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ATTN:

Michelle Thebert, Facilities Protection Unit Director

Jason Smith, Inspector

During the Comprehensive inspection conducted on March 23, 2023, by Jason Smith the Fort Valley Utility Commission (FVUC) was found in violation of 192.181(b). FVUC has met with our Gas Engineer, along with other members of our local Police, Sherrif, Fire Departments, and utilizing the procedure in our Construction Manual, FVUC has determined locations for the inlet valves to the regulator stations identified in inspection JS23-013. Items of consideration to address this violation were:

- location of regulator station, pipe size, pipe pressure
- location of emergency equipment, location of safety personnel
- location of the public, locations of property in the area, and
- several worse case scenarios.

Based on all those items the FVUC feels the best location to place the inlet valves will be 250 ft-350 ft from the regulator station. This distance from the regulator station will permit the operation of the valve during an emergency that might preclude access to the station. This distance allows operation of the valve, keeps the Gas Operator safe, as well as not get in the way of any emergency personnel or equipment. Also, by keeping the valve placement consistent throughout the FVUC Gas System it will allow Gas Operators to locate and access the valve as quickly as possible during an emergency. All regulator station valves will be placed on the FVUC Critical Valve List to be inspected annually.

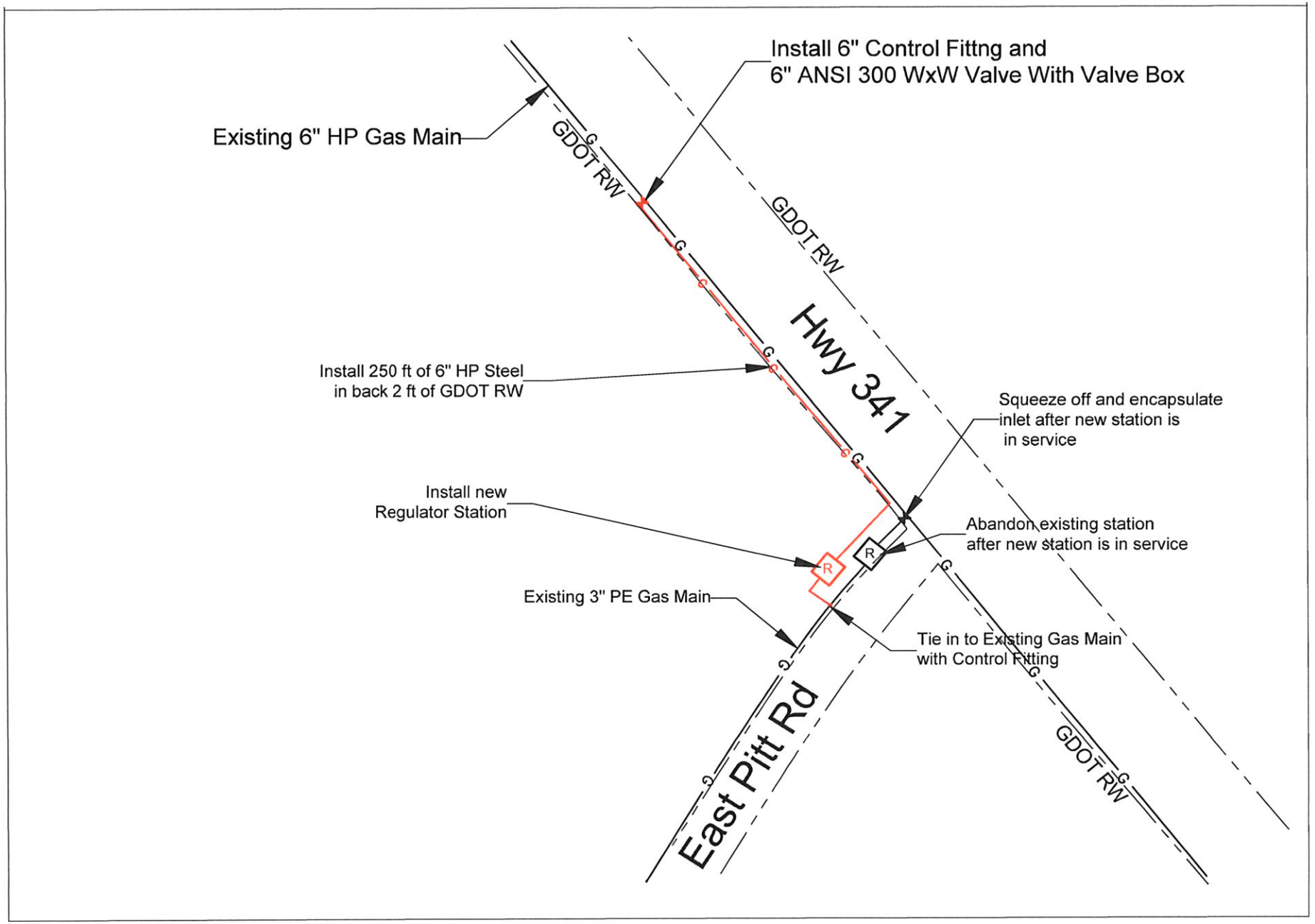
The FVUC humbly submits this plan for your review and approval. From the date FVUC receives approval from the PSC, FVUC will have the plan completed within 12-18 months depending on how long it takes to source material.

