



POLICY MANUAL

Policy title:	UNDERGROUNDING OF TELEPHONE PLANT IN SUBDIVISIONS POLICY
Policy number:	1.8.6
Objective:	To ensure all Telecom wires are underground in new subdivisions
Link to community vision/service:	Strategic Planning, Assessment and Construction
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1. A requirement of all subdivision approvals is that all Telecom lines will be underground, irrespective of electricity being supplied by overhead wires or not.
2. Joint use of trenches with electricity or water pipes shall be encouraged to reduce excavation costs.