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PLAINFIELD RESIDENTS

The Planning Board, in accordance with RSA 231, will hold scenic road hearings on **Monday December 7th 2015** starting at 7:00pm at the Meriden Town Hall 110 Main Street. The hearings concern a request by Liberty Utilities to perform routine tree trimming line maintenance on the following Plainfield scenic roads: River Rd (1972) , Black Hill Road (1982), and Pierce Road (1984) . Information outlining the requested road side trimming is available online at www.plainfieldnh.org/planning.html and at the town office at 110 Main Street Meriden village. For those that wish to attend, a site visit to the locations will take place on **Monday November 30th at 9:00am at the intersection of Black Hill Road and Old Country Road.** All are welcome.

PLAINFIELD PLANNING BOARD

Monday NOV
3:00 PM
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e-mail out
to Jeff

November 3, 2015

Town of Plainfield
Planning Board
PO Box 380
Meriden, NH 03770

Dear Planning Board:

Liberty Utilities will be performing scheduled vegetation management for the safety and reliability of the electric distribution system on River Rd., Black Hill Rd. and Pierce Rd. which designated scenic roads in the Town of Plainfield. The details for the proposed work is enclosed.

The planned work can be categorized as follows: any and all trees over the 15 inch circumference limit will be pruned to remove dead/dying, weak and structurally poor limbs to conform to the clearances specified by the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission:

Puc 307.10 Tree-Pruning Standards.

(a) With the land-owner's consent, utilities shall prune trees adjacent to all distribution circuits to the following minimum clearances on no more than a 5 year cycle:

- (1) 10 feet below the conductors;
- (2) 8 feet to the side of the nearest conductor; and
- (3) 15 feet above the conductors, at time of pruning.

(b) Utilities shall implement measures such as mid-cycle reviews to identify and mitigate elevated risk from tree exposure on circuits or sections of circuits that are significantly and/or continually experiencing tree-related interruptions, where it is practical to do so.

(c) Utilities shall not be required to prune to the clearance standards specified in (a) of this section where:

- (1) The land-owner has refused or restricted permission to prune;
- (2) A municipality or other local governing body, by ordinance or other official means, has refused or restricted permission to prune; or
- (3) Pruning to the standards specified in subpart (a) would be detrimental to the health of the tree, in which the utility shall adhere to the guidelines provided in ANSI A300 Part 1- 2008 Edition, available as noted in Appendix B.

Trees under the 15 inch circumference limit and brush capable of growing into the energized conductors will be cut with the landowner's consent.

Trees to be removed, based on risk assessment performed by Liberty Utilities and qualified foresters from Environmental Consultants, Inc. (ECI) have been marked with red flagging stapled to the trees. Removals are noted in the enclosed details as "Rmv and Diameter Class" by land type Unmaintained (UM), Roadside R and (M) Maintained.



Please notify as to the date, time and place of the required public hearing at the earliest possible convenience after November 1st for me to present the project for approval.

Should you have any questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact me at 603-306-8211 or jeff.carney@libertyutilities.com.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Jeffrey M. Carney". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Jeffrey M. Carney, NH LPF #169/ISA Certified Arborist NE6299AU
Program Manager Vegetation and Inspections

Liberty Utilities Plainfield Scenic Road Work Summary

StreetName	Circuit	FromPole	ToPole	Activity	Section Count	Removal Count
Black Hill Rd					Total Removals This Road	22
	39L2	0004/001	0004/002	Prune	1	0
	39L2	0004/002	0004/003	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/002	0004/003	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0004/003	0004/004	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/003	0004/004	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0004/004	0004/005	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/005	0004/006	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0004/005	0004/006	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/005	0004/006	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0004/005	0004/006	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0004/006	0004/007	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/007	0004/008	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/008	0004/009	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	2
	39L2	0004/008	0004/009	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0004/008	0004/009	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/009	0004/0010	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0004/009	0004/0010	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0004/009	0004/0010	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/009	0004/0010	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0004/010	0004/0011	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	3
	39L2	0004/010	0004/0011	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0004/010	0004/0011	(R) Rmv 05-08"	0	1
	39L2	0004/010	0004/0011	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0004/010	0004/0011	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	2
	39L2	0004/011	0004/0011-	(R) Rmv 05-08"	0	1
	39L2	0004/011	0004/0011-	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0049/014	0004/001	(M) Rmv 09-12"	0	2
	39L2	0049/014	0004/001	Prune	1	0

