

CITY OF SOMERVILLE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts 93 Highland Avenue Somerville, MA 02143 (617) 625-6600

BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATION - Grant of Location

File #: 25-023923

License #: BL25-000120 Address: 156 ALBION ST

Licensee: Dave Flewelling Comcast of Massachusetts/ New Hampshire, LLC

DBA Name: Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC

Business Ownership Type: LLC

Legal Name of Entity: Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC Owners/Officers: Brian Roberts, Brian Roberts, Brian Roberts

License Information:

Grant of location issued to: Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC

Describe the reason for the work, and the intended beneficiaries: Excavating to provide the Comcast

Service to number 156 Albion Street in Somerville.

Insert here the same detailed description of the work as appears in the attached Grant of Location Order: Albion Street: Starting at existing Utility Pole No. 3/22 excavating to place (1) 4" PVC conduit 64' ± to provide the Comcast Service to number 156 Albion Street.

Approved By:

Malik Drayton, Approved with Conditions

APPROVAL CONDITION: MD20250918: Contractor shall take all necessary precautions to avoid damaging any tree or tree part with equipment.

APPROVAL CONDITION: MD20250918: All nearby street tree(s) shall be protected prior to and during all construction activities using TREE BOX or TREE WRAPS. TREE BOX shall be constructed from 2 in. x 4 in. lumber creating a box around the border of the tree pit with 2 in. x 4 in. lumber standing straight up at the corners and wrapped with orange snow fence. TREE WRAPS (TREE TRUNK WRAPPING PROTECTION LUMBER) shall consist of 2 in. x 4 in. and 8 ft. height lumber wired together in close spacing with zip ties or 16 gauge galvanized steel wire to form a protective enclosure around tree trunks. Use burlap to separate the wood from the bark if necessary to prevent wood from scraping or bruising bark. Do not use staples or puncture the trunk in any way.

APPROVAL CONDITION: MD20250918: Any tree roots less than two (2) inches in diameter that cannot be avoided during construction shall be carefully and cleanly cut with a clean pair of pruning shears or loppers. Roots are to be cut back flush with the edge of the trench. If any tree roots greater than two (2) inches in diameter are encountered, stop work immediately and contact the City Urban Forester. Any and all pruning of roots greater than 2 inches in diameter must be completed under the supervision of the City Urban Forester.

Mads Filtenborg, Approved with Conditions

APPROVAL CONDITION 09/10/25-MF: Concrete sidewalk to be restored in-kind after conduit installation. APPROVAL CONDITION 09/10/25-MF: Any work requiring the use of the street and/or sidewalk will require a Street/Sidewalk Occupancy Permit from the Engineering Department. Apply via Citizen Serve

before conduit installation.
Eric Weisman, Approved
Kimberly M. Wells, Approved



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

KATJANA BALLANTYNE MAYOR

KIMBERLY M. WELLS
CITY CLERK

September 29, 2025

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

You are hereby notified that the Somerville City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the following Petition on Thursday, October 9, at 7:00 PM. You are receiving this Notice because the Petitioner has reported that you own property that abuts the work that is being proposed. You and other members of the public are invited to attend and be heard at this Hearing.

This meeting of the City Council will be conducted in person and by remote participation, using the Zoom platform.

You have three ways to be heard at this meeting:

- 1. In person at the City Council Chamber, City Hall, 2nd Floor, 93 Highland Avenue, Somerville, MA 02143.
- Virtually through the Zoom platform. Enter this link into your internet browser any time before the meeting:
 https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_I-ItAkliSlutqzfCD6JyPg.
 You can also find this link on the City Council's calendar. You will then be asked to register; after registering, you will receive an email with instructions to join the webinar.
- 3. If you are unable to attend but wish to be heard, you may send written comments by US mail to the City Clerk at the address below, or by email to publiccomments@somervillema.gov. Your comments must arrive no later than 4:30pm the day before the Hearing, in order to be sure they are conveyed to the Council.

PETITION: Comcast is applying for a Grant of Location to install approximately a total of 64 feet of conduit in Albion Street, from an existing Utility Pole 3/22 to an approximate point of pickup at 156 Albion Street.

TIME: Thursday, October 9, 2025, at 7:00 PM.

PURPOSE: This work is necessary to provide the Comcast Service to 156 Albion Street in Somerville.

