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Subject: RE: WSU MISB Petition #1683 - Utility Response Update

Petition documents were submitted to City on 6/12/17.

The construction manager was informed that petition documents had been submitted and that the City had not yet responded as of 10/20/17.

There is correspondence indicating the contractor installed the 3 light pole foundations around November of 2017, not winter 2018.

SmithGroup did not suggest that the work be installed prior to receiving comments from the City.

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Jerry,

DTE received Petition #1683 on 1/3/2018, then objected to the property change on 1/23/2018. DTE is conflicted as to how the (3) light poles were installed in the winter of 2018 without approval from the City Petition.

Walter/Heather – please advise what steps are necessary moving forward with Petition #1683, and what should be done to prevent instances like this in the future. The third foundation that was omitted from the design is placed on top of our existing facilities, which may of penetrated our underground system conduit run.

Regards,
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More clarifications after input from the construction team:

- 1) I now understand that these foundations have been in place for some time. For context, petition drawings were submitted to the City of Detroit on 6/12/17. I don't know when the City provided the drawings to DTE. It appears to be some kind of miscommunication that these foundations were installed prior to City comments.
- 2) The petition sketch was revised to show two lights based on DTE comments. I didn't realize that the foundations were in place when I provided the sketch.
- 3) The contracting team will remove the third foundation when they are given permission to work in the ROW, which I assume will be when the petition is approved.

Can you give the team advice on how to proceed with the petition?

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Hi Nou,

Regarding your questions:

- 1) I told WSU and contracting team to wait on foundations until DTE and the City had signed off. I have asked WSU and the contractor to answer this question. I will forward the response when I hear from them.

- 2) The SmithGroup team omitted the light from the duct bank area (3rd foundation you noted) long ago on the official drawings. I don't know why the contractor installed this foundation. I have asked for WSU and the contracting team to comment.
- 3) I have asked for WSU and the contracting team to answer this question.

Regards,
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Jerry,

I stopped by the site earlier this morning to review the plans you previously sent. The light foundations are already installed in the field on the south side of Temple, west of Woodward. Your sketch (Temple St. Plan attached) showed only 2 lights being installed east of MH5965, but I noticed there were 3 foundations installed in field – one of which is located directly above our conduit run.

These caissons have been installed prior to approvals through the City Petition process being received. DTE also verbally objected to the lights being placed above our conduit run in a 2018 meeting and also rejected the petition that was originally received on 1/3/2018 (Petition 1683 attached).

DTE would like to know:

1. Why are these foundations installed in field prior to the City Petition being approved?
2. Why are only 2 out of the 3 light installations shown on your petition sketch, specifically the omission of the one placed directly above our conduit run?
3. What is the scheduled time frame for the lighting foundation in conflict to be removed from above our infrastructure?

Please see attached site photo for reference.

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Hi Nou,

I understand that Wayne State's construction manager has not yet installed two lights on the south side of Temple Street, but the lights are still part of the intended plan.

I have marked the light locations on the attached PDF (Temple St. Plan.pdf). The lights are proposed for locations east of DTE manhole 5965. DTE records indicate that the DTE duct bank east of this manhole is beneath the roadway as opposed to beneath the sidewalk. I have also attached DTE historic drawings (.jpg format) for your quick reference. The second attached PDF (ID-TEMPLE-16152-11028-6.pdf) shows the DTE proposed drawing for electric service to the WSU MISB facility. This drawing is also attached for your quick reference.

Could you and your team review and comment on the attached drawing and note if DTE is opposed to the lights proposed for the south side of Temple?

The intent of this email is to get any comments on these lights from DTE on an informal basis. Then, the WSU team will incorporate comments and resubmit the drawing to the City of Detroit as a formal petition modification. The City will then send the drawings to DTE for final comment. As we discussed yesterday, DTE will only provide a formal response to the petition if the revised drawings are submitted by the City to DTE.

Here's the sequence of next steps, as I understand it:

- SG provides DTE with plan showing ROW lights (see attachment to this email)
- DTE provides informal comments
- SG finalizes plan and sends to City
- City sends official petition modification plan to DTE
- DTE formally comments to the City, allowing finalization of the petition
- City of Detroit informs the WSU team of the acceptance of the plan

Thank you for your time.

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