

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

An ordinance amending Sections 62.02 and 62.04 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to provide insurance and notification requirements for public utilities performing construction work in the public right-of-way under permit from the Bureau of Engineering.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 62.02(f)(2) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

2. **Exception.** The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to the Federal Government, the State of California, any county, city or county, municipal corporation, irrigation district, school district, district established by law, any political subdivision of the Federal Government or State of California, or any contractor or subcontractor while performing work under contract to any such entity pursuant to a permit issued under the provisions of this section.

Sec. 2. Section 62.02(g) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

(g) **Contents of Permits.** A permit issued by the Bureau of Engineering pursuant to the provisions of this section may impose conditions and requirements for its use, including, but not limited to, specifying the type of backfill material used; the backfilling method; special City inspections of the permitted work; and the manner in which a surface cut is to be made. In addition, a permit issued to a public utility regulated by the California Public Utilities Commission shall include a requirement that, prior to the commencement of any work under the permit, the public utility provide to the Bureau of Contract Administration a written affidavit designating the public utility's authorized representative who will be performing the work described in the permit.


Sec. 3. Section 62.04(b) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

(b) **Notification of Start of Work.** The permittee shall notify the Bureau of Contract Administration not less than one working day prior to starting work on any excavation which will extend 100 square feet or more in area. In the case of an excavation being made by a department of this City, such notification shall be made by the responsible supervisor. If the permittee is a public utility regulated by the California Public Utilities Commission, the permittee shall notify the Bureau of Contract Administration not less than one working day prior to starting work on any excavation.

Sec. 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

Approved as to Form and Legality

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I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

CITY CLERK

MAYOR

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Ordinance Passed \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_