PETITION FOR GRANT OF LOCATION FOR WIRES, CABLES, POLES, PIERS, ABUTMENTS, CONDUITS OR FIXTURES

City of Somerville, Massachusetts In Board of Aldermen

Date September ,2025

RESPECTFULLY REPRESENTS Comcast Cable Communications Management LLC (hereinafter known as the PETITIONER), that it desires to construct upon, along, under or across the public way(s) of the City of Somerville, wires, cables, poles, piers, abutments, conduits or fixtures.

WHEREFORE, the PETITIONER prays that, after due notice and public hearing as provided by law, the Board of Aldermen may by Order grant to the PETITIONER permission to construct, in accordance with plan(s) dated <u>September 8,2025</u>, the following (describe work):

Albion Street: Starting at existing Utility Pole No. 3/22 excavating to place (1) 4" PVC conduit 64' ± to provide the Comcast Service to number 156 Albion Street.

The PETITIONER understands and agrees that:

- 1. PETITIONER shall locate and complete all work as specified and approved by the City.
- 2. PETITIONER shall comply with the requirements of existing ordinances and such as may hereafter be adopted governing the construction.
- 3. PETITIONER shall perform all work to the requirements and satisfaction of the Department of Public Works or other such officer(s) as may be hereafter appointed by the City.

For the PETITIONER:
Signature:
Name: <u>David R. Flewelling</u>
Title: Specialist 2, Construction
Mailing Address: 9 Forbes Rd Suite 9B
Woburn, MA 01801
Telephone 617-279-7864

ORDER FOR GRANT OF LOCATION FOR WIRES, CABLES, POLES, PIERS, ABUTMENTS, CONDUITS OR FIXTURES

City of Somerville. Massachusetts In Board of Aldermen

WHEREAS, <u>Comcast Cable Communications Management</u>, <u>LLC</u> (hereinafter known as the PETITIONER) has petitioned for permission to construct upon, along, under or across the public way(s) of the City of Somerville, the following (describe work):

Albion Street: Starting at existing Utility Pole No. 3/22 excavating to place (1) 4" PVC conduit $64' \pm$ to provide the Comcast Service to number 156 Albion Street.

AND WHEREAS, notice has been given and a hearing held on said petition as provided by law; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

ORDERED that the PETITIONER be and hereby is granted permission by the Board of Aldermen to complete the construction described above, all in accordance with the following conditions:

- 1. PETITIONER shall locate and complete all work as shown by plan(s) dated ______, and as may have been amended by the City.
- 2. PETITIONER shall comply with the requirements of existing ordinances and such as may hereafter be adopted governing the construction.
- 3. PETITIONER shall perform all work to the requirements and satisfaction of the Department of Public Works or other such officer(s) as may be hereafter appointed by the City.

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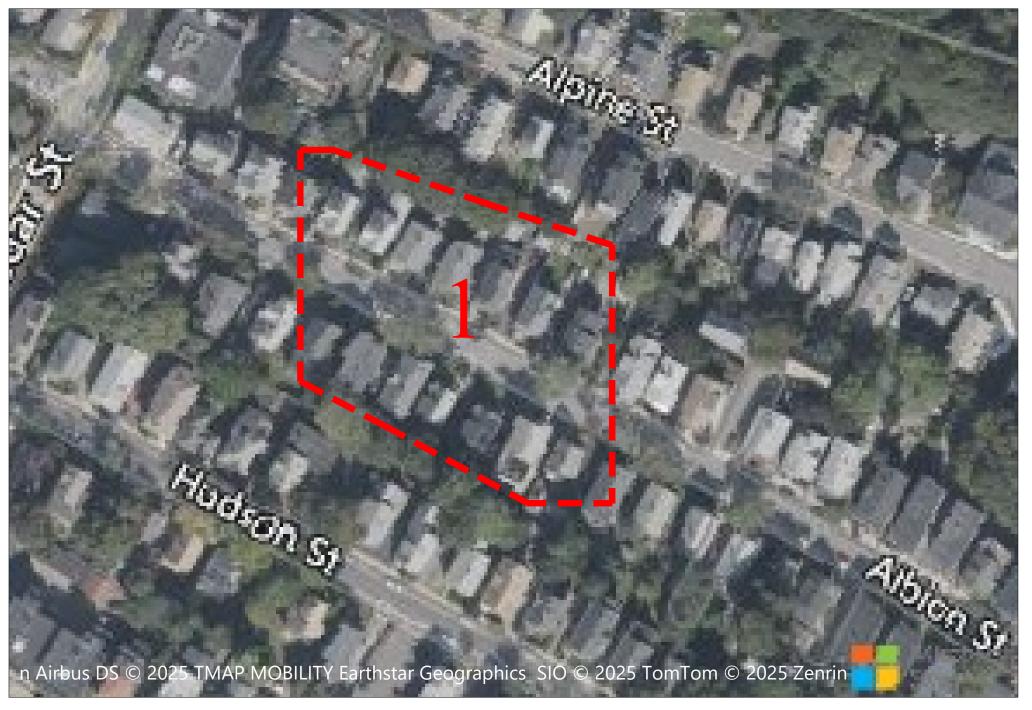
, 2025

