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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SIGNATURE OF PRESIDENT AND CLERK ON  
AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD AND COMED.**

WHEREAS, The Corporate Authorities of the Village of Lombard have received an agreement between the Village of Lombard and ComEd, as attached hereto and marked as Exhibit "A" regarding engineering services for underground relocation of electric facilities in the downtown; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities deem it to be in the best interest of the Village of Lombard to approve such agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD, DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: That the Village President be and hereby is authorized to sign on behalf of the Village of Lombard said document as attached hereto.

SECTION 2: That the Village Clerk be and hereby is authorized to attest said agreement as attached hereto.

Adopted this 1st day of February, 2007.

Ayes: Trustees Gron, Tross, O'Brien, Sebby, Florey & Soderstrom

Nayes: None

Absent: None

Approved this 1st day of February, 2007.

  
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William J. Mueller, Village President

ATTEST:

  
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Brigitte O'Brien, Village Clerk

# CUSTOMER WORK AGREEMENT

PL#: 455081

CWA # : PM070018 R: 0000

Date: 01/16/2007

VILLAGE OF LOMBARD ("Customer") and ComEd ("Company") agree that the Company will furnish at the Customer's expense the labor and materials necessary to do the work for the Customer on or adjacent to the Customer's premises at **255 E WILSON AVE, \*1, LOMBARD, ILLINOIS**, described below. NON-REFUNDABLE ADV DEPOSIT FOR DESIGN OF U.G. RELOCATION OF ELECTRIC FACILITIES A T MAIN ST & ST-CHARLES RD

	\$	15,000.00
Base Tax	\$	0.00
Regulatory Tax	\$	0.00
Municipal Tax	\$	0.00
Total Customer Charge	\$	15,000.00

The Customer agrees to pay to the Company the sum of \$ **15,000.00**, payment in full due prior to beginning of Company work.

The charges listed in this contract are for performing the work identified herein under normal field conditions. If abnormal field conditions are encountered and additional labor and material are required to complete the work, or if the scope of work is altered, ComEd reserves the right to collect, and the owner agrees to pay, additional money to cover the increased costs.

The sketch, if any, attached hereto is hereby made a part of this Agreement and expressly designates ownership of the facilities referred to.

The Total Customer Charge reflects the scope of work described in this Customer Work Agreement that will be performed by the Company. This Customer Work Agreement does not include charges for the installation, relocation and/or removal of any facilities owned by others, such as cable television, communication companies and/or municipalities. It is the Customer's responsibility to contact these other companies for their scope of work and related charges, and to obtain a schedule commitment for the installation, relocation and/or removal of their respective facilities. Upon request, the Company will provide the Customer with the appropriate contact information.

Work will be done during the Company's regular working hours, unless otherwise specified.

This Agreement shall be void if not accepted by the Customer within thirty days from date submitted.

Transformers and metering equipment installed in conjunction with this work, shall in all cases, remain the property of the Company.

In the event the work covered by this Agreement cannot be completed within one year from the above date as a result of delays on the part of the Customer or because the Company has been denied access to the premises, the charge to the Customer shall be recomputed based on the level of costs prevailing at the time of completion of the work as stipulated in the Company's General Company Order No. 25.

This agreement is subject to the provisions of the Company's Schedule of Rates and Information and Requirements for Electric Services as on file with the Illinois Commerce Commission.

FOR THE COMPANY:

*Francisco Perez Jr*

Submitted By \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name

*Francisco Perez Jr*

Accepted By \_\_\_\_\_ Signature

*Francisco Perez Jr*

Print Name

FOR THE APPLICANT:

*William J. Mueller*

Accepted By \_\_\_\_\_ Signature

William J. Mueller

Print Name

Village President

Official Capacity

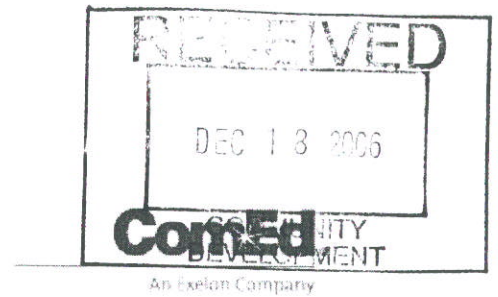
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Work Task Number: 0601029111 M.O.:

