



# Virtual UCC Meetings

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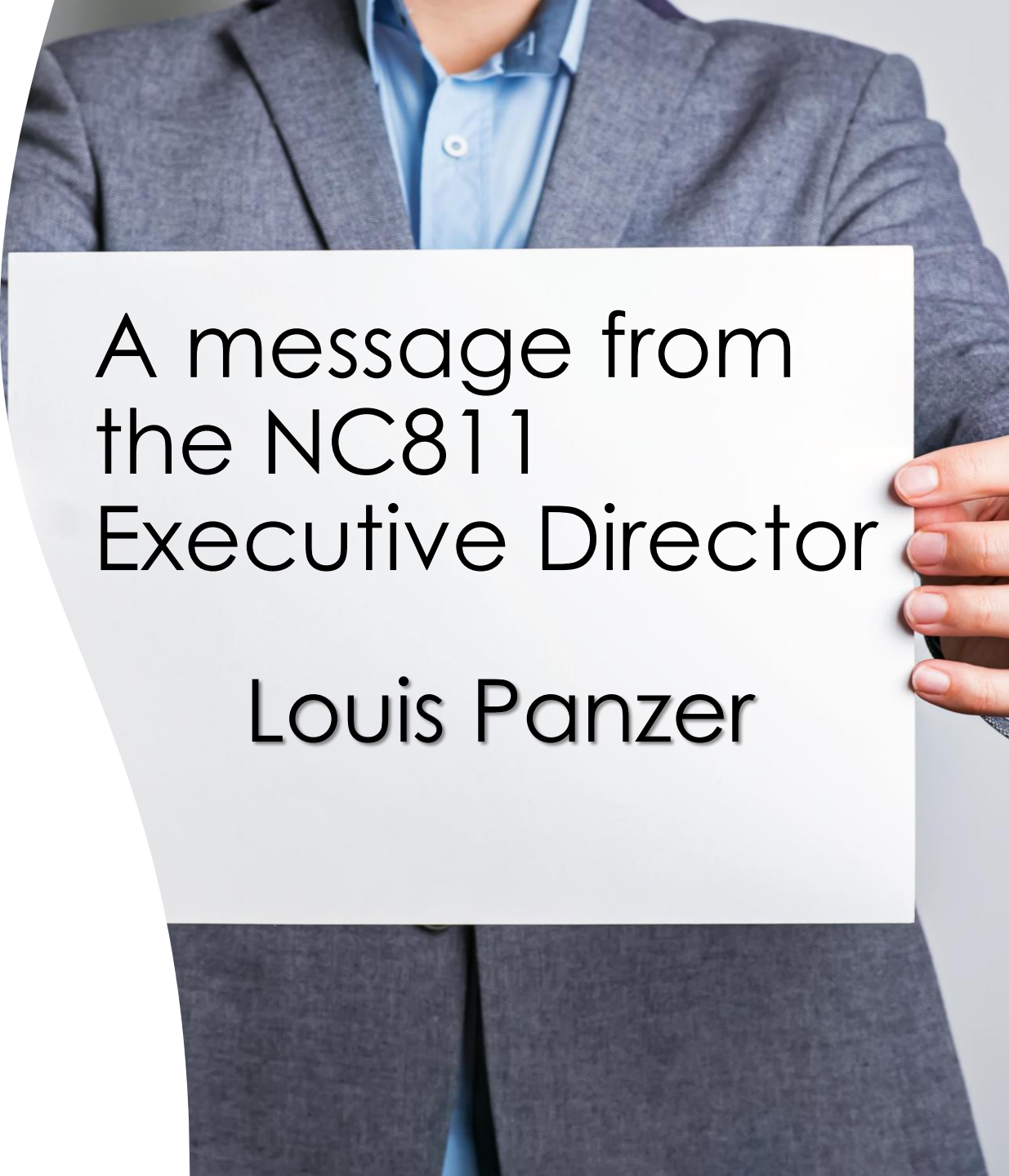
Women in Construction  
Week: March 6-12, 2022



February 2022

Mecklenburg UCC

- Weather as always playing a factor on volume
- Lots of new growth happening so this is addition to existing expectations around fiber and telecom
- Excavation safety conference Feb 28 - Mar 4 in Phoenix
- Landscape conference Feb 8 in Wilson: visit event calendar for more details!
- Stay safe! Stay warm!

A person wearing a blue suit jacket and a light blue shirt is holding a white rectangular sign. The sign contains text in black font. The background is a plain, light color.

A message from  
the NC811  
Executive Director

Louis Panzer

# NC811 Data Insights

Locate requests,  
transmissions, county  
ticket volume and  
distribution





# Locate Requests & Transmissions for NC

Jan. 2022 vs 2021

## **TICKETS**

2022: 173,918

2021: 163,565

Difference: 6.3%

## **TRANSMISSIONS**

2022: 971,614

2021: 936,626

Difference: 3.7%

Year-to-Date

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# COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL
<b>2021</b>	1172	193	<b>16664</b>	511	8926	<b>27466</b>
<b>2022</b>	1268	128	<b>15256</b>	512	9538	<b>26702</b>
	8.2%	-33.7%	<b>-8.4%</b>	0.2%	6.9%	<b>-2.8%</b>
				Locates per day		1335

# COUNTY TICKET DISTRIBUTION

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<b>MECKLENBURG</b>	<b>26702</b>
CHARLOTTE	21294
CLEAR CREEK	18
CORNELIUS	563
DAVIDSON	502
HUNTERSVILLE	1697
MATTHEWS	1771
MIDLAND	6
MINT HILL	510
PAW CREEK	8
PINEVILLE	308



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS







## BOARD MEETING

**1Q22**

Friday, April 22nd, 2022

**8:30 am to 10:30 am**

Four Points by Sheraton in Asheville

*contact to Stephanie for details.*

*stephanie@nc811.org*





# NC UNDERGROUND DAMAGE PREVENTION REVIEW BOARD

Tuesday, April 19th, 2022

Hybrid Meeting

Starts at 10 am

Visit: <https://udprb.nc.gov/>





**Visit: <https://udprb.nc.gov/>**

## **Reminder:**

Tell your story when making complaints to UGDPRB. Good variation of photos to represent the area in question. Potential violators need to respond and tell their side of the story as well.