Approved by the Board of Aldermen on the

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A True Record. Atte	st:_Date:	City Clerk
	C	ertificate
I hereby certify that t	he foregoing Order was a	dopted by the Board of Aldermen on the day
of	2025, after due notice	and public hearing as prescribed by Section 22 of
Chapter 166 of the G	eneral Laws and any add	itions or amendments thereto, said public hearing held
in said City on the	day of	2025, and recorded with the records of
Grant of Location O	rders of said City, in Boo	k, Page
Certified.Attest: – Clerk		City Date:



PROPOSED CONDUIT INSTALLATION AT 156 ALBION ST SOMERVILLE, MA







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SHEET NO. DESCRIPTION

-- COVER SHEET
01 PROPOSED CONDUIT INSTALLATION

GENERAL NOTES

- 1. THE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES ARE SHOWN IN AN APPROXIMATE WAY ONLY AND HAVE NOT BEEN INDEPENDENTLY VERIFIED BY THE OWNER OR ITS REPRESENTATIVE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DETERMINE THE EXACT LOCATION OF ALL EXISTING UTILITIES BEFORE COMMENCING WORK, AND SHALL BE FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY AND ALL DAMAGES WHICH MIGHT BE OCCASIONED BY THE CONTRACTOR'S FAILURE TO EXACTLY LOCATE AND PRESERVE ANY AND ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITIES.
- 2. WHERE AN EXISTING UTILITY IS FOUND TO CONFLICT WITH THE PROPOSED WORK, THE LOCATION, ELEVATION AND SIZE OF THE UTILITY SHALL BE ACCURATELY DETERMINED WITHOUT DELAY BY THE CONTRACTOR, AND THE INFORMATION FURNISHED TO THE ENGINEER FOR RESOLUTION OF THE CONFLICT.
- 3. THE CONTRACTOR SHOULD MAINTAIN A SEPARATION OF 18 INCHES MIN. WHEN CROSSING EXISTING WATER FACILITIES.
- 4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAKE ALL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE ALTERATION AND ADJUSTMENT OF GAS, ELECTRIC, TELEPHONE AND ANY OTHER PRIVATE UTILITIES BY THE UTILITY COMPANY.
- 5. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT DISTURB PUBLIC TREES AND SHRUBS.
- 6. AREAS OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF PROPOSED WORK DISTURBED BY THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS SHALL BE RESTORED BY THE CONTRACTOR TO THEIR ORIGINAL CONDITION AT NO EXPENSE TO THE OWNER.
- 7. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PLACING AND MAINTAINING TEMPORARY RESURFACING AND/OR PLATING FOR ALL EXCAVATIONS IN PAVED STREETS AND SIDEWALKS UNTIL PERMANENT RESURFACING IS COMPLETE.
- 8. JOINTS BETWEEN NEW BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ROADWAY PAVEMENT AND SAW CUT EXISTING PAVEMENT SHALL BE SEALED WITH BITUMEN AND BACK SANDED.
- 9. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT AND SUPPORT ALL EXISTING UTILITY LINES THAT BECOME EXPOSED DUE TO EXCAVATION REQUIRED TO INSTALL THE PROPOSED CONDUIT.
- 10. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPLACE ALL DISTURBED TRAFFIC SIGNAL LOOP DETECTORS TO GOOD WORKING CONDITION AS REQUIRED BY THE LATEST STANDARDS OF THE MUNICIPAL TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.
- 11. ALL EXISTING STATE, COUNTY, CITY, AND TOWN LOCATION LINES AND PRIVATE PROPERTY LINES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED FROM AVAILABLE INFORMATION AND THEIR EXACT LOCATION ARE NOT GUARANTEED.
- 12. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPLACE ALL PAVEMENT MARKINGS IN THEIR ENTIRETY THAT HAVE BEEN DAMAGED BY TRENCH EXCAVATION OR OPERATIONS OF THE CONTRACTOR WITH SIMILAR COLOR AND SIZE THERMOPLASTIC MARKINGS.
- ITEM SHOWN ON UTILITY RECORDS,
- BUT NOT FOUND IN FIELD.
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- BUT NOT IN UTILITY RECORDS.



