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Nash/Edgercombe/Wilson

UCC Sign-In Sheet

County: _____

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Minutes: Nash-Edgecombe-Wilson UCC Meeting
March 28, 2017. 12 noon, Golden Corral, Wilson.
Lunch sponsored by City of Wilson

Municipalities/Organizations present:

- City of Rocky Mount
- City of Wilson
- Piedmont Natural Gas
- USIC
- NC811
- Digital Repair

-Howard Corey of NC811 gave a presentation with a review of tickets submitted from North Carolina overall and also Nash, Edgecombe and Wilson counties. **A copy of the presentation is attached**, but here are the highlights:

-Year end Totals of locate requests submitted to NC811 were 1,949,995, which is a 26.9% increase over 2015.

-Wilson had the most ticket volume within the past year for the month of February, with an average of 30 locate requests per day and an increase of 26.5% in tickets from 2016 to 2017. Most of those were new locates.

-Nash had an average of 29 locates per day in February, which was a drop of 10%. Edgecombe county had the least activity, with an average of 14 locates per day, but its total tickets showed an increase of 3.9% over the same time a year ago.

-Wilson county's greatest areas of activity were in the city of Wilson, Saratoga and Elm City. Nash county had the most digging going on in the city of Rocky Mount, and the towns of Nashville and Bailey. Edgecombe county had even tickets from both cities of Rocky Mount and Tarboro.

-Howard also discussed free training available with the Pipes Plus class, the 2017 NC811 Fire Station Marquee Challenge, and a feature on the 811 app under CGA (Common Ground Alliance) of 130 "Best Practices" for utilities and contractors.

General discussion topics:

-How long the time period is for a utility to comply with marking underground facilities if a "Rush" ticket is put in to 811: 3 full days. There is a difference between an "Emergency Notice" and a "Rush Notice." An Emergency is classified as "an event involving a clear and imminent danger to life, health or property, the interruption of essential utility services, or the blockage of transportation facilities (highways, railways, waterways or airways.) A rush ticket is a new ticket where the excavator will begin work before three days are up.

It is a class 3 Misdemeanor if a locate request is called in as an Emergency and it is not one.

-Buck Pittman noted that some contractors are guilty of telling utilities that they will be on site "tomorrow" when the e-ticket was only received that day. Howard said a utility has three days to respond to a ticket. Buck said another complaint with some contractors is that they report "Destroyed

Marks" tickets and force utilities to locate again, simply because the contractors had taken too long to get to the site of proposed construction.

-USIC asked if anyone had seen locate ticket requests using GPS coordinates only. That was not very clear. Howard Corey said that if someone cannot adequately describe an area to be located, that they should white line, which only 20% of people do.

-Piedmont Natural Gas gave details about multiple phases of transmission lines being constructed in Wilson County. This information was useful to the City of Wilson, particularly, and they asked for and received additional details.

Howard also distributed T-shirts and NCUCC playing cards to all those present to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of NCUCC. The T-shirts list the names and locations of all 48 UCC's in the state, with Nash-Edgecombe-Wilson being the newest.

Next meeting: Date, Time and Location to be Determined, but will probably be in Edgecombe County, possibly in June.

Nash/Edgecombe/Wilson Counties



March 2017

The first day of spring
is March 20th, 2017



NCUCC 75th Anniversary

NCUCC Playing Cards & T-Shirts coming to your UCC starting in April.



A graphic featuring a central blue hexagon with the text 'business analytics' in white. The background is a dark blue grid of hexagons with various business icons: a hierarchy chart, a pie chart, a person silhouette, a globe, a bar chart with an upward arrow, a clock, and a presentation board. A person in a suit is visible in the background, pointing at the hexagon.

business analytics

North Carolina 811
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Locate Requests & Transmissions

Dec. 2016 vs 2015

Tickets

2016: 138,076

2015: 116,302

Difference: +18.7%

Transmissions

2016: 775,155

2015: 612,719

Difference: + 26.5%

Year end totals 2016

Tickets: 1,949,995

26.9% increase over
2015

Transmissions:

10,655,012

38.5% increase over
2015



Locate Requests & Transmissions

Feb. 2017 vs 2016

YTD Totals 2017

Tickets

2017: 147,102

2016: 139,131

Difference: +5.7%

Tickets: 294,670

12.6% over 2016

Transmissions

2017: 822,463

2016: 741,864

Difference: +10.9%

Transmissions: 1,657,346

19.0% over 2016

County Ticket Volume



County Ticket Volume

Feb 2017 Compared with Feb 2016

Type Ticket							% Measured against Total Tickets					
Nash	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets		% 3HR	% CNCL	% NEW	% RXMT	% UPDT
2016	2	6	610	4	125	747	2016	0.3%	0.8%	81.7%	0.5%	16.7%
2017	1	6	510	4	151	672	2017	0.1%	0.9%	75.9%	0.6%	22.5%
+/- Var	-50.0%	0.0%	-16.4%	0.0%	20.8%	-10.0%	Diff +/-	-0.1%	0.1%	-5.8%	0.1%	5.7%
			Avg Locates per Day			29						