# STATE UCC MEETING



Tuesday, March 8th, 2022  
Starts at 10 am  
Hybrid Meeting

Visit the  
<https://ncucc.org/>  
calendar page for more info





# NC Locate Resolution Partnership Committee

March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Hybrid Meeting

11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Visit the

<https://ncucc.org/>

calendar page for a link



# JOINT SC/NC UTILITY COORDINATING COMMITTEE CONFERENCE 2022



**LOCATION:** Hyatt Regency, 220 North Main St, Greenville, SC

**WHEN:** Wednesday, May 4, 2022 – Friday, May 6, 2022

**CONFERENCE:** The joint UCC conference draws attendees from both states, and typically draws 200-250 attendees from various public and private utilities and service providers. Locating, construction, safety, and design companies will be present. We will have presentations on Protection of Utilities, Work Zone Safety, Design/Build, and Damage Prevention. Vendors will exhibit their products and services and a locator training class will be offered.

[ncucc.org/joint-nc-sc-uccc](http://ncucc.org/joint-nc-sc-uccc)



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From now until April 29<sup>th</sup>, enter for your chance to win **\$811**

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## **Women in Construction Week: March 6-12, 2022**

The focus of Women in Construction (WIC) Week is to highlight women as a viable component of the construction industry. WIC Week also provides an occasion for NAWIC's thousands of members across the country to raise awareness of the opportunities available for women in the construction industry and to emphasize the growing role of women in the industry. It is also a time for local chapters to give back to their communities.

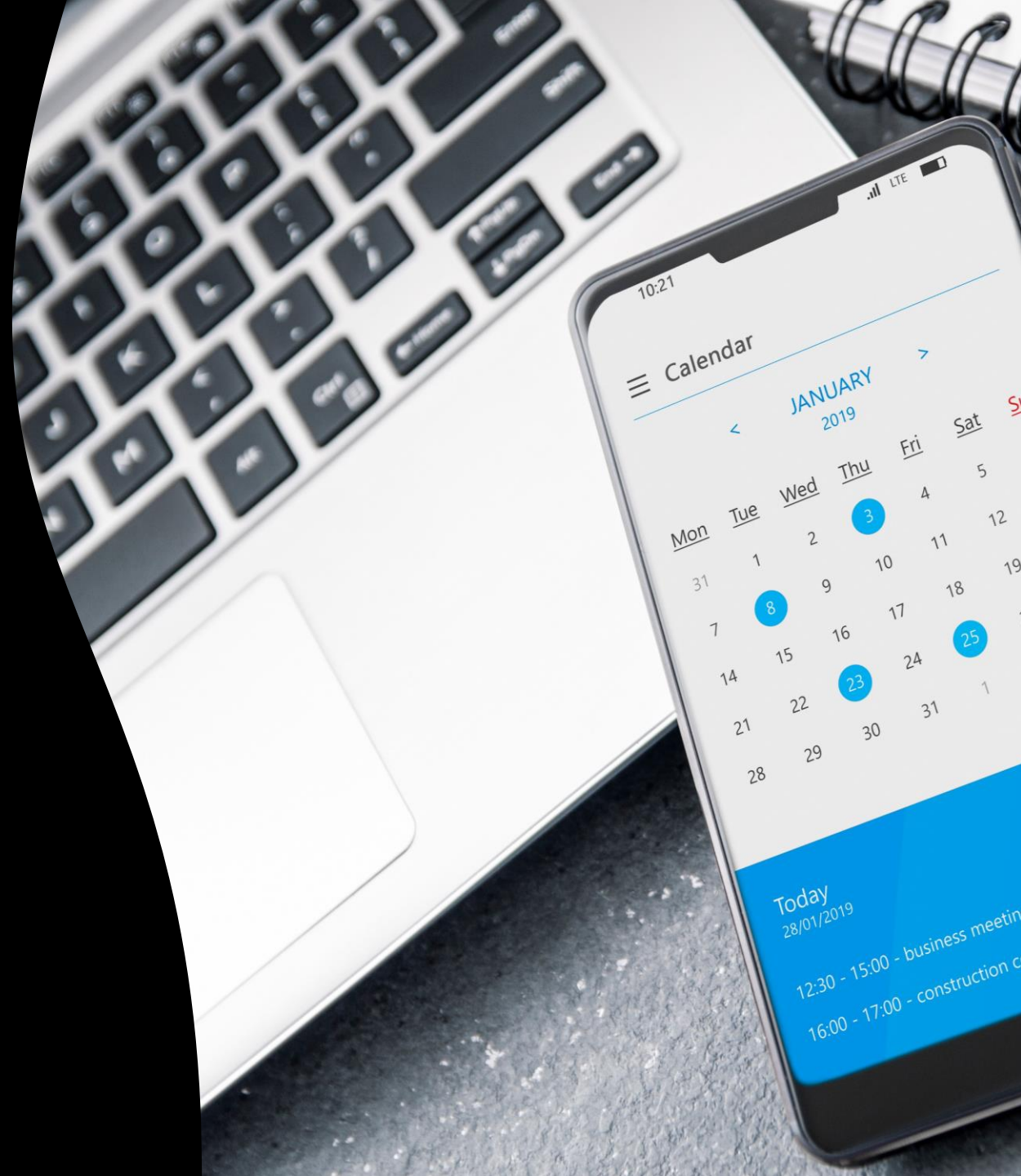
<https://www.nawic.org/nawic/WICWeek.asp>







For information on NC811 & NCUCC events, visit the calendar section of [nc811.org](http://nc811.org) or the [nc811 app](#).