ROADWAY PATCH AND DUCT BANK

INSTALLATION DETAIL

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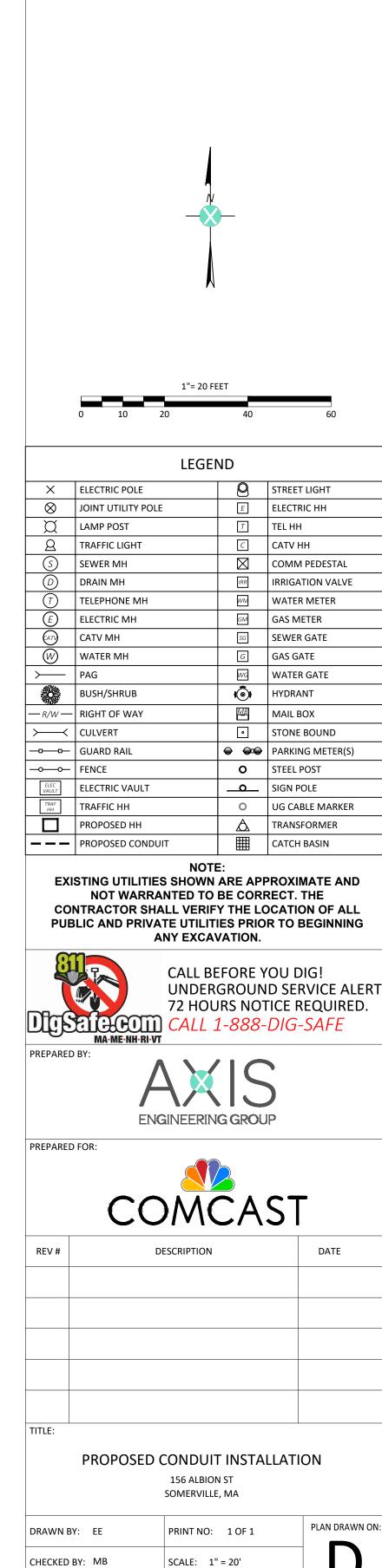
TRENCH DETAIL NOTES:

1. 24" MAXIMUM FROM TOP OF CONDUIT TO SURFACE.

2. 12" FROM TOP OF CONDUIT TO METALLIC

WARNING TAPE PLACED ABOVE.