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StreetName	Circuit	FromPole	ToPole	Activity	Section Count	Removal Count
Pierce Rd					Total Removals This Road	5
	39L2	0028/0010	0028/010-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0028/0010	0028/0011	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0028/0010	0028/010-5	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	3
	39L2	0028/002	0028/003	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0028/003	0028/004	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0028/003	0028/004	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0028/003	0028/004	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0028/008	0028/0010	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0028/008	0028/008-1	Prune Secondary to spec	0	0
	39L2	0028/010-5	0068/11	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0

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River Rd.					Total Removals This Road	37
	39L2	0027/001	0027/002	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/002	0027/002-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/002-5	0027/003	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/002-5	0027/003	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	2
	39L2	0027/003	0027/003-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/003-5	0027/006	No Work	1	0
	39L2	0027/006	0027/006-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/006-5	0027/007	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/007	0027/008	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/007	0027/008	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0027/008	0027/009	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/008	0027/009	Prune Service to spec	0	0
	39L2	0027/009	0027/010	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/010	0027/011	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/011	0027/011-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/011-5	0027/012	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/012	0415/001	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/012	0027/013	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/012	0027/013	Prune Service to spec	0	0
	39L2	0027/013	0027/014	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/014	0027/014-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/014-5	0027/018	No Work	0	0
	39L2	0027/018	0027/019	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/019	0027/020	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/020	0027/021	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/021	0027/022	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	2
	39L2	0027/021	0027/022	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/022	0027/023	Prune Service to spec	0	0

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StreetName	Circuit	FromPole	ToPole	Activity	Section Count	Removal Count
	39L2	0027/022	0027/023	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/023	0027/024	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/024	0027/025	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/025	0027/026	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/026	0027/027	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/027	0027/028	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/027	0027/028	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0027/028	0027/029	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	2
	39L2	0027/028	0027/029	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/029	0027/030	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/030	0027/031	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	2
	39L2	0027/030	0027/031	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/031	0027/032	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	3
	39L2	0027/031	0027/032	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0027/031	0027/032	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/032	0027/032-1	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/032	0027/032-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/032	0027/032-5	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0027/032-5	0027/033	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/033	0027/034	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/033	0027/034	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/033	0027/033-1	Prune Secondary to spec	1	0
	39L2	0027/034	0027/035	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/034	0027/035	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/035	0027/036	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1

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	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0027/036	0027/037	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0027/037	0027/038	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/038	0027/039	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/038	0027/039	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0027/039	0027/039-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/039-5	0027/040	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/040	0027/041	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/041	0027/043	No Work	0	0
	39L2	0027/043	0027/044	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/044	0027/045	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/045	0027/046	No Work	0	0
	39L2	0027/046	0027/047	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/047	0027/048	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/048	0027/049	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/049	0027/049-5	(R) Rmv 19-24"	0	1
	39L2	0027/049-5	0027/050	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/049-5	0027/050	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0027/050	0027/051	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/051	0027/052	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0027/051	0027/052	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/052	0027/052-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/052-5	0027/053	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/053	0027/054	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/053	0027/054	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	2
	39L2	0027/054	0027/054-5	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/054	0027/054-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/054-5	0027/055	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0

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StreetName	Circuit	FromPole	ToPole	Activity	Section Count	Removal Count
	39L2	0027/054-5	0027/54-51	(R) Rmv 09-12"	0	1
	39L2	0027/054-5	0027/54-51	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/055	0027/056	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/056	0027/056-1	Prune Secondary to spec	0	0
	39L2	0027/056	0027/057	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/056	0027/057	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/057	0027/058	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/057	0027/057-1	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/058	0027/059	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/059	0027/060	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/060	0027/060-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/060-5	0027/061	Prune Service to spec	0	0
	39L2	0027/061	0027/062	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/061	0027/062	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0027/062	0027/063	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/063	0027/063-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/063-5	0027/064	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/064	0027/064-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/064-5	0027/065	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/065	0027/065-5	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/065	0027/065-5	(R) Rmv 25" +	0	1
	39L2	0027/065	0027/065-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/065-5	0027/066	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/066	0027/067	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/067	0027/067-5	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/067	0027/067-5	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/067	0027/067-5	(R) Rmv 13-18"	0	1
	39L2	0027/067*	0027/068	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0027/068	0027/069	No Work	0	0

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StreetName	Circuit	FromPole	ToPole	Activity	Section Count	Removal Count
	39L2	0027/069	0027/070	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0068/90-5	0068/091	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0
	39L2	0068/91	0027/001	Prune and Flat Cut	1	0