Sincerely,

Robert Johns,

Operations Manager (Electric, Gas, and Telecom)

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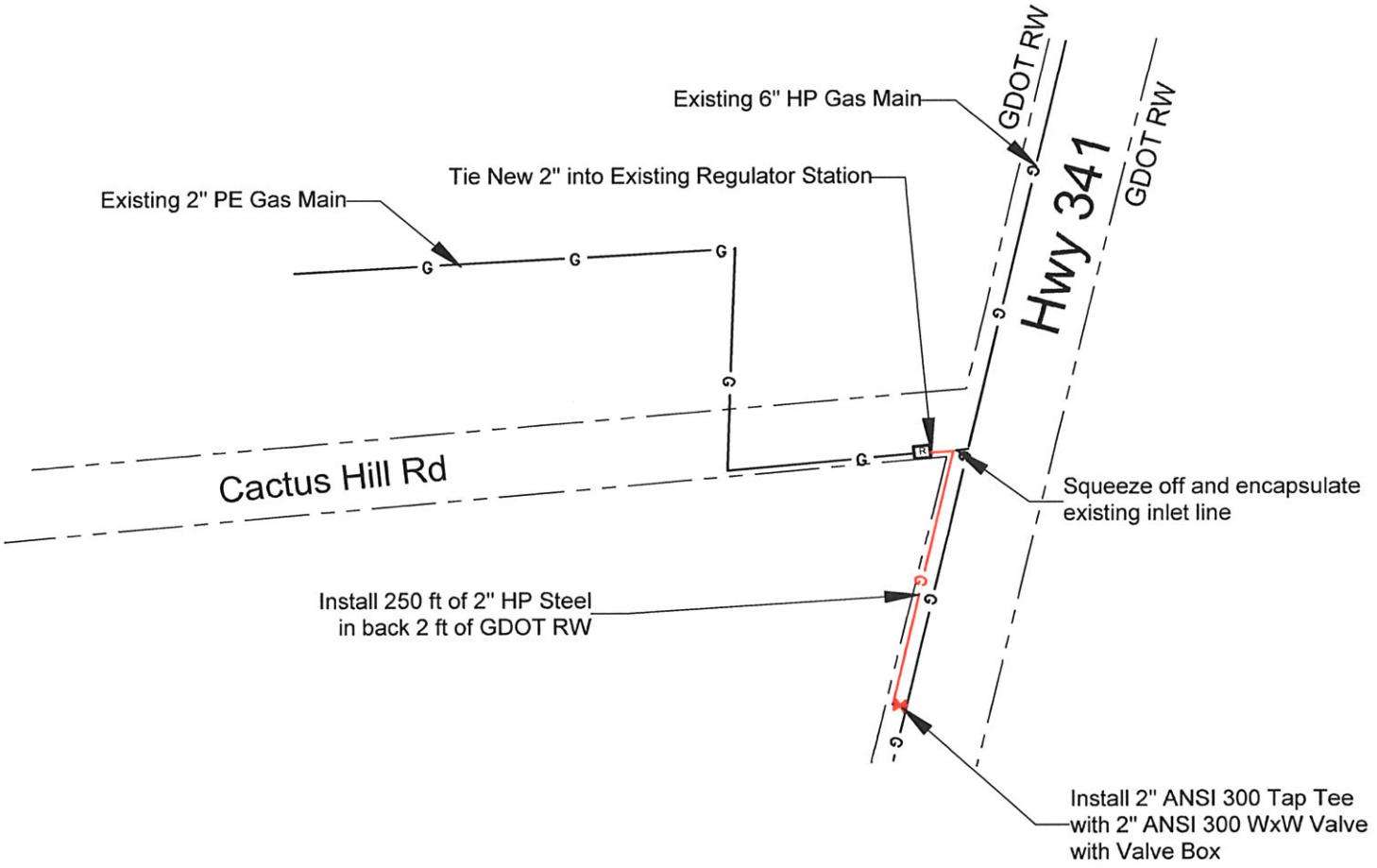
Regulator Station Valve Upgrade Program