3. REPAIR SIDEWALKS AND WALKWAYS WITH SAME MATERIALS AS EXISTING.

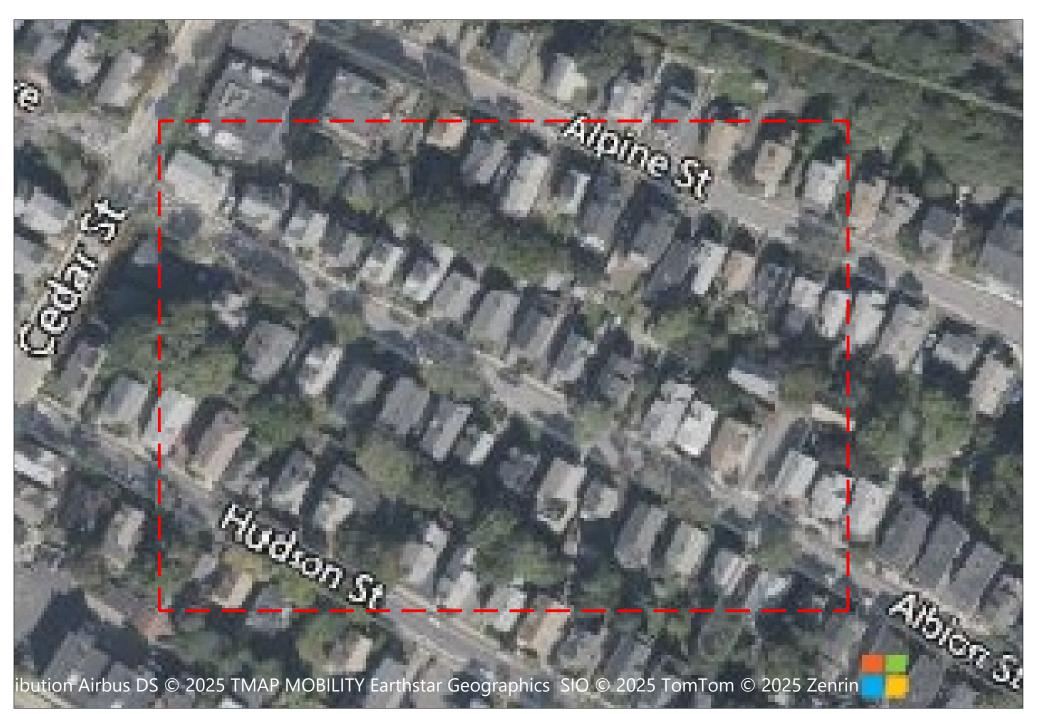


DATE: 09/08/2025

36" X 24"



TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN AT 156 ALBION ST SOMERVILLE, MA

