



UTILITY AWARENESS WORK AUTHORIZATION

AUTHORIZATION IS VALID FOR _____/_____/_____ 1 DAY ONLY

This utility awareness work authorization is required for any work operation taking place within 10 feet of a utility such as electrical (above/below ground), gas (natural/propane/medical gases), communication (fiber optics/data), fire protection (sprinkler/hydrant supply piping), process piping, water supply, storm sewer, mechanical piping, etc. Work will never be performed within **10 feet of an above ground energized electrical line**. This includes, but is not limited to any work that could contact the utility such as excavating, boring, hoisting or any manual labor activity.

Project/Location: _____ Public Locates: Private Locates:
Activity Description: _____

Step 1: Have all drawings and as-builts reviewed prior to digging? Has Propeller been reviewed?
Plan Sheet # _____ Date on Plans _____

Step 2: Have you checked with other trades; Plumbers, Electricians, Utility Companies?

Step 3: All utilities have been exposed at all known crossings.
NO hydraulic excavation shall occur within 3' of unexposed utilities prior to potholing

Step 4: Are all existing overhead & underground utilities able to be located?
 YES
 NO ***If not, has the General Superintendent been notified?**

Step 5: All potholed utilities to be left visible or have field identification (i.e. elevation, type of utility, etc.)

Step 6: All potholed utilities to be identified on plans/GPS (i.e. elevation, type of utility, date located, etc.)

Step 7: Have you communicated this Utility Awareness to the General Contractor?
 YES NO N/A

Supt/EHS/GC Authorization Signature: _____

Activity Start Date/Time: _____ **Scheduled Completion Date/Time:** _____

Contractor: _____ **Contractor Representative:** _____

I have reviewed this Live Utility Awareness Work Authorization and understand that I am required to carry out the above described work in accordance with this document, the Pre-task Plan and any other applicable document. Communicate the hazard to exposed personnel and be aware of new people who must receive awareness training before being authorized to work **within 10 feet of the utility**.

NOTE: The following excavation restrictions apply in all cases:

1. Hand digging or vacuum excavation shall be required within 3 feet of service (both vertically & horizontally).
2. In the event that the depth of the utility is unknown, hand digging or vacuum excavation will be required for the entire depth of the excavation.

Known Utility & Location	Elevation/Depth	Method To Mitigate Damage

Utilities Located:

- GAS POWER TELECOM WATER IRRIGATION
 CABLE SEWER OVERHEAD OTHER: _____

Authorized Participants: (Attach additional Authorized Participants on separate sheet if necessary)

<u>Print Name:</u>	<u>Signature:</u>	<u>Company:</u>
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