

## ROAD CROSSINGS

At a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Stephens County, Texas, on April 8, 2024, the following Minute Order was unanimously approved:

“This Order concerning Road Crossings (oil, gas, water, cables, etc.) supersedes all previous orders on such Road Crossings.”

“All crossings of paved roads and those requiring more than six (6) inches of width must be bored. All crossings (bored or ditched) will be at a depth of at least forty-eight (48) inches below the bottom of the bar ditch, and material removed from a cut road crossing will be wet and hand-packed when backfilling the cut. Pipelines, whether bored or ditched, must be cased from fence to fence, vented, and identified. To bore the road there will be a \$250.00 fee and crossings will be \$500.00.”

“All crossings, whether to be bored or ditched, must have prior permission of the Stephens County Commissioners Court by filing a plat showing the location of the proposed crossing. Also, in the event that any crossing (pipeline, etc.) should have to be relocated or removed to allow for a new construction (state highway, F.M. Rd., etc.), it will be done at the expense of the owner or owners.”

“To amend the current road crossing order. You must maintain the crossing and or bore for 1 year. The commissioner of that precinct will inspect the site after the bore or road is cut, and before the line is installed or casing is pulled to inspect the cut or bore.”

“You will have two weeks to finish the project requested. The time frame will begin the day of the approval and will continue for 14 calendar days. You can request a two-week extension, no later than the Thursday at noon before the next Commissioners Court meeting. Allowing the request to be approved or denied.”

“The road crossing(s) (bored or ditched) fee or fees will stay in the precinct the project will take place.”

“To amend the current road crossing order. Fines ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,000 will be implemented per road crossings/boring commenced prior to the Commissioner’s Court authorization.”

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMISSIONERS COURT OF STEPHENS COUNTY  
STEPHENS COUNTY COURTHOUSE  
200 WEST WALKER  
BRECKENRIDGE TX 76424**

**Gentlemen:**

**Authorization is hereby requested to cross Stephens County Road No. \_\_\_\_\_  
in Precinct No. \_\_\_\_\_ for the purpose of \_\_\_\_\_**  
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**at the location shown on the map or plat attached hereto.**

**I have been given a copy of the Minute Order dated April 8, 2024, and agree that said crossing will be performed in accordance with the instructions and requirements set forth therein.**

**Thank you,**

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**Authorized agents' signature on the behalf of the requesting entity.**

**By** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Attachment: Map**