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**Agenda Item #6-B on the  
3-3-15 City Council Agenda**

# Revised Undergrounding Program (Item 6-B on City Council's 3-3-15 agenda)

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Dear Mayor Spencer and Councilmembers:

My comments on the proposed revisions to the Utility Undergrounding Program are attached.

Chris Buckley

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(By Electronic Transmission)

Mayor and City Councilmembers  
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**Subject: Ordinance Approving Redesigned Undergrounding Utility District Policy (Item 6-B on City Council's 3-3-15 Agenda)**

Dear Mayor Spencer and Councilmembers:

It is very good that the undergrounding program is being proposed for revision. It is especially important that priority be given to projects that maximize public benefit and that the service connection costs to customers be reduced to the greatest extent possible to promote customer support for these projects. The redesigned undergrounding policy appears consistent with these goals and is a major improvement over the existing undergrounding program.

I therefore urge you to adopt the ordinance approving the redesigned undergrounding policy.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. Please contact me at [cbuckleyAICP@att.net](mailto:cbuckleyAICP@att.net) or (510) 523-0411 if you would like to discuss these comments.

Sincerely,

Christopher Buckley

cc: Glenn Steiger, Doug Draeger and Gary Spenik