

STR. AHEAD

SPAN LENGTH

STR. **BEHIND**

PLAN VIEW OF TYPICAL RIVER CROSSING

Wire Stringing Type A

Eight of the thirteen crossings fall into this category. Since the shore to shore distance is fairly short, 100 feet or less, the p-line can be passed from bucket truck to bucket truck with no impact on the water body to be crossed. Once the p-line is in place in the blocks, the rest of the wire pulling activity is completed in the air with no further impact to the navigability of the crossing.

Wire Stringing Type B

Five of the thirteen crossings fall into this category as further discussed below:

- Suwannee River 300 foot span
- Aucilla River 150 foot span
- Ochlocknee River 210 foot span
- Little River 120 foot span
- Apalachicola River 700 foot span

There are three primary methods used to get the p-line across these distances:

- 1) Cross Bow
- 2) John Boat
- 3) Helicopter

A bit on each...

1)The Cross Bow method involves attaching the p-line to an arrow in the cross bow and shooting it across the body of water. This method would work well for spans equal to or less than 300 feet. i.e. four out of five of the crossings.

2)Use of a John boat would be an option for the Apalachicola River. This would involve towing the p-line from shore to shore and then lifting it into the rollers.

3)A helicopter is often used to pull in the p-line for longer crossings. The helicopter flies along the line and sets the p-line into the roller by use of a mechanical guide. Once the p-line is in the rollers, the rest of the wire stringing will occur as listed in Wire Stringing Type A.





DETAIL D - WIRE PULLING EQUIPMENT

NORTH FLORIDA RESILIENCY CONNECTION



DETAIL E - BUCKET TRUCK W/ WIRE GUARD (LIFT TURCK)



DETAIL F - HELICOPTER WIRE PULL



DETAIL B - P-LINE

DETAIL C - BULL ROPE

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