire, police, telephone, and telegraph signal wires belonging to the municipality and used by it exclusively for municipal purposes.

The petition can be found on the Town Website under News/Announcements as posted with this Public Hearing Notice: <https://www.townofberlin.com/node/1/news>

If you have any questions, you can contact the Select Board Office at 978-310-5919.

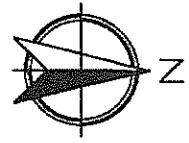
**This meeting will be held at the Town Hall, Room 206, 43 Linden Street, Berlin, MA 01503.**

### BERLIN SELECT BOARD

**Christine Keefe**

**Margaret Stone**

**R. Scott Hawkins**



Coburn Rd

300'

NGRID request for the approval of a grant of location to install 1-JO pole #24-50 at the entrance to Power Rd 300' from the intersection of Coburn Rd.

24-50

Power Rd

PB 24-51

LEGEND

Proposed JO Pole

PETITION

BERLIN

MASS

Date 11/8/23

Designer: J.Morales

Work Request: 30627648

Petition To The Town of Berlin

nationalgrid & Verizon New England, INC

DRAWING NOT TO SCALE DISTANCES ARE APPROXIMATE

Questions contact – Javier Morales 508-860-6270

**PETITION FOR JOINT OR IDENTICAL POLE LOCATIONS**

North Andover, Massachusetts

To the Board of Selectmen  
Of Berlin, Massachusetts

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Location approximately as shown on plan attached.

Wherefore it prays that after due notice and hearing as provided by law, it be granted a location for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires, together with such sustaining and protecting fixtures as it may find necessary, said poles to be erected substantially in accordance with the plan filed herewith marked – Power Rd - Berlin - Massachusetts.

**No. 30627648** November 8, 2023

Also for permission to lay and maintain underground laterals, cables, and wires in the above or intersecting public ways for the purpose of making connections with such poles and buildings as each of said petitioners may desire for distributing purposes.

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Massachusetts Electric Company d/b/a  
NATIONAL GRID *Pat Shea*

BY \_\_\_\_\_  
Engineering Department

VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.  
BY \_\_\_\_\_  
Manager / Right of Way

**ORDER FOR JOINT OR IDENTICAL POLE LOCATIONS**

To the Board of Selectmen - Berlin, Massachusetts

Notice having been given and public hearing held, as provided by law, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: that Massachusetts Electric Company d/b/a National Grid and VERIZON NEW ENGLAND INC. (formerly known as NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY) be and they are hereby granted joint or identical locations for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires to be placed thereon, together with such sustaining and protecting fixtures as said Companies may deem necessary, in the public way or ways hereinafter referred to, as requested in petition of said Companies dated the 8th day of November, 2023.

All construction under this order shall be in accordance with the following conditions:

Poles shall be of sound timber, and reasonable straight, and shall be set substantially at the points indicated upon the plan marked – Power Rd - Berlin - Massachusetts .

No. 30627648 Dated November 8, 2023. Filed with this order.

There may be attached to said poles by Massachusetts Electric Company d/b/a National Grid and Verizon New England Inc. such wires, cables, and fixtures as needed in their business and all of said wires and cables shall be placed at a height of not less than twenty (20) feet from the ground.

The following are the public ways or part of ways along which the poles above referred to may be erected, and the number of poles which may be erected thereon under this order:

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I hereby certify that the foregoing order was adopted at a meeting of the of the City/Town of \_\_\_\_\_, Massachusetts held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_ .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Massachusetts City/Town Clerk.  
20 \_\_\_\_\_ .

Received and entered in the records of location orders of the City/Town of  
Book \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:  
City/Town Clerk

I hereby certify that on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, M  
at \_\_\_\_\_ a public hearing was held on the petition of  
Massachusetts Electric Company d/b/a National Grid and VERIZON NEW ENGLAND, INC.

for permission to erect the poles, wires, and fixtures described in the order herewith recorded, and  
that we mailed at least seven days before said hearing a written notice of the time and place of said  
hearing to each of the owners of real estate (as determined by the last preceding assessment for  
taxation) along the ways or parts of ways upon which the Company is permitted to erect  
poles, wires, and fixtures under said order. And that thereupon said order was duly adopted.

City/Town Clerk.

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Board or Council of Town or City, Massachusetts

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the location order and certificate of  
hearing with notice adopted by the \_\_\_\_\_ of the City of \_\_\_\_\_  
Massachusetts, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, and recorded with the  
records of location orders of the said City, Book \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_. This certified copy  
is made under the provisions of Chapter 166 of General Laws and any additions thereto or  
amendments thereof.

Attest:  
City/Town Clerk