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## Meeting Summary

Total Number of Participants 22

Lindsey Pontz	SAM			
Roger Richards	Sanders Utility			
Tristan Teasley	City of Charlotte			
Bill Abernathy	PNG			
David Johnson	Heath Consultants			
Josh Dubois	Heath Consultants	Leave Time	Duration	Email
Tami Groves	2/23/2022, 9:51:43 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:03 AM	1h 37m	tami@nc81
Williams, Jason	2/23/2022, 9:53:12 AM	2/23/2022, 11:17:01 AM	1h 23m	jason.willia
Louis Panzer	2/23/2022, 9:55:15 AM	2/23/2022, 11:28:54 AM	1h 33m	louis@nc81
Ann Rushing	2/23/2022, 9:55:19 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:25 AM	1h 34m	annrushing
Cort Bennett (Guest)	2/23/2022, 9:57:22 AM	2/23/2022, 11:18:25 AM	1h 21m	
Calabrese, Joel Thomas	2/23/2022, 9:57:59 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:00 AM	1h 31m	Joel.Calabri
David Smith	2/23/2022, 9:58:54 AM	2/23/2022, 11:28:57 AM	1h 30m	desmith2_u
McGhee, Robert	2/23/2022, 9:59:28 AM	2/23/2022, 11:25:00 AM	1h 25m	Robert.McG
Howard Corey	2/23/2022, 10:00:04 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:01 AM	1h 28m	howard@n
Bobby Turner	2/23/2022, 10:00:37 AM	2/23/2022, 11:26:52 AM	1h 26m	Bobby.Turr
Wilson, Carl	2/23/2022, 10:01:34 AM	2/23/2022, 10:03:26 AM	1m 52s	Carl.Wilson
Wilson, Carl	2/23/2022, 10:08:24 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:04 AM	1h 20m	Carl.Wilson
Taylor, Tracy	2/23/2022, 10:01:37 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:16 AM	1h 27m	Tracy.Taylor
Nabors, Ronya K	2/23/2022, 10:01:51 AM	2/23/2022, 11:21:42 AM	1h 19m	Ronya.Nab
Rob McGhee	2/23/2022, 10:02:50 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:00 AM	1h 26m	
Erick Guir (Town of Mattf	2/23/2022, 10:03:17 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:04 AM	1h 25m	
William Dixon	2/23/2022, 10:04:23 AM	2/23/2022, 11:28:16 AM	1h 23m	William.Dix
Marc Worth (Services - 6)	2/23/2022, 10:10:09 AM	2/23/2022, 11:28:59 AM	1h 18m	marc.worth
Lee, Shuhurah	2/23/2022, 10:11:27 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:02 AM	1h 17m	Shuhurah.L
Tom Barrett	2/23/2022, 10:12:24 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:00 AM	1h 16m	tbarrett@s
Neely, Robert L	2/23/2022, 10:23:54 AM	2/23/2022, 11:12:51 AM	48m 56s	Robert.Nee
Harvey, Letitia	2/23/2022, 10:39:21 AM	2/23/2022, 11:29:08 AM	49m 47s	Letitia.Harv
Brian Morehouse	2/23/2022, 10:55:39 AM	2/23/2022, 11:16:28 AM	20m 48s	bmorehous

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Tami Groves

You could call sign.

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Tami Groves

With that, we'll go ahead and get started on with the presentation. Like said, we apologize for technical difficulties on this this morning.

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Tami Groves

But you know, we always expect the unexpected and we get through this. So Tami, if you wanna go through that.

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Tami Groves

Yes, Sir.

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Tami Groves

Sleep.

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Tami Groves

Alright. Yeah, I'm gonna try not to blow your eardrums up and just let me know if I'm getting a little too loud. I'm gonna.

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Tami Groves

Turn down just a little bit in here so I can project for the folks out there as well.

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Tami Groves

Y'all virtual UCC I don't have to worry about you. You're here for those of you that are online. If you would please type your contact information in to that little chat section. Your name, the organization that you're with, your telephone number and an email address. If you would like to share that. That way someone that wants to get in touch with you, they actually can get in touch.

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Tami Groves

OK, let me let me back up just a little right. Can you guys hear me better now? OK, so we're we're we're double duty in February 2022 for Mecklenburg County UCC and we did put a little blurb, a pair of reminding folks about women in construction week that is March 6 through the 12th. And we'll talk a little bit more about that in just a moment. But WIC week is a huge component of NAWIC, the National Association.

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Tami Groves

Of women in construction.

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Tami Groves

A message from Lewis Panzer Louis, do you want to take this over for the folks online?

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Louis Panzer

Uh, I'll try. Hopefully y'all can hear me.

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Louis Panzer

So good morning and you know we will get through this for sure, but just a couple of quick notes. Weather is always something that we deal with this time of year.

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Louis Panzer

And January, February, it's kind of unpredictable. It's all over the state. So we know that it's it's, it's in something that affects volume.

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Louis Panzer

Uh, so we did have some in some situations last month with some snow and some ice and some different spots.

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Louis Panzer

Uhm, I know there was some reports that December felt like it was down for folks. Book date January was up overall across the state about 6 and half percent. You'll get to those numbers, but just remember that, you know, sometimes these weather events are isolated to areas and folks will declare extraordinary circumstances in a particular area for a very brief time. So even when we had folks Roland up from other states to stand by for or restoration.

