

TO:Dr. Koultourides and Members of Town CouncilFROM:Dustin Anderson, Town ManagerSUBJECT:License Agreement #45914 with NIPSCODATE:September 20, 2021

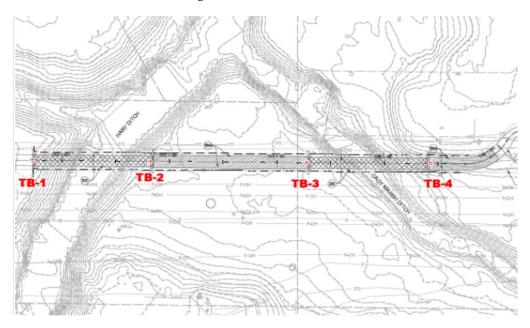
Background

The Town is working towards constructing a pedestrian bridge over the Hart and Cady Marsh Ditches. The construction of this bridge will require footings to be installed on either side of each stream. This entire corridor – including the property between the ditches where the bulk of the bridge will be located – is owned by NIPSCO.

Methodology

To properly design the footings of the bridge, our engineers must take soil borings at the approximate location of the footings so that our bridge is designed to last and is safe.

Those locations are shown in the following illustration:



Once we have the data from the borings, we will have enough information to design the bridge. It will take about three weeks to achieve "90% plans" that will be sent to INDOT for review.

Recommendation

By motion and voice vote, authorize the Town Manager to execute License Agreement #45914 between the Town of Munster and NIPSCO.