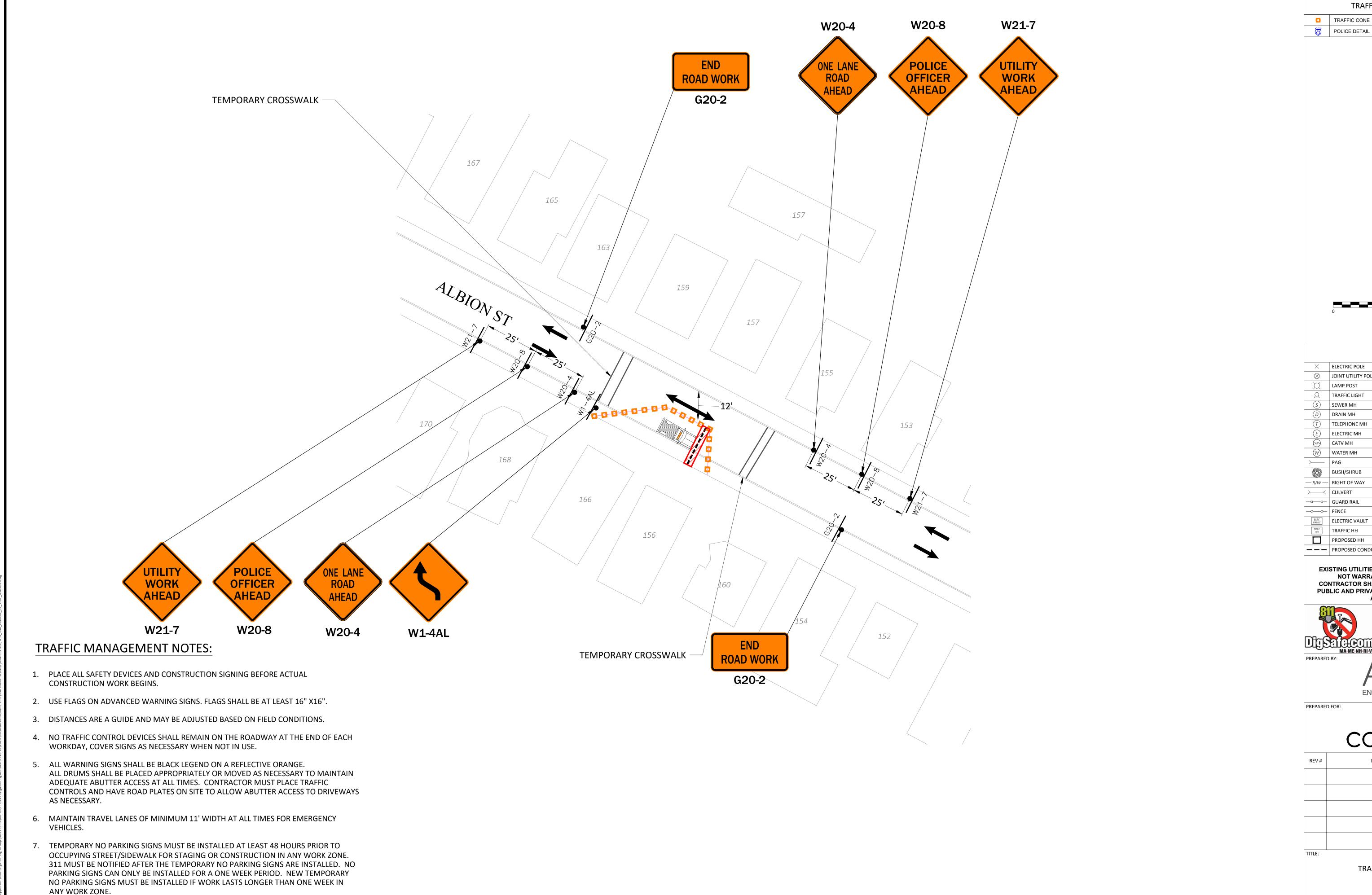


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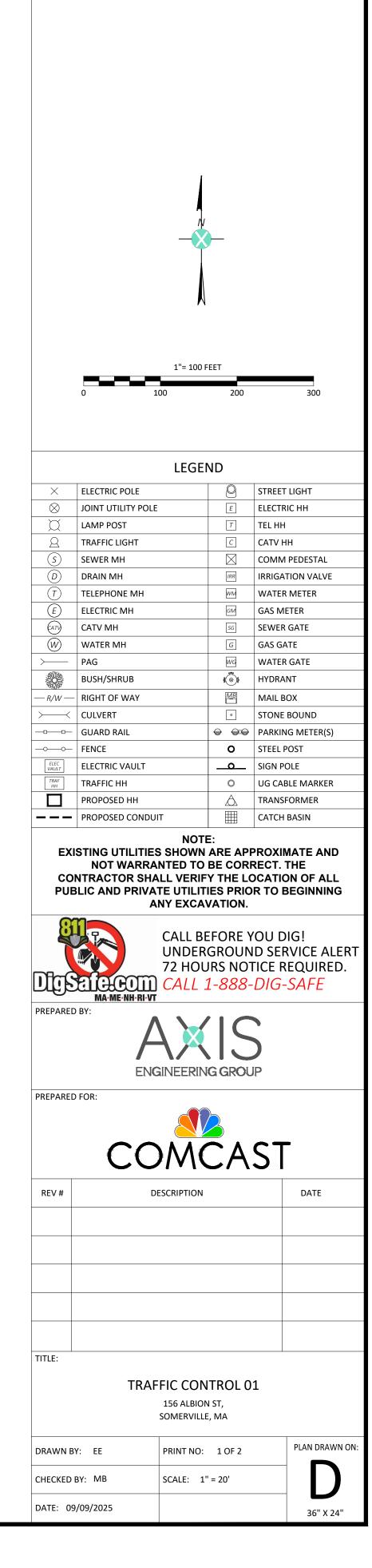
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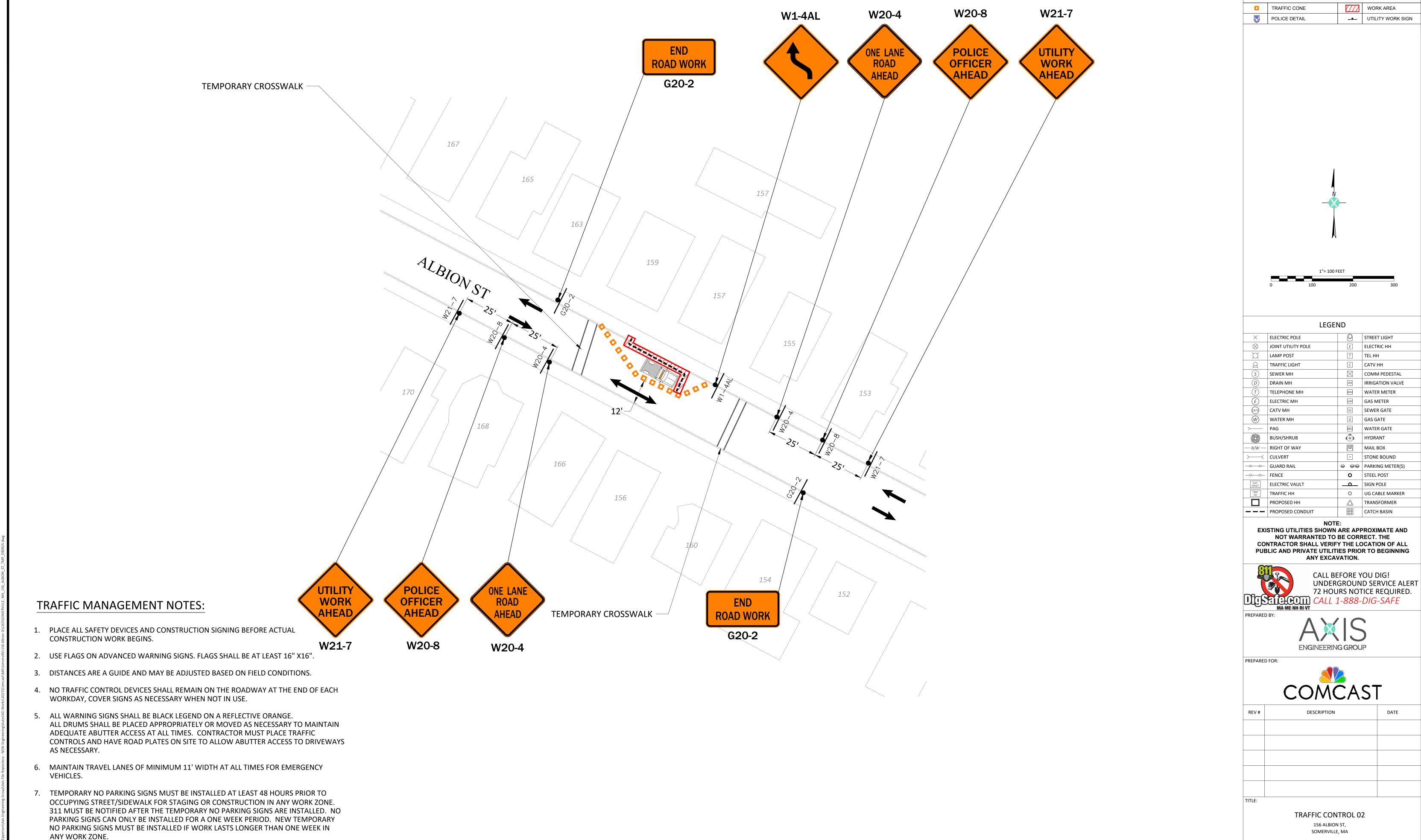
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TRAFFIC CONTROL LEGEND