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Louis Panzer

Uh, we had a couple of folks that declared, but they were only for like about two days. So luckily those didn't create any major disruptions, but just be aware of the weather as it affects given effect volume can affect marks going away and having to be replaced and that kind of thing. We see a lot of new growth going on. And this isn't just the fiber, there's a lot of other things happening and we're pretty much already hopefully coming out of the winter. Now we start to see things warm it up a little.

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Louis Panzer

A little bit more couple of days or freeze and frost, but for the most part it's starting to see flowers bud. That means homeowners are going to be stepping it up. You're gonna see that really come up in March. And of course, April safe digging month. So just be prepared 'cause we typically see a surge where



where it's about 20% of our volume will be attributed to homeowners and that takes a little more time on the phones. Wait for calling. But of course if you're calling you should be using.

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Louis Panzer

The single address ticket or the RTE application, so we just highly recommend that you use this electronic apps or running around 7073% of our volume is all happening electronically. So that's a good thing. Other than that, we do have a large national conference happening next week. Several of us will be out there for that. It's the national excavation safety conference. They'll be some good information being conveyed. There's some good presentations.

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Louis Panzer

As well as some panels to discuss things that we can do.

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Louis Panzer

We uh, nationally to try to help improve.

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Louis Panzer

Uh, you know the the flow, the process of damage prevention, of course we feel pretty good in this state about.

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Louis Panzer

Uh, about where we are and and I attribute that mainly to situations like this where we have a large cross section of stakeholders were working together when issues come up, we use locate Resolution Partnership Committee and other channels to try to you know mitigate those and and figure out ways we can fix our own issues internally without having to necessarily go to enforcement although that's always up there and the landscape conference already happened, no need to talk about that.

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Louis Panzer

Did not stay safe. Stay warm up and that's my message at the moment.

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Tami Groves

Thank you, Sir. Appreciate that. Alright, folks, I'm gonna play with the sound a little bit again here. Just, just so I'm not blowing the eardrums out for y'all.

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Tami Groves

So we'll hop right into our 811 data and insight information, locate requests and transmissions for the state for the month of January 2020, two 170, three 1918 locate requests. That is a 6.3% increase over January of 2021.

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Tami Groves

And it it never ceases to amaze me when I say, say, you know, they this is an increase. And I think at the end of the year we just can't increase more and we do.

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Tami Groves

Uh. Transmissions or up as well? 900 and 71,614 a 3.7% increase in transmissions. And I always like to give that little reminder about the difference between the locate request or the ticket and a transmission. The locate request is what you're calling in or what you're entering through remote ticket entry or single address ticket. I'm putting in a mailbox. A transmission is how many utilities are notified.

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Tami Groves

About air free, one locate request right now on average for everyone ticket that comes in there are 5.7 utilities notified?

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Tami Groves

Uh, if you noticed the year to date is the same, those numbers are going to be the same. This will be the one time of the year that those numbers haven't changed because we're just talking about the month of January.

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Tami Groves

Locate requests for Mecklenburg County. New tickets for the month of January.

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Tami Groves

Sorry I'm. I'm kind of shocked that I'm gonna say this, but they were down 8.4% on new tickets, 15,256 total tickets were down. 2.8% total tickets include retransmits and updates. Total tickets were at 26,702 average locates per day for Mecklenburg County or 1300.

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Tami Groves

35 locates per day.

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Tami Groves

Ticket distribution for Mecklenburg County. We like to let you know where the works happening in Mecklenburg and you can see that as always, the bulk of that work is in Charlotte. 21,294 of those requests, Huntersville and Matthews coming in at 1697 in 1771. But you can see I left little Midland in there with with six. There were some smaller ones. We just just pull them off.

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Tami Groves

The screen, but that work really is spread around the county.

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Tami Groves

Upcoming events. All of this information can be found on the NC 811 calendar of events in the UCC calendar. And don't forget it is on your app as well. And as Roger likes to ask, how much does that app cost? That is a free download for Apple and Android users. For the app you can do pretty much anything on that app that you can do from your desktop.

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Tami Groves

The first quarter North Carolina 811 board meeting is Friday, April 22nd from 8:30 to 10:30. That'll be at the four points by Sheraton in Asheville. Please contact Stephanie Brown at our office for details that [stephanie@nc811.org](mailto:stephanie@nc811.org) if you do not get this information and you decide you'd like to go, please let me know and I will get you in touch with her.

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Tami Groves

The next North Carolina underground Damage Prevention Review Board meeting is Tuesday, April 19th. It will be a hybrid meeting. It will start at 10:00 AM.

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Tami Groves

And you can see the link there for the underground damage Prevention Review Board. And I'm gonna ask Ann if she has any update to share about the review board.

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Ann Rushing

Thank you, Tami. Sure, I'll be more than happy. And Noah gave update last month. Just want to remind you folks that if you are making complaints, we do ask that you tell your story.

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Ann Rushing

More, more photos. A wider spectrum of photos where you're standing. So tell your story and then certainly those folks that are the complaints or men being made against we, you know, always ask you to do the same.

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Ann Rushing

That's what it kind of boils down to for the board to make really good decisions based on based on the information. So we had about 16 complaints and we certainly have a good process. So thanks to Louis, you know and all those other prior Members that at the very last minute put together a matrix of how we're going to review these cases. And so we are working off of that.

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Ann Rushing

Uh, I also have some time set up, hopefully soon with Cynthia to to update a few more items on the website for the underground Review Board website. So please, if you're looking for the current dates of when the meeting is going to happen, it is there.

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Ann Rushing

There is something on our website for 811 but it goes directly to the underground review Board website and and then there are links to the dates of the meeting. Our next meeting. We hope to be on site at the North Carolina 811 Event Center, but of course you know with any anything right now with COVID everything is just kind of pending on how how things are rolling. So at this point we will still be meeting in April at the Event Center. So those are just a few updates.

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Ann Rushing

I mean.

