Minutes of the Heath MLPAC Meeting with WG&E and TriWire January 19, 2021 at 2 pm

Present: MLPAC : Art Schwenger, Jan Carr, Margo Newton, and Ned Wolf;
MLP Manager, Sheila Litchfield
WG&E: Joe Parda, Tom Kolek, Dave Loiko, Rich Carnall, and
Laura Dorman
TriWire: Jordan Hawes, Dave Libbey, Dave Paplawski

Jordan said that he is finishing up work on Taylor Brook Road and that he had been pulling cable into the hut. He said he hopes to finish the installation of MST's in FSA 3 by February 1.

Joe said that on Friday MBI would be pulling cable into the hut. Sheila assured Joe that the hut has been plowed, sanded, and made ready for MBI on Friday.

Jordan said that Verizon has dropped off 1 pole on the side of Taylor Brook Road apparently for replacing pole 19 or 20. Dave Loiko knows of no other progress towards replacing those poles.

Joe said that he received the redesign for FSA 4. He sent it back for adjustments related to Apache Drive.

Dave Libbey reported on splicing in FSA 2. There are 3 enclosures to visit in FSA 2 for splicing. Cases 10 and 20 will be spliced tomorrow. They will start testing on January 25 and expect to finish by February 16. Jordan said he expected rented testing equipment to arrive within a few days. They are looking towards a February 24 release date for FSA 2 and the beginning of drops on February 24 or March 1. In answering Art's question about the length of time needed to complete the drops in FSA 2, Joe said 60 days or possibly 30-45 days depending on the availability of 17 installers who will be working in 3 or 4 towns. Families with schoolchildren will be called first and scheduled first.

Sheila asked at what date the phone calls for FSA 2 appointments will start. Joe said that mid-February was possible, the last week in February more likely, and the first week in March for certain.

Dave Paplawski said he is still confident in the April 24 release date for FSA 1.

TriWire left the meeting at 2:29 pm.

Joe said that he will send a cut sheet map of FSA 4 to MLPAC members to confirm. When asked about a Heath resident who had been included in FSA 4 and then switched to FSA 3, Laura confirmed that. Joe said that they would get it squared away and tell us.

A virtual meeting to review the cut sheet for FSA 4 was scheduled for WG&E and the Heath MLPAC at 3:30 pm on Wednesday, January 20.

The meeting adjourned at 3:43 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Ned Wolf