Atlanta Sandpit Station

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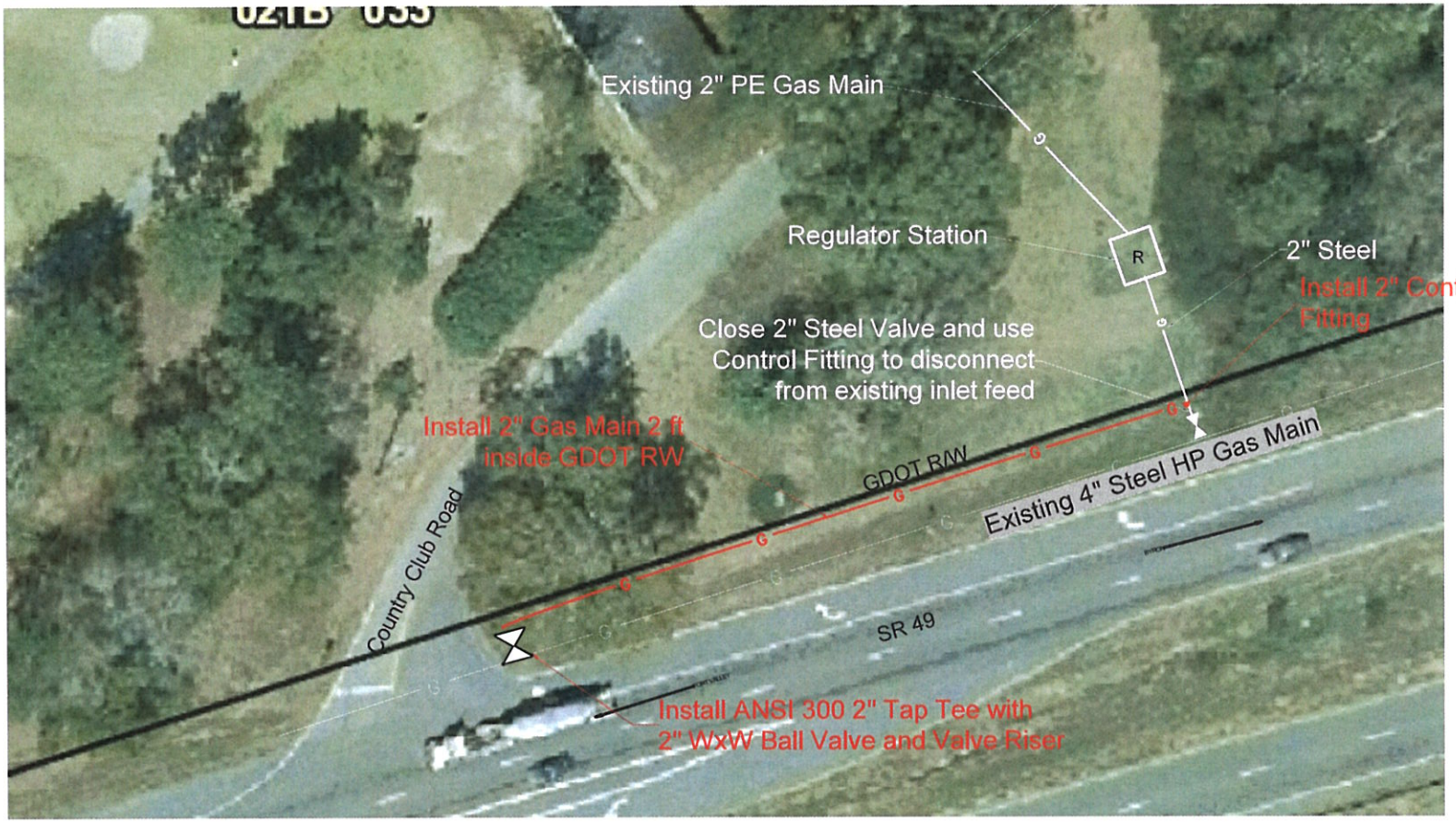
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Cactus Hill Rd Station