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Louis Panzer

And and just just just to tag onto that too. I think that may that meeting maybe just close to the board members, but they'll have a dial in you know it just depends that's what they did at the previous one. And so actually we shifted it on the virtual, but they were prepared just to have the board members there alone and but still open to the public where people could dial in. The only other thing I just want to add to this is it's not just photos. So if you've got ticket information, positive response.

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Tami Groves

Thank you, ma'am.

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Ann Rushing

Yes.

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Louis Panzer

Even though the review board does make those requests of NC 811 just provide those you want to assemble, everything that you can to make your argument, because there are no investigations on site, it's very important that you understand that everything is dependent on the materials that are supplied by the parties for that determination. So just wanted to tag that in there and and kudos to Ann for doing what the you know, gods work over there and it only took us eight years to get to that matrix. So.

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Louis Panzer

Yeah, hopefully you'll you'll make more progress.

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Ann Rushing

Thanks Louis.

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Tami Groves

Qin.

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Tami Groves

Tami is on her way back over. She was telling everybody else what was going on.

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Tami Groves

Sorry folks, I was doing the the the Louis impersonation in person here, telling him make sure that they're taking good photographs to represent that.

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Tami Groves

Uh, a violation if they need to do that as well.

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Tami Groves

The next state UCC meeting is Tuesday, March the 8th, that will begin at 10:00 AM it will be a hybrid meeting as of right now and correct me if I'm wrong. We are planning to meet at the North Carolina 811 Event Center.

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Tami Groves

And you have the ability to dial, and if you're not going to be attending in person, so it it, it is a hybrid meeting two invites.

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Ann Rushing

Correct.

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Tami Groves

Two invitations have gone out of an invitation and a reminder, and as soon as we get the agenda, another reminder will go out. But if you can't, if you, if you lose that or you can't find it, that will be on the [ncucc.org](http://ncucc.org) calendar page.

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Tami Groves

The next locate Resolution Partnership Committee meeting is March 17th and that will be a hybrid meeting as well that will begin at 11:00 AM and should be over by one again and invite has probably already gone out. But if you can't find that information or need to access it quickly, the [ncucc.org](http://ncucc.org) webpage will have it as well.

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Tami Groves

The North and South Carolina Joint UCC is coming up. I know we haven't been able to do this for the last two years because of COVID.

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Tami Groves

We are going to have the joint UCC in Greenville this year and that will be at the Hyatt Regency on North Main Street and that will be Wednesday, May the 4th through Friday made the 6th. The joint UCC conference typically draws folks from both North and South Carolina and has somewhere from 200 to 250 plus attendees. They come from public and private utilities service.

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Tami Groves

Providers locating community construction safety and design companies will be present North and South Carolina 811 will be there representing well. There will be presentations on protection of utilities, work zone safety, design build and everybody's favorite topic. Damage prevention vendors will be there to exhibit their products and services, and there will be a locator training class offered as well. So if you have anybody that you're interested in sending.

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Tami Groves

For locator training there will be a class offered for that as well. Go to [thencucc.org](http://thencucc.org) website and you'll find a link there. Miss rushing. Did you have something you wanted to add?

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Ann Rushing

Yeah, just so that you guys know the registration is open, it is online and what you'll notice when you're online is go down to the very bottom and there are two. There's two little boxes. One says remit payment, so that that box does link you to PayPal for you to cover your registration cost. And just as a reminder, when you're on PayPal.

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Ann Rushing

You can pay with credit cards. You do not have to have a PayPal account, so just want to remind you of that and then also submit application that will email that application directly to those folks at South Carolina 811 and our scuse me at the SC UCC and then just a reminder the the cost of the conference is 125 bucks and I said pretty cheap calls to for the amount of education.

00:16:44.960 --> 00:16:48.440

Ann Rushing

And networking that you're gonna receive. So we hope to see you there in Greenville.

00:16:49.120 --> 00:16:52.780

Tami Groves

Thank you, Madam. I appreciate that you looked like you had something you wanted to add.

00:16:55.530 --> 00:17:10.310

Tami Groves

Folks, the North Carolina 811 treasure hunt is open from now until April 29th. Enter for your chance to win 811 dollars.

00:17:11.740 --> 00:17:38.470

Tami Groves

North Carolina 811 employees are not eligible to participate. Let me throw that disclaimer out there. Go

out to northcarolina811.org and look for the treasure hunt. You're gonna see some videos. And we asked some questions. But enter for your chance to win. \$811.00. This is a great opportunity for some pocket money and some safety at the same time.

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Tami Groves

Women in construction week, so the focus of women in construction week is to highlight women as an important component of the construction industry, which week also provides an occasion for NAWIC thousands of members across the country to raise awareness of the opportunities available for women in the construction industry and to emphasize the growing role of women in the industry. It's also a time for local chapters to give back to their communities.

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Tami Groves

I've been a part of NAWIC for almost seven years. It is a fantastic organization which week is an opportunity for us to get together all throughout the week to do lunch and learns to spend time with our fellow NAWIC members to learn about them. The local chapter here in Charlotte has everyone from CEO's to electrical inspectors, project managers. It's not just someone who works in the office. These ladies are out.

00:18:47.110 --> 00:19:17.320

Tami Groves

In the field as well. So NAWIC there is a Tom for local chapters to give back to their communities. We do a lot of things for the Community. We do stuff for habitat for different shelters. We've done things going out and painting and and doing some light maintenance and some landscaping work. Quick Week is the 6th through the 12th for those ladies in NAWIC gentleman the other 51 weeks.

00:19:17.370 --> 00:19:20.220

Tami Groves

Of the year or yours? This one is for the lady.

00:19:24.070 --> 00:19:31.040

Tami Groves

I am going to ask this rushing to come back and talk to us a little bit about this mini X.

