

January 23, 2024

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**Subject: HAM-Columbia Connector      Project No. PID 114496**

Dear Zach,

In response to your request for a **Stage 1 Review** in compliance with Section 153.64 of the Ohio Revised Code, **Plan sheets showing our comments in red and 50-scale plans showing MSD sewers are attached for your use. These comments must be addressed before the next submission. When plans are completed, please submit one set of plans in PDF format to [MSDUtilityReview@cincinnati-oh.gov](mailto:MSDUtilityReview@cincinnati-oh.gov) for final review and approval.**

*The Metropolitan Sewer District and the Board of Hamilton County Commissioners, its employees, and agents cannot guarantee the complete accuracy of any sewer information provided. As such, the user assumes all risks associated with its use. Any use of the data in a contrary manner and any interpretation of the data, whether expressed or inferred, is neither warranted nor condoned by the Metropolitan Sewer District. As a condition of your acceptance of these documents, you are required to destroy the information provided to you when the work is complete.*

**Provide 18" vertical clearance and 10' horizontal clearance from the outside edge of the existing or proposed sewers.** *The existing sewers in the project area must always be protected during construction. It is necessary that all phases of this project that impact our utility, including construction, follow the requirements of Section 153.64 of the Ohio Revised Code.*

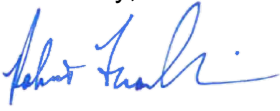
Ohio Utilities Protection Service (OUPS) is to be called (811) and have sewer mains and laterals marked before any construction commences. Repairs needed to sewer mains or laterals during construction may be at the customer's expense if OUPS is not contacted before the start of construction.

MSD has existing facilities within the construction limits or project area that will stay in place and in service. To schedule an MSD inspector, the Contractor or project representative shall contact Ray Schork of MSD WWE Inspections at 513.244.5537 or [MSDWWEInspections@cincinnati-oh.gov](mailto:MSDWWEInspections@cincinnati-oh.gov) a minimum of five (5) business days before starting construction on or near MSD sewers, including any manhole adjustments required for the project. Manhole adjustments must be made per MSD Standard Drawing Accession Nos. 49058 or 49058-A.

If this project involves cut/fill over existing sewers, sewer abandonment, or design and construction of new sanitary or combined sewers, please note that the design is to follow MSD Rules and Regulations. An electronic copy of the MSD Rules and Regulations can be found on the internet at [https://www.msdbg.org/Doing\\_business/msd-rules-regulations/index.html](https://www.msdbg.org/Doing_business/msd-rules-regulations/index.html). All projects involving the installation of new sanitary sewers will require a separate submission to the Development Services Branch for an Ohio EPA Permit to Install (PTI) including a plan set, applicable forms, and fees. Storm sewers will need to comply with the local jurisdiction rules and regulations for abandonment, design, and/or construction. For further information, please contact Ian Laseke at 513.478.4158.

If there are any questions concerning this utility review, please contact me at the information below.

Sincerely,



**Robert Franklin**

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