

### III. UTILITIES

#### A. Narrative

Overhead utility lines are a visual distraction. In addition to the visual clutter they create, the lines and poles detract from the streetscape quality and the free flow movement of pedestrians.

As resources permit, the overhead lines should be relocated or placed underground if feasible. New cable and wire utilities planned for the Village should be placed underground. Transformer boxes and other related equipment placed in the public realm should be screened or inconspicuously sited as possible.

Utility line placement underground should follow accepted urban standards for safety and construction.