00:19:31.690 --> 00:19:39.580

Tami Groves

Y'all we have purchased a mini axe and it is. It is so much fun.

00:19:32.930 --> 00:19:33.260

Ann Rushing

Hey.

00:19:39.360 --> 00:19:39.690

Ann Rushing

Uh-huh.

00:19:39.630 --> 00:19:41.000

Tami Groves  
On a Mac.

00:19:41.900 --> 00:19:47.150

Tami Groves  
And please, please talk about the miniac. It is just the coolest thing.

00:19:44.380 --> 00:19:44.910

Ann Rushing  
Sir.

00:19:46.640 --> 00:19:47.120

Ann Rushing  
Alright.

00:19:49.200 --> 00:20:21.490

Ann Rushing  
So we have the opportunity to meet a group of folks and in there called fun size equipment. And it was kind of a brainchild of this, this young lady. And she had lost her son due to an accident. And he loved, you know, construction little mini excavators. And so she created this company. And so we were able to partner with her to attend some events. And we love that mini axe. So. Well, we decided that we would build.

00:20:21.740 --> 00:20:37.150

Ann Rushing  
One as well. And so we have, we're working on setting up our calendar, setting up a form for you guys to request the mini excavator. And it is a 7 by 10 trailer. And on the trailer there is a.

00:20:38.640 --> 00:21:09.690

Ann Rushing  
There's a little mini track hoe that's there, and then there's going to be a ball cage. The bucket will go down in the balls, you know, it's just like a true excavator. It will hold about the weight of a 270 pound person. And so they'll be able to move the arm back and forth, collect the balls. You can see here, and then they'll try their skill at placing it in a bucket. And so we're excited about bringing that out to events, you know, both adults and children events. And so we're already getting a lot of requests for that.

00:21:09.750 --> 00:21:23.610

Ann Rushing  
Already. So if you haven't spoken to Tami or myself, let us know and we'll be sure to get that on the calendar. There is no cost for us to bring it out. We do have to have at least two people on site at all times.

00:21:24.490 --> 00:21:53.810

Ann Rushing  
And then we have a little jump seat on the side that will fold down and so we can help help all your, you know, your kids, your adults try to, you know, work those those toggles there. But otherwise we are



super excited about it and if all goes away well we may try to request a grant for an additional one for you know possibly for the other side of the state or for use at a museum, maybe in Greensboro so.

00:21:54.010 --> 00:21:57.340

Ann Rushing

We got some things in the works, so we're excited about this coming up in April.

00:21:58.150 --> 00:21:59.850

Tami Groves

Thank you, Madam. Appreciate that.

00:21:58.300 --> 00:21:58.900

Ann Rushing

Thanks Tami.

00:22:01.990 --> 00:22:32.080

Tami Groves

For information on North Carolina 811 and NCUCC events, please visit the calendar section of NC 811 or the NC 811 app. As always, this is our education team. I know you've seen these folks before. I'm not gonna run through except to say I appreciate my team members attending these meetings and other meetings throughout the state. It's been great to be able to attend meetings that otherwise I wouldn't be able to go to.

00:22:32.140 --> 00:22:40.260

Tami Groves

Because I I couldn't be in in Wilmington and be here at the same time. So we really appreciate being able to.

00:22:41.290 --> 00:23:05.700

Tami Groves

Join with each other. Appreciate your time and attention. There will be a PDF copy of this presentation available at NC ucc.org and I am going to turn this over to Roger. I'm gonna stop presenting. I'm gonna ask him to come up here so you can see him and everybody else in here can see him as well.

00:23:08.070 --> 00:23:10.880

Tami Groves

Right. Gotcha. You know which one?

00:23:15.600 --> 00:23:19.570

Tami Groves

Sorry y'all, I'm pulling up some information for him while we're standing here.

00:23:22.840 --> 00:23:24.030

Tami Groves

Then I can't see them.

00:23:25.770 --> 00:23:27.880

Tami Groves

Uh, you want the year?

00:23:30.410 --> 00:23:30.850

Tami Groves

OK.

00:23:33.100 --> 00:23:36.750

Tami Groves

Goodbye. Just second angle right here. It's upsetting.

00:23:37.090 --> 00:23:37.740

Tami Groves

OK, that's good.

00:23:37.990 --> 00:23:39.430

Tami Groves

Right. That often go back.

00:23:39.500 --> 00:23:41.370

Tami Groves

Four weeks, right?

00:23:44.080 --> 00:23:44.850

Tami Groves

Richard Lee.

00:23:45.820 --> 00:23:46.990

Tami Groves

Alright. There you go, Sir.

00:23:50.810 --> 00:23:51.160

Tami Groves

Alright.

00:23:52.490 --> 00:23:54.050

Tami Groves

Can once hear hear me.

00:23:55.230 --> 00:23:59.070

Tami Groves

David shaken and say it. He's about to further sworn Josh now.

00:23:59.960 --> 00:24:09.950

Tami Groves

Alright, I just got her pull back up for the month of January for Mecklenburg County to three hour.

Tickets were up roughly 7%.

00:24:10.710 --> 00:24:21.570

Tami Groves

The updates were up a little bit, but not that bad, so I'd say that we're working on them as a committee or as a group and everybody is going back to their.

00:24:22.190 --> 00:24:39.040

Tami Groves

Uh perspective companies and and trying to take care of this. And I always tell you all that that our company has a management meeting every two weeks. We just met yesterday and we took 15 tickets off of fires off of our list, so.

00:24:39.710 --> 00:24:40.180

Tami Groves

Uh.

00:24:41.150 --> 00:25:02.200

Tami Groves

I told our superintendents and everything that that I appreciated it for one, and 811 appreciates it for taking noise at the system. As Luis always says that that creates, I know 15 tickets isn't a lot. But if every company would take out five to 15 tickets.

