



Braintree Town Council

ORDER NO: 21 045

DATE FILED: SEPTEMBER 21, 2021

REQUEST OF: NATIONAL GRID

National Grid hereby respectfully requests your consent to the locations of mains as hereinafter described for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the following public streets, lanes, highways, and places of the Town of Braintree and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and accomplish the objects of said Company; and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same:

**National Grid hereby requests to extend the 2-inch plastic main on Walnut Street 50 feet to service 274 Walnut Street, Braintree. Install approximately 40 feet of 1-inch service to point of entry with the following Staff Recommendations:**

**BELD:** BELD has no utility conflicts with this petition Order 21 045.

**DPW:** The DPW has reviewed the subject petition and the accompanying sketch for the gas main extension on Walnut St. The work is being proposed is to bring gas service to house #274 Walnut St. This section of Walnut Street is not under the moratorium. The street was last resurfaced by overlay in 2012. While the roadway is not under moratorium, the pavement is generally in good condition. As such, the DPW recommends that the petition be granted with the following conditions:

- A temporary patch shall be placed immediately after the work. The street excavation should be sawcut, backfilled and compacted in 8-inch lifts, paved to match existing asphalt depth (with a minimum depth of four inches) in two-inch lifts to match the existing street grade.
- After maintaining the temporary patch through one winter, a permanent patch shall be placed the following spring. The permanent patch should be a grind and inlay patch, milled to one foot outside the trench limits with a pavement depth of 1.5 inches.

We also recommend that the following requirements be added to the permit, if it is to be granted:

- National Grid must arrange a pre-construction meeting with Braintree the DPW to discuss utility corridor assignment. The gas main extension must not encroach on any existing utilities.



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- Neither National Grid nor any of its contractors is authorized to close any street or to close a direction of travel to facilitate their work without authorization from the Director of the Department of Public Works or the Highway Superintendent. The Chief of Police can also authorize a closure for a police or fire emergency. Construction zone traffic safety issues are to be addressed by using appropriate traffic control signs and devices and the use of police officers for traffic control to safely guide traffic through the work zone. If a closure is authorized by the DPW, it shall not be implemented until signs and police officers (where needed) are properly in place in conformity with the written plan prepared by the contractor's engineer and approved by the DPW and Police Department."

YEAS: Boericke, Connors, Flaherty, Hume, Mackin, O'Brien, Ringius, Ryan, Sciascia

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

PASSED IN COUNCIL: OCTOBER 5, 2021

A True Record, Attest:

10/8/2021

Date Approved

James M. Casey  
James M. Casey, Town Clerk

PETITION OF NATIONAL GRID FOR GAS MAIN LOCATIONS

# 2 1 - 0 4 5

**Town of Braintree / Town Council:**

The Nationalgrid hereby respectfully requests your consent to the locations of mains as hereinafter described for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the following public streets, lanes, highways and places of the **Town of Braintree** and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and accomplish the objects of said Company; and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same:

**To extend 2-inch plastic main on Walnut Street 50 feet to service 274 Walnut St. Braintree. Install approximately 40 feet of 1-inch service to POE.**

September 02, 2021

By: *Mary Mulrone*  
Mary Mulrone  
Permit Representative

**Town of Braintree / Town Council:**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the locations of the mains of the Nationalgrid for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the public streets, lanes, highways and places of the **Town of Braintree** substantially as described in the petition date September 02 2021 attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof, and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and/or accomplish the objects of said Company, and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same, are hereby consented to and approved.

The said Nationalgrid shall comply with all applicable provisions of law and ordinances of the **Town of Braintree** applicable to the enjoyment of said locations and rights.

Date this 8th day of October, 2021.

I hereby certify that the foregoing order was duly adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Braintree, MA on the 5th day of October, 2021.

By: *James M. Casey*  
James M. Casey  
Town Clerk  
Title

WO# 1419421

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NATIONAL GRID  
40 SYLVAN RD, WALTHAM, MA 02451  
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NATIONAL GRID