

COMMUNICATIONS LINE RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT

ALBERT BYRON ROSS and JUDITH J. ROSS hereby grant to CENTURYTEL OF EASTERN OREGON, INC. DBA CENTURYTEL, its successors and assigns, (hereinafter referred to as the Company), the right to construct, operate and maintain buried and aerial telephone and communications facilities, together with all necessary wires, poles, down-guys, anchors and fixtures incidental thereto, under, upon, over and across the following described property:

A strip of land ten (10) feet in width, the centerline of said strip being contiguous to the centerline traverse of buried and aerial communications cables first placed after the date of this grant of easement in the the NE1/4SW1/4 and the S1/2 SE1/4NW1/4, T.40S., R.12E., W.M., the locations of said buried communications cables being as generally shown on Exhibit "A", attached hereto and made part hereof.

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situated in the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, together with such additional adjacent area as may be reasonably required by the Company for placement and maintenance of down-guys and anchors supporting the Company's telephone and communications facilities placed hereunder.

It is agreed that the Company, its successors and assigns, shall have access to said premises for the purposes stated, and shall be responsible for any damage to said premises by reason of any negligence on the part of said Company's employees while placing and maintaining construction, provided, however, that the Company shall have the right to clear and keep cleared trees or other obstructions which may interfere or threaten to interfere with the exercise of the Company's rights granted hereunder.

Dated: 8-17-99

Albert Byron Ross
Albert Byron Ross

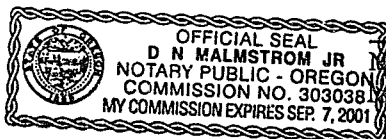
Judith J. Ross
Judith J. Ross

STATE OF OREGON)
COUNTY OF KLAMATH) ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 17th day of August, 1999, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Albert Byron Ross and Judith J. Ross

the identical individual s described in and who executed the within instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same freely and voluntarily.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year first above written.



D N Malmstrom Jr
Notary Public in and for the State of OREGON
My Commission expires: 9-7-2001

Return To: Affiliated Land Services, Inc.
P.O. Box 17035, Salem, OR 97305

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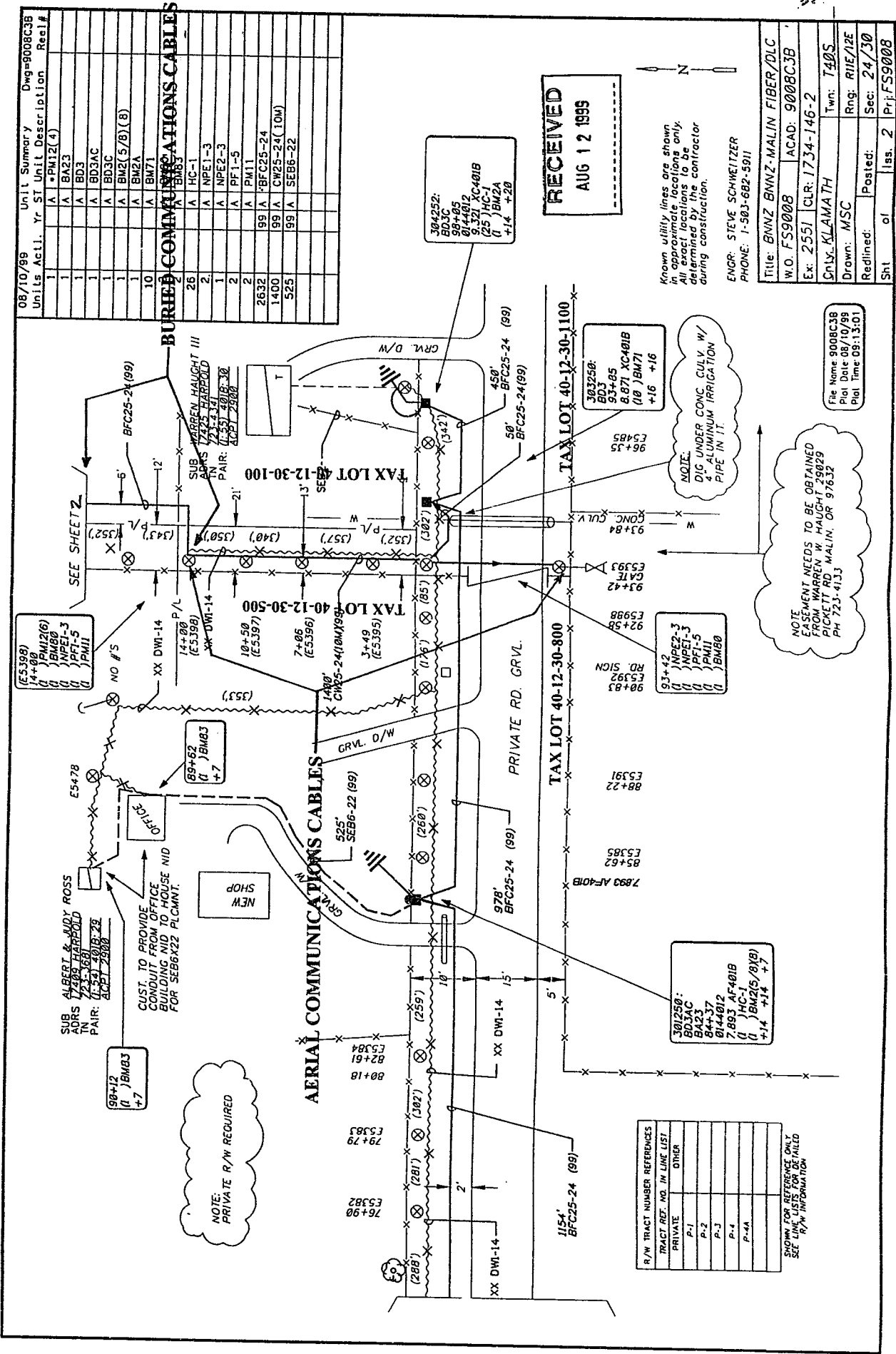


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