00:25:02.820 --> 00:25:08.180

Tami Groves

Every two weeks that doesn't need to be updated or locators which I.

00:25:09.370 --> 00:25:15.650

Tami Groves

The locates per day was roughly down 100 from normal. Actually in the 1400s a day.

00:25:16.190 --> 00:25:18.460

Tami Groves

Uh, that would benefit them.

00:25:19.610 --> 00:25:24.980

Tami Groves

Actually, Monday at locator contacted one of our superintendents.

00:25:25.750 --> 00:25:29.000

Tami Groves

About a ticket that we had in our project.

00:25:30.240 --> 00:25:35.180

Tami Groves

Manager. Engineer I I don't know what his job title is. The ticket he done.

00:25:36.300 --> 00:25:46.120

Tami Groves

Was really asking too much and that was discussed in our meeting yesterday, were only working on one side of the road, but he asked for both sides.

00:25:47.300 --> 00:25:57.740

Tami Groves

And that was a discussion that we had yesterday in our meeting is only asked for what we're we're working not both sides because the locator told our Superintendent.

00:25:59.450 --> 00:26:05.070

Tami Groves

Which kudos to him for calling before he went out there. He was like me and you just saved me like 4 hours.

00:26:07.080 --> 00:26:21.220

Tami Groves

So we had that discussion in our meeting. So I always carry it over. We're not a perfect company. We strive to be, but we're not, I don't know of a perfect company out there. I know some think they are and they're not, but.

00:26:22.770 --> 00:26:25.440

Tami Groves

I wonder locate tickets. I know it asks for.

00:26:26.110 --> 00:26:31.690

Tami Groves

Precise instructions on what what you need, but don't ask for too much.

00:26:32.600 --> 00:27:00.270

Tami Groves

And like said, that's what we discussed yesterday and I hope it got through. I'm gonna follow up on his tickets just to make sure. But if we can all do that as, as Sam Gonzalez, you just to say and I always go back to Sam because he's wanted always said we need to clean our own house. So if we keep doing that, hopefully that'll that'll put that reduction down in those update tickets. And those numbers are keep coming down, will take noise out of the system and.

00:27:00.940 --> 00:27:02.160

Tami Groves

Louis, so be happy.

00:27:02.870 --> 00:27:05.210

Tami Groves

And I think that's a good. Yeah, he's praying.

00:27:07.210 --> 00:27:32.060

Tami Groves

But if we could do that, that would be great. And and I think we've came a long way. If we look back a year ago to the update tickets to where we are now, the update tickets was in the teens percentage of being up and now it was down roughly I think 3% give or take. So kudos to everybody that's on here for doing that.

00:27:33.310 --> 00:27:42.380

Tami Groves

I appreciate that being the the chairman of this committee and I know 811 appreciates at two and and again that's what we're all here for is to.

00:27:43.200 --> 00:27:46.640

Tami Groves

Try to take noise, add to system and work together like we do.

00:27:46.990 --> 00:27:49.350

Louis Panzer

If I was there, I gave you a big old hug, Raj.

00:27:49.920 --> 00:27:52.300

Tami Groves

Well, we could do a virtual hug. How? How's that?

00:27:50.140 --> 00:27:50.730

Louis Panzer

I would.

00:27:51.400 --> 00:28:09.950

Louis Panzer

OK, there you go. How about that? And then I will fist bump, but I just wanted to tag on it. I don't know if the people there can hear me or not. If you got a microphone to put by the computer, they let him here. That's a possibility from the speaker. If that can get transmitted over, that's another way can y'all hear it that way in the in the house.

00:27:52.350 --> 00:27:53.200

Tami Groves

So let's let's.

00:28:01.200 --> 00:28:01.680

Tami Groves

Sleeping.

00:28:09.260 --> 00:28:18.000

Tami Groves

They can generate I'm. I'm sorry, Louis. I'm holding the microphone, trying to talk to you. But they can see on the screen what you're saying. It it's transcript out.

00:28:13.820 --> 00:28:14.650

Louis Panzer

That's OK.

00:28:18.960 --> 00:28:48.370

Louis Panzer

OK. Well, I'll be careful what I say then. But listen, Jason Williams is on this call too. He mentioned it in the wake meeting. You know, there's there's concern about these updates and and he's asking us what we can do at 811 and and we made it pretty clear that, you know, we can educate people about it, but ultimately it's that communication. So like you said, understanding the scope of your job exactly where it's going to go, communicating that to the people that are generating those tickets.

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Louis Panzer

So that they understand, they don't need to call a whole intersection if they're gonna be on one side or both sides of the road, or an entire property if it's gonna be in one spot up front, back or side or whatever. Those things, those hours that you're talking about that gets saved, those add up tremendously. And it as we see these numbers go up in terms of volume, we want to keep the process oil. We want to keep it running smooth as best we can because if it starts to grind, if it gets sand in the gears because things slow down.

00:29:21.210 --> 00:29:51.570

Louis Panzer

It drags out, everybody adds on to those three hour notices, adds onto the updates and updates as a really important thing, make sure that you're communicating from the field when those jobs are complete to the person that's playing these tickets and on the front end, make sure that that job is truly going to happen and that the work is ready when you create those tickets initially, don't say, yeah, I think somewhere in the next six weeks or 8 weeks, we're going to be ready with our permits, whatever and.

00:29:37.920 --> 00:29:38.450

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Makes sense?

00:29:51.620 --> 00:30:08.890

Louis Panzer

Will start that ticket flow. No, no, you don't want to do that. That's a waste of resources and time that drag in. So I'll get off my soapbox, but hopefully I preempted Jason's noise 'cause. I know he's gonna. He's gonna say the same thing, but Jason. Hopefully I captured what she wanted to say.

