

Department:
Public Works & Engineering

Section:
TA – Third Party Activities

TA-05 Seismic/Geophysical Exploration Conditions of Approval

1. A written notification, together with a plan of the proposed project, as approved by the appropriate Provincial Department, indicating the area of the operation and equipment to be utilized, must be filed with the County Manager of the Leduc County at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance of initiating any seismic/geophysical exploration activity.
2. The Exploration Regulations must be strictly adhered to.
3. Any damage or disrepair caused within the right-of-way of any public road or highway, including the ditch area or culverts or bridge structures, shall be immediately restored, rehabilitated or repaired to a like, pre-entry or improved condition.
4. The exploration applicant, licensee or permittee will indemnify and save harmless the County from any claims, proceedings, demands and liabilities which may be brought or made by third parties against the County in respect of injury, loss or damage to person(s) or property to the extent that same is attributable to the explorations activity/operation.
5. Operations or testing within road right-of-ways shall be allowed during daylight hours only.
6.
 - (a) At no time shall a public road or highway be closed to traffic, nor shall traffic be unduly delayed.
 - (b) No testing shall be conducted nearer to a bridge, pier or large culvert structure of a 1.8 metre (6 feet) diameter or larger than that permitted by the Exploration Regulations.
 - (c) No cleated equipment shall be permitted to operate on the road/highway surface, including any approach.
 - (d) Any access required to the road ditches shall be obtained off approaches.
 - (e) In general, all reasonable precautions shall be undertaken during the testing to ensure the safety of the travelling public and to protect the property of adjacent property owners. This would include the appropriate use of signing and flag persons.
7. Written notice of departure from the County must be provided within seventy-two (72) hours.

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That each Councillor be notified as soon as possible by the Public Works Department of the geophysical/seismic program within his or her electoral division.

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