

**READING BLUE MOUNTAIN & NORTHERN RAILROAD
APPLICATION FOR PIPE/WIRE OCCUPATIONS**

NON- REFUNDABLE APPLICATION FEE DUE WITH APPLICATION: \$1,500.00 for Aerial wires, \$2,000.00 for Underground wires, \$2,500.00 for Pipelines

**APPLICATION & FEE BECOME NULL & VOID AFTER ONE YEAR OF INITIAL APPLICATION DATE
RE-APPLICATION WILL BE NECESSARY FOR PROJECTS NOT COMPLETED WITHIN ONE YEAR**

The above application fee does not include: (i) special handling fees, (ii) engineering review, (iii) occupation fees, (iv) Railroad protective insurance, (v) preparation of estimates, (vi) flagman costs or expenses, or (vii) construction costs incurred by RBMN. All payments are due prior to construction. Construction costs estimates for RBMN's portion of the project may be requested, and will be prepared at the sole cost and expense of the Licensee. However, a fully executed License Agreement is a prerequisite to the preparation of estimates.

All applications are to be submitted in accordance with RBMN RB4 Specifications (wire/cable) and/or RB8 Specifications (conduits/pipelines). Failure to strictly adhere to these specifications will result in delays, additional costs and possible return of your application. Construction drawings should be either 8½" X 11", 8½" X 14", or 11"X17" size. **(Larger size drawings are only acceptable in special circumstances with prior approval of RBMN)**

NO VERBAL approvals will be granted. **NO** work on RBMN property may proceed until Licensee is in receipt of a fully executed Occupation Agreement and authorization obtained from RBMN Area Engineer. **NO PVC** pipes. **NO** blasting on, under or near RBMN property. **NO OPEN CUT** installation without prior RBMN approval. **NO** Directional Boring (RB-8, Sec. 5.1.6.c) **NO** Facilities within culverts. **NO** Facilities attached to Railroad Bridges.

NAME OF LICENSEE: _____
(exact name to be shown on Agreement)

NOTE: Due to future maintenance responsibilities, RBMN will not enter into an occupation agreement with a Developer.

LICENSEE IS: Individual Corporation Municipality State of Incorporation ____ Other _____

LICENSEE'S MAILING ADDRESS: _____ SEND DOCUMENT TO: (if other than Licensee)

ATTENTION: _____

TITLE: _____

TELEPHONE (____) _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

LOCATION OF OCCUPATION:

City Town Village _____, Township _____

County: _____, State: _____. Footage (_____') and direction (N/S/E/W) from RBMN's Mile Post # _____ or center line of Public

Highway Crossing or Bridge (name & number) _____

Occupation to be located within confines of Dedicated Highway (right of way lines must be shown)

Highway Name or Number _____ AAR DOT # _____ (AAR # is posted near crossing)

TYPE OF FACILITIES:

PIPE Gravity Pressure (non-flammable) Pressure (flammable)

WIRE / CABLE Aerial Undergrade (in conduit) Overhang

Telephone (# of pairs _____) Electrical (voltage _____) Fiber Optic

Phase of electrical circuits _____ Number of electrical circuits _____ Number of poles _____

Crossing angle _____ Longitudinal total footage of encroachment _____'

REVISION to existing facilities COPY OF ORIGINAL AGREEMENT MUST BE INCLUDED WITH APPLICATION

METHOD OF PIPE/CONDUIT INSTALLATION: per RBMN RB-8 Specifications **NO ALTERNATIVES**

Note: Track supports may be required depending on field conditions or as deemed necessary by RBMN Area Engineer.

Open Cut (Sec.5.1.2) Bore & Jacking (Sec.5.1.3) Jacking (Sec.5.1.4) Tunneling (Sec.5.1.5)

WARNING:

Extreme caution to be used in excavation due to the possibility of the existence of Fiber Optic Cables along RBMN's right of way. Any damage to the Fiber Optic Cables will be the sole responsibility of the Licensee. In compliance with state law, prior to commencing work, the Contractor is to notify State "One Call". Call before you dig.

ALL APPLICATIONS ARE TO BE SENT TO:

Reading Blue Mountain & Northern Railroad
Real Estate Company
Port Clinton, PA 19549

Telephone: (610) 562-2100
Fax: (570) 943-5026

APPLICANT'S CHECK LIST

- Review RB4 Specifications (wire/cable) and/or RB8 Specifications (conduits/pipelines)
- Proper name and mailing address of Licensee
- Application fee
- Location data (RB4 Plate I or RB8 Plate II)
- Plan and Profile drawings (8½" X 11", 8½" X 14", or 11"X17" size only)
- Pipe Data Sheet (RB8, Plate I)
- Depth of bury (RB8, Plate III)
- Method of installation **NO ALTERNATIVES**
- Distance from face of launching and receiving pits (RB8, Plate III)
- Location of manholes and valves (RB8, Plate IV)
- Size, voltage, and type of wires, cables, or fiber optic cables
- Wire/Cable vertical clearance from sag to top of rail (RB4, Plate II)
- Distance from Poles to centerline of track (RB4, Plate I)
- Pole configuration (RB4, Plate II)
- Angle of crossing (RB4, Plate I or RB 8, Plate II)
- Number of tracks (RB4, Plate I or RB 8, Plate II)
- Length of longitudinal (RB4, Plate III or RB 8, Plate IV)
- Right of way lines of Dedicated Highway (RB4, Plate I or RB8, Plate II)
- Bridge footing of Dedicated Highway Bridge (RB 8, Plate VI)
- Bridge attachment for Dedicated Highway Bridge (RB8, Plate VII)