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LETTER OF COMMENT

Comments:

Execulnk Telecom Inc. has been fulfilling local telecommunications needs in Lambton County for over 100 years. We are the incumbent telephone company providing copper and fibre facilities to Thedford and Port Franks and a facilities based Cable TV provider serving communities within Lambton County. As well, our fibre is located throughout the county.

Many of our facilities are located within municipal road allowances and rights of way.

Projects such as described in this application can be very disruptive to our company and our customers. Having said that we support progressive and renewable energy sources but would like the OEB to consider the following should they grant the application.

We request an increased minimum distance of Suncor's collector lines to our facilities as this is sandy soil and it is very difficult to keep a solid ground in these areas. Obviously, where possible, we would prefer Suncor facilities be buried on the opposite side of the street to our facilities in order to reduce induction. We are very open to having meetings with Suncor's engineers

For locates, we would like to offer a free 60 day locate and a call to our office for a repaint if required.

We would also request the names of the contractors that Suncor plans on using for this project so that we can take precautionary measures early in the project so as to minimize disruption and cost.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

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