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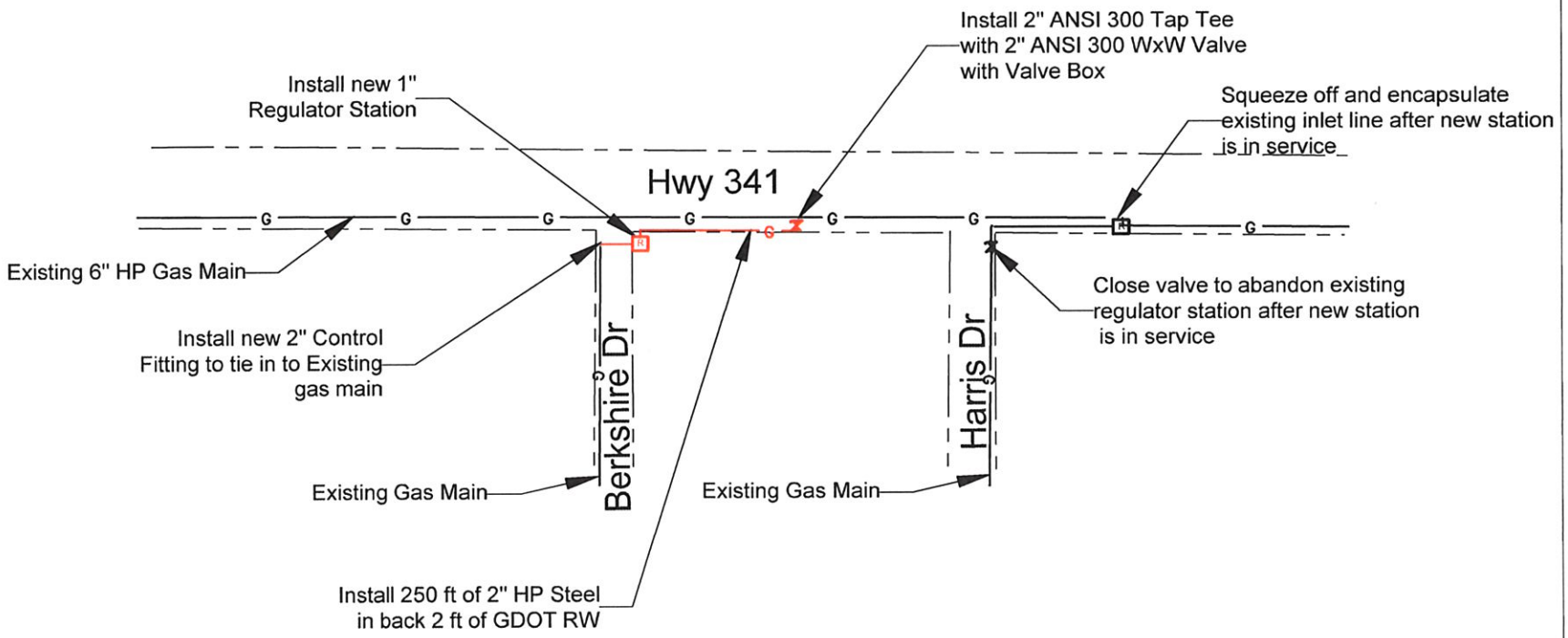
Golf Course Station

DATE 4-15-2024

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Harris Dr Station

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