Payment Stamp

Mail Bills To:

VILLAGE OF LOMBARD  
255 E WILSON AVE



2 Lincoln Centre  
Facility Relocation 8<sup>th</sup> Fl  
Oak Brook Terrace, IL 60181

December 12, 2006

Village of Lombard  
Michelle Kulikowski  
Department of Community Development  
255 E. Wilson Ave  
Lombard, IL 60148-3926

Re: Cost to Underground Overhead Electric Lines

Dear Ms. Kulikowski,

This letter is in reply to an inquiry regarding the estimated cost to the **Village of Lombard** (the Village) to accommodate the Village's request for Commonwealth Edison (ComEd) to underground ComEd's overhead electric lines. The subject electric line is located at **1.) E/S Main St north of St-Charles Rd; 2.) E/S Main St, south of St-Charles Rd; and 3.) First two poles on W/S Main St south of St-Charles Rd.**

As an Illinois public utility, ComEd is subject to the terms and conditions of the Illinois Public Utilities Act (220 ILCS) and is obligated to provide reliable service at least cost. The relevant section of the Illinois Public Utilities Act (PUA) is Section 5/8-401, which states:

*Every public utility subject to this Act shall provide service and facilities which are in all respects adequate, efficient, reliable and environmentally safe and which, consistent with these obligations, constitute the least-cost means of meeting the utility's service obligations.*

Consequently, when a customer, municipality, or any third party requests that ComEd's facilities be constructed in a manner such that additional costs are incurred, ComEd is obligated to collect such additional costs from the requesting party. As such, the least cost manner to construct distribution feeders is by overhead pole line and thus the Village must pay for the additional cost of the requested undergrounding.

The estimated additional cost to underground the existing line is approximately **\$120,000.00**. Please remember that these costs which is being provided to the Village for this project, is a high level estimate and the final costs may be higher or lower depending on final engineering design, difficulty of work area, and what the accepted contract bid is for performing the work. This estimate is for ComEd electric facilities only. The Village will need to contact other utilities for their relocation cost. Another cost for the Village to consider will be the conversion of existing overhead service to underground.

If the Village desires a detailed engineering design and cost estimate, there will be a charge to the Village of **\$15,000.00**. This engineering charge is non-refundable, but will be credited toward the final cost of the project if the Village authorizes the construction work to proceed.

When the engineering design cost estimate is calculated, there are two payment options available to the Village. The first is under Rate 6, which would be a lump sum payment (or part thereof) prior to the start of construction with a final bill invoiced upon completion of all work.


The second option would be under Rider 28, Local Government Compliance Clause, where ComEd adds an additional "per kilowatt-hour charge" onto the monthly bills of all customers within the municipal boundaries of **Village of Lombard**. As costs for this project are incurred each month, the appropriate share of those costs will be reflected as a separate line item charge on the monthly bills of the customers. The "per kilowatt-hour" charges will continue until the project is completed and all costs for the project are reflected on ComEd's books of account.

Typically ComEd will install the new underground facilities using an open trench method. The new underground facilities must be placed in easement. ComEd will identify the easement areas and the Village will secure easements for the affected landowners.

From the initial look of the job area ComEd will need to install approximately 600 feet of primary and 300 feet of secondary underground cable, four pad-mounted transformer banks, one pole-mounted transformers bank, one overhead cable lateral pole, three service pedestals and other associated equipment. Also, two borings underneath the pavement on Main St will be required. Existing customers served from the subject aerial facilities will be required to modify their electric entrance equipment per local code and furnish, install, own and maintain underground secondary service cables and conduits. ComEd will furnish and install standard sized lugs and connect the customer's service cables at the transformer or pedestal. The Village will be required to restore pavements, curbs and landscape. ComEd will remove approximately seven spans of electric aerial distribution facilities. All work is performed during normal hours. At the end of the useful life of such plant items, or if these facilities must be relocated, ComEd retains it's right to install overhead facilities as part of its obligation to provide service at least cost. Final design plan is contingent upon approval from the appropriate governmental agency.

I trust that this answers the Village's concerns about the subject project. We look forward to continuing the excellent working relationship, which we have enjoyed with the people of **Lombard**.

Sincerely,



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Cc: George Welter - ComEd External Affairs Manager