

South Dakota One Call

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WHAT IF YOU DON'T CALL 811?

- ▶ **SOUTH CAROLINA – CONTRACTOR HIT 14” SEWER MAIN – 10,000 GAL. SPILL**
- ▶ **WEST VA. – STATE HWY EMPLOYEE STRUCK BY CAR WHILE RESPONDING TO A GAS LEAK**



WHAT IF YOU DON'T CALL 811?

- ▶ TEXAS – CREWS HIT A 6 INCH GAS LINE – 50' FLAMES – 2 PEOPLE INJURED – HOSPITAL HAD TO RUN OFF GENERATOR
- ▶ NEW YORK – HOMEOWNER HIT GAS MAIN WITH HAND TOOLS WHILE BURYING HIS DOG



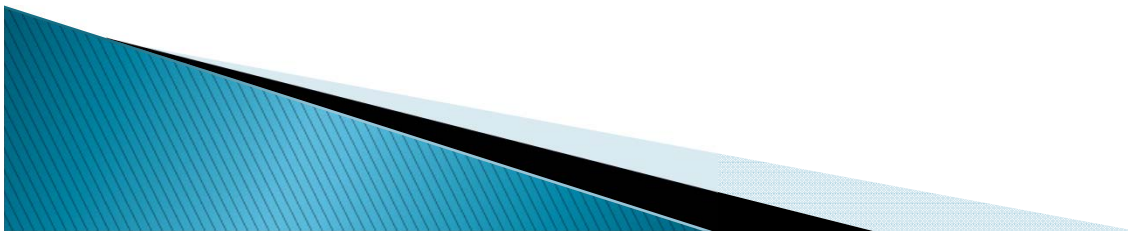
NEAR MISSES FROM SD ONE CALL COMPLAINTS

- ▶ NATURAL GAS – 10, 30, 35, 55, 60 PSI LINES
- ▶ COULD HAVE BEEN CATESTROPHIC – 390 PSI, 400 PSI, 747 PSI, & 780 PSI LINES



TOTAL NUMBER REPORTED

- ▶ **151 GAS LINES DAMAGED IN 2012**



5 RECORDS SET IN SOUTH DAKOTA

- ▶ NUMBER OF LOCATE REQUESTS
- ▶ NUMBER OF LOCATE TICKETS DISPATCHED
- ▶ INCREASED USE OF ELECTRONIC TICKETS
- ▶ NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS FILED
- ▶ HIGHEST PENALTY ASSESSMENT



WHO FILED ?

- ▶ MUNICIPALITIES = 8
- ▶ POWER COMPANY = 1
- ▶ NATURAL GAS = 4
- ▶ PIPELINE = 1
- ▶ RURAL WATER = 3



WHY?

- ▶ NO TICKET – 6
- ▶ DUG B4 START DATE & TIME – 3
- ▶ DID NOT HAND DIG WITHIN 18” – 4
- ▶ MISC. REASONS – 4



HOW MANY REASONS TO HAND DIG?



REPORTED DAMAGES

- ▶ 620 TOTAL DAMAGES REPORTED IN 2011
- ▶ 732 TOTAL DAMAGES REPORTED IN 2012



OSHA VIOLATION? – NO SAFETY GLASSES OR HEARING PROTECTION



TOPEKA SPRINKLER SYSTEM



LOCATING MADE EASY



NO LOCATE REQUEST



CALL 811, SO YOU DON'T HAVE TO CALL 911

- ▶ LET'S ALL DO OUR PART TO “KEEP OUR COMMUNITIES AND STATE A SAFE PLACE TO LIVE AND WORK”.

