

Minutes of WG&E Meeting on Installations with the Heath MLB

January 18, 2022 at 1:30

virtual meeting

Present: WG&E: Betsy Loiko, and Chris LaVertu

MLB: Art Schwenger, Anne Emmet, David Gordon, Bill Fontes, and Ned Wolf
with Jan Carr visiting, and MLP Manager, Sheila Litchfield

Absent: Brian Sullivan

Chris told Sheila that he plans to have a total amount projected for the cost of all Heath drops through the spring of 2022. He will be meeting soon with Bill Ennen and will tell him what that amount is.

Sheila asked Chris for the FY23 total cost of the subscriptions for Heath's municipal network. Chris said that they had settled on a rate for those subscriptions and have been billing since the ONTs were installed. He said he can have the answers by next Tuesday.

Sheila asked about the customer in FSA 4 being charged \$150 for a temporary overhead line. Chris checked his files and found that the person had signed up in January of 2021. The customer was identified by Precision Valley Communications' design as 'overhead'. On December 17th a technician realized that it is an 'underground'. The \$150. includes the cost of the technician's returning to remove the overhead and hook up the underground. The installation is scheduled for January 25th.

Sheila said that we would like the installation to proceed and that she would reach out to Lee Anne at WG&E to discuss the billing.

Chris told Sheila he would ask John Leary how the mix-up occurred leading to preventive maintenance being done by Kinsley at John's direction on Heath's hut generator instead of being done according to the Heath contract.

Chris asked David about the Friday redundancy meeting of the Northern Ring Towns with WG&E and 2 representatives of Nokia. David said the meeting was productive and WG&E seemed headed in a positive direction.

The meeting adjourned at 1:50.

Respectfully submitted,

Ned Wolf