WORK AREA

UTILITY WORK SIGN



TRAFFIC CONTROL LEGEND

WORK AREA

UTILITY WORK SIGN

STREET LIGHT

TEL HH CATV HH

WM WATER METER

wg WATER GATE

(®) HYDRANT MAIL BOX

____ SIGN POLE

GAS METER

SEWER GATE GAS GATE

| STONE BOUND

→ → PARKING METER(S) O STEEL POST

O UG CABLE MARKER

CATCH BASIN

PLAN DRAWN ON

PRINT NO: 2 OF 2

SCALE: 1" = 20'

DRAWN BY: EE

CHECKED BY: MB

DATE: 09/09/2025

TRANSFORMER

ELECTRIC HH

COMM PEDESTAL IRRIGATION VALVE

TMP.

CONTRACTOR MUST HAVE A COPY OF AN APPROVED TMP AT THE JOB SITE AT ALL TIMES. ALL SIGNAGE AND TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES MUST BE INSTALLED AS INDICATED ON THE 156 ALBION LLC 32 MURDOCK ST. APT B SOMERVILLE, MA 02145 GALLAGHER LISA 1 HUTCHINSON ROAD WINCHESTER, MA 01890 MACHADO LUCILLE M TRUSTEE 54 CONCORD AVE SOMERVILLE, MA 02143

POTKIN LANE & ERIC 160 ALBION ST SOMERVILLE, MA 02144 RAPOSO JOHN S & LUCIA A FOR LIFE 157 ALBION ST SOMERVILLE, MA 02144