County Ticket Volume

Feb 2017 Compared with Feb 2016

Edgecombe	Type Ticket						% Measured against Total Tickets					
	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets	% 3HR	% CNCL	% NEW	% RXMT	% UPDT	
2016	1	1	253	2	52	309	2016	0.3%	0.3%	81.9%	0.6%	16.8%
2017	0	2	280	1	38	321	2017	0.0%	0.6%	87.2%	0.3%	11.8%
+/- Var	-100.0%	100.0%	10.7%	-50.0%	-26.9%	3.9%	Diff +/-	-0.3%	0.3%	5.4%	-0.3%	-5.0%
			Avg Locates per Day			14						

County Ticket Volume

Feb 2017 Compared with Feb 2016

Type Ticket							% Measured against Total Tickets					
Wilson	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets		% 3HR	% NEW	% RXMT	% UPDT	
2016	2	2	475	2	63	544	2016	0.4%	0.4%	87.3%	0.4%	11.6%
2017	2	17	596	7	66	688	2017	0.3%	2.5%	86.6%	1.0%	9.6%
+/- Var	0.0%	750.0%	25.5%	250.0%	4.8%	26.5%	Diff +/-	-0.1%	2.1%	-0.7%	0.6%	-2.0%
Avg Locates per Day						30						

County Ticket Volume

YTD stats compared with previous year

Nash	Type Ticket						Total Tickets	% Measured against Total Tickets				
	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	% 3HR		% CNCL	% NEW	% RXMT	% UPDT	
2016	2	16	1149	8	223	1398	2016	0.1%	1.1%	82.2%	0.6%	16.0%
2017	6	12	1055	14	320	1407	2017	0.4%	0.9%	75.0%	1.0%	22.7%
+/- Var	200.0%	-25.0%	-8.2%	75.0%	43.5%	0.6%	Diff +/-	0.3%	-0.3%	-7.2%	0.4%	6.8%
Avg Locates per Day						35						

County Ticket Volume

YTD stats compared with previous year

Edgecombe	Type Ticket						Total Tickets	% Measured against Total Tickets				
	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	% 3HR		% CNCL	% NEW	% RXMT	% UPDT	
2016	1	2	499	5	101	608	2016	0.2%	0.3%	82.1%	0.8%	16.6%
2017	2	7	570	9	118	706	2017	0.3%	1.0%	80.7%	1.3%	16.7%
+/- Var	100.0%	250.0%	14.2%	80.0%	16.8%	16.1%	Diff +/-	0.1%	0.7%	-1.3%	0.5%	0.1%
			Avg Locates per Day			18						

County Ticket Volume

YTD stats compared with previous year

Wilson	Type Ticket						Total Tickets	% Measured against Total Tickets					
	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	% 3HR		% CNCL	% NEW	% RXMT	% UPDT		
2016	2	11	1019	8	111	1151	2016	0.2%	1.0%	88.5%	0.7%	9.6%	
2017	2	22	1123	25	153	1325	2017	0.2%	1.7%	84.8%	1.9%	11.5%	
+/- Var	0.0%	100.0%	10.2%	212.5%	37.8%	15.1%	Diff +/-	0.0%	0.7%	-3.8%	1.2%	1.9%	
			Avg Locates per Day			33							

County Ticket Distribution

County/Place	02 Feb
NASH	672
BAILEY	57
BATTLEBORO	32
CASTALIA	15
DORTCHES	2
DRY WELLS	15
GOLD ROCK	1
HICKORY	1
MIDDLESEX	23
NASHVILLE	86
RED OAK	13
ROCKY MOUNT	363

SANDY CROSS	2
SHARPSBURG	1
SPRING HOPE	23
WEST MOUNT	1
WHITAKERS	36
WHITE OAK	1

County Ticket Distribution

County/Place	02 Feb
EDGECOMBE	321
BATTLEBORO	11
CONETOE	1
CRISP	1
FOUNTAIN FORK	1
LEGGETT	11
MACCLESFIELD	13
PINETOPS	21
PRINCEVILLE	9
ROCKY MOUNT	118
SHARPSBURG	4
SPEED	7
TARBORO	118
WHITAKERS	6

County Ticket Distribution

County/Place	02 Feb
WILSON	688
BLACK CREEK	4
BUCKHORN CROSSROADS	1
ELM CITY	50
KENLY	7
LUCAMA	13
SARATOGA	55
SIMS	18
STANTONSBURG	9
WILSON	531

REMOTE TICKET ENTRY

RTE Tip: It is the excavators responsibility to specify the type of proposed excavation or demolition operation to be conducted when creating a New dig ticket.

