Utility Relocations
Permit Coordination

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Utility Relocation - Coordination with Permits

- High risk activity – Could generate NOVs
- Requires monitoring/oversight by Inspection

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Subject: NOTICE OF VIOLATION
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NC DOT
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- Mark the limits of impacts with high visibility fencing
- Monitor erosion control
Resident Engineer’s Responsibility

- Meet with Utility reps, DEO & Roadside Environmental for a “in the field” Utility Relocation Pre-Con.

- Review the proposed relocation work with the approved permit drawings.
Resident Engineer’s Responsibility

- Determine if additional impacts will be needed in permit drawings. Do the permit drawings accurately depict the work to be performed by the utility crews?

- Ensure everyone (including subcontractors working for the utility company) is made fully aware of the permit conditions.
Resident Engineer’s Responsibility

- Ensure the permit impacts (clearing, trenching etc.) are clearly delineated before any work begins.

- Monitor/inspect the utility work during the relocation to insure activities adhere to the permit conditions.
Resident Engineer’s Responsibility

- Ensure that an approved erosion control plan is provided by the Utility Companies if the work is outside of the project’s normal construction limits. This plan is typically designed by the Utility company and approved by DENR - Land Quality.