



## North Carolina Locate Resolution Partnership Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, October 4, 2016

2:00pm –3:00pm

### Agenda Items:

- NC811 needs your help during election week this November

### Next Meetings date

- November XX,2016

## Meeting Notes from 8/2/16 Meeting

### Attendees:

- Tami Stout NC 811
- Ann Rushing NC 811
- BW Allen XXX
- John Lecco XXX
- Bo Turner XXX
- Kevin Comalander Spirit
- Paul Carrico AT&T
- Bret Kilgo CDOT
- Chris Barker USIC
- Roger Richards Blythe Development
- Cheryl Pensabene Level 3 Communications
- Ray Joyner Broadlinx Telecom

1. The City may add a provision not an ordinance on white lining – it cannot supersede the law.
2. Contractors who feel they can adequately describe the area will not white line everything. They will try to be more specific with their descriptions.
3. White line on smaller jobs but not on big jobs for miles
4. Communication is the key – read the tickets rather than assume!
5. Meet for larger projects. Not in lieu of proper, dig directions on the tickets (aka project tickets in GA).
6. NC 811 already has a “positive response” ticket code.
7. Design survey ticket? Locaters usually have areas that they work in so they will know the area.
8. Contact number on the tickets need to be local.
9. UCC form with needed information
10. If there is a repeat offender, let NC 811 know so they can educate and train them.
11. Person doing the digging should be calling in the ticket.
12. Subs must be on the ticket in order for damage to be tied back to them – so some tickets may have 20 or more subs listed.
13. Break up big projects by what is going on now and update as the project proceeds.
14. Meet ticket – anything over 1000 feet or many streets in one area.
15. Take pictures once it is marked so even if it washes away you know where it was done.
16. Digger to “protect” marks once they are done.
17. Some tickets stay open until erosion barriers are down.
18. Priority on a ticket – normal / emergency / 3 hour
19. Don’t have to take tickets that are not required by law.
20. Have excavator pay for the locates to avoid unnecessary tickets.
21. NC811 charge to scrub tickets? They do that in other states.
22. Make ticket last longer (30days?) if it is a project? No governed by law.
23. Use non-water based paint.
24. Dedicated locaters for a huge project?

25. Number of tickets:

a. 2013	1,229,853,000
b. 2014	1,299,527,000
c. 2015	1,536,803,000
d. YTD 2016	1,099,987,000