New

Rxmit

DMarks

Survey

For more information regarding Excavator responsibilities see 87-122 of the Underground Safety and Damage Prevention Act.

April is National Safe Digging Month



Get the toolkit and help us promote safe digging month.

www.nc811.org/safe-digging-month.html

National Safe Digging Month Toolkit

- Social media infographics and campaign messages
- The 5 steps to safe digging (graphics)
- NSDM proclamation template: So cities and counties can officially make the proclamation! Reach out to your mayors and county commissioners.
- Generic Press Release articles
- Safe digging videos on our YouTube channel
- NSDM, Fire Station Marquee Challenge and Safe Digging Partner graphics with HTML code
- "Can You Dig It?" game graphic HTML code:
Game starts each year on April 1 at safedigging.me.

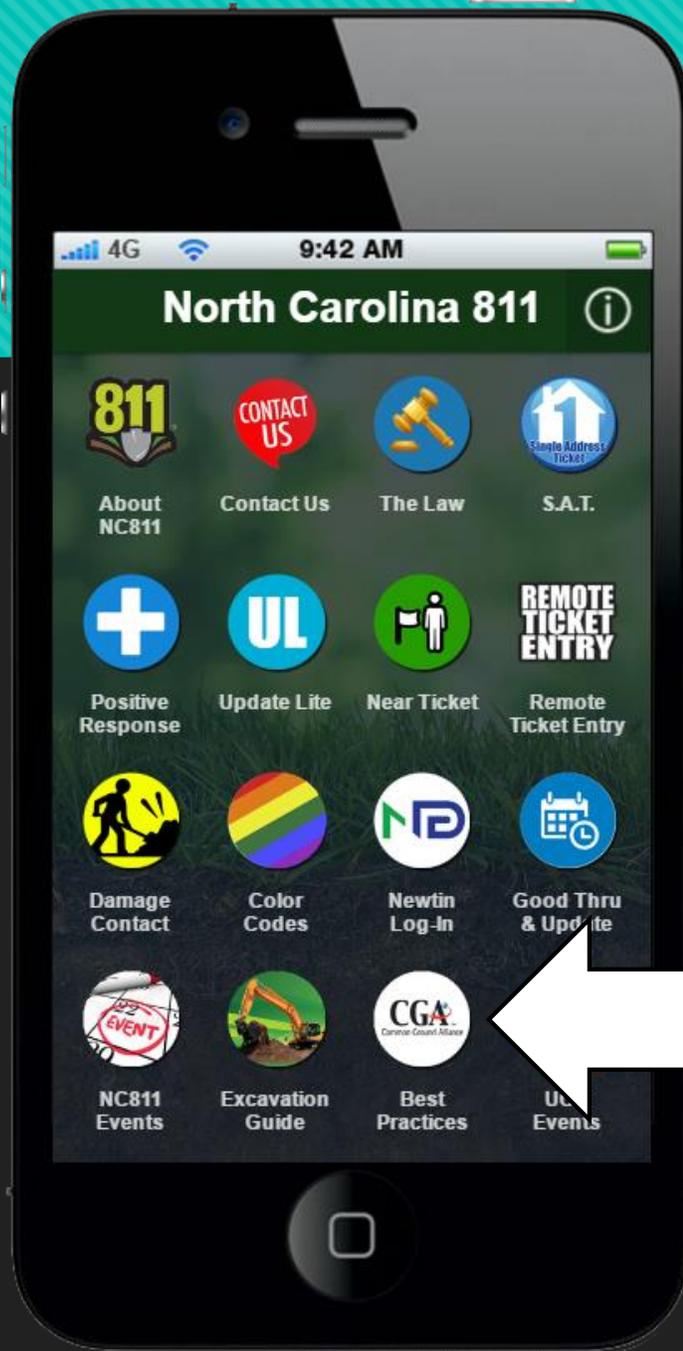
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Best Practices



This button is linked to the Common Ground Alliance website's Best Practices guide.

The CGA identified and validated over 130 "best practices" to enhance safety and prevent damages to underground facilities.



2017 NC811 Fire Station Marquee Challenge



Enter to win **\$1,000**

NC Underground Damage Prevention Review Board Meetings



Located at: **2550 Operations Way, Raleigh, NC.**

On the corner of Operations Way and Westinghouse Blvd.

- April 18, 2017 - 10am to 4pm
- July 18, 2017 - 10am to 4pm
- October 17, 2017 - 10am to 4pm

2017 NC811 Board Meetings



1Q17

April 21, 2017
Chetola Resort
Blowing Rock, NC

2Q17

July 21, 2017
The 1927 Lake Lure Inn and Spa
Lake Lure, NC



For booking info, contact Tonya Hargraves: tonya@nc811.org

2017 State UCC Meetings

SC/NC Joint Utility Coordinating Committee Conference

Wed, April 5, 2017 thru
Fri, April 7, 2017

10000 Beach Club Dr,
Myrtle Beach, SC 29572



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