00:30:10.170 --> 00:30:19.050

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Well, this is Mark and I I wanna say one thing in here. It also costs just about \$100 to somebody's ratepayers every time you click that update button.

00:30:19.560 --> 00:30:20.060

Louis Panzer

Yep.

00:30:19.650 --> 00:30:24.930

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

So it it's a hassle for us manpower wise. It's real money to the ratepayer.

00:30:27.320 --> 00:30:38.870

Tami Groves

And more complicated, you said that I was going to mention that too. Is is ultimately it cost all of us in, in the long run from you know the facility owners paying it too.

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Tami Groves

It being tacked on to your monthly bill from that facility owner, so it we all pay for it to be out there. So it's not a free service as people think it is not like the app. The app is actually free, but these locates aren't.

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Tami Groves

You're not still throw it in there with the IODO, just.

00:31:01.860 --> 00:31:08.210

Tami Groves

Uh, speaking to a contractor Monday, he called me over an issue, reminding me I need to get with you about.

00:31:08.710 --> 00:31:14.790

Tami Groves

Uh, and I asked him, I said, where did you pull it up on the app and look? And he said bought out.

00:31:15.610 --> 00:31:32.860

Tami Groves

So obviously I went into how to get the app downloaded on your phone? It it it did, it didn't cost them anything and in the information he was asking me, I feel like he could have gotten off of the app. Not saying don't call me if you've got questions, I don't mind.

00:31:33.890 --> 00:31:37.800

Tami Groves

But the resources and tools are out there if we just use them.

00:31:38.620 --> 00:31:45.600

Tami Groves

Yeah, eight. You know, that goes to our locate tickets, those those resources and tools are out there. If we use them correctly.

00:31:46.160 --> 00:31:46.770

Tami Groves

So.

00:31:47.470 --> 00:31:49.930

Tami Groves

Uh. Anybody having questions on that?

00:31:51.440 --> 00:31:59.000

Williams, Jason

Well, I I'm. I'm sorry I missed a little bit of the conversation. I had a call, but I got back just in time to her here. Louis say my name and that's all.

00:31:58.590 --> 00:31:59.030

Tami Groves

Yeah.

00:31:59.900 --> 00:32:01.310

Williams, Jason  
Raises my awareness.

00:32:00.980 --> 00:32:04.130

Tami Groves  
Well, I'm gonna tell you he throw you under the bus, Jason, but you know.

00:32:03.480 --> 00:32:08.290

Williams, Jason  
OK. That is. Yeah, that that sounds about right now. Louis loves me. I know he does.

00:32:05.880 --> 00:32:06.220

Tami Groves  
No.

00:32:08.340 --> 00:32:15.370

Williams, Jason  
Uh, but just to yeah. Reinforce that. And from what I said in the Wake County yesterday, you know.

00:32:16.140 --> 00:32:42.590

Williams, Jason  
As as a facility, we're always looking for ways to optimize and to reduce costs, obviously. And I tell you the number I have just from like last month on update tickets. Now this is for my division, not for just North Carolina, but North Carolina is the lion share of stuff. But of the 5201 tickets we had come in.

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Tami Groves  
Here.

00:32:45.050 --> 00:33:16.130

Williams, Jason  
Well, of the 14,518 tickets that we closed last month, 5200 were new tickets normal and 6642 of more updates. So it is a major problem. I mean that's majority of my money and time and focus of my locators is going to that and if it's needed then it's needed. But if it's not, that's what we need to address in the education that 811 does is fantastic.

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Tami Groves  
You know.

00:33:16.440 --> 00:33:46.770

Williams, Jason  
It just has to be, you know, we just have to keep supporting it, encouraging it and and getting the excavators to send people for training or 81 go there for training, you know, all this is continuous. We never will never accomplish the goal because the goal will always be there as new contractors come into the area as people need new people within the existing contract or so it's it's an ongoing but yeah, it is definitely a major thing to to address.



00:33:47.840 --> 00:34:14.620

Tami Groves

Jason, I want you to know we were not laughing at you. I'm. I know y'all can see me. Tami just happens to walk over here, push the microphone down to the computer, and everybody in here can start here. And what's our plan? Home, computer. So weird sitting here, making faces at each other and just throwing her hands up. Like, why did you not do that? So I I just wanted you to know we wasn't, like, laughing. It's you was laughing at herself for not thinking of that sooner.

00:33:59.560 --> 00:33:59.940

Williams, Jason

Ah.

00:34:05.570 --> 00:34:06.080

Williams, Jason

OK.

00:34:12.400 --> 00:34:12.670

Williams, Jason

Uh.

00:34:15.010 --> 00:34:15.890

Williams, Jason

I thought you were.

00:34:15.110 --> 00:34:23.560

Louis Panzer

And I I did not throw you under the bus, J. So honestly, I'd picked up on we our conversation from yesterday and expanded on it. And Marc Worth did as well. Just so you know.

00:34:23.860 --> 00:34:28.530

Williams, Jason

Yeah, I know you love me. I know you love him right? There you go, alright.

00:34:26.200 --> 00:34:26.920

Louis Panzer

That's it.

00:34:29.270 --> 00:34:47.680

Tami Groves

Yeah. No, we appreciate that, Jason. And that's one good thing with these virtual meetings. Y'all know, I'm opposed to him. But the good thing with it is you or is on the wait meeting yesterday and was able to share that information and and pass it along to to the Mecklenburg UCC.

00:34:48.320 --> 00:34:59.660

Tami Groves

Uh, and we appreciate all that, you know, wait tries to be ahead of Max. So they do their meeting the day before us. But we all know here, Mecklenburg that that were number one so.

00:35:01.310 --> 00:35:01.780

Williams, Jason

Yep.

00:35:01.540 --> 00:35:04.020

Tami Groves

Like, sure, he rely upon this diet.

00:35:05.230 --> 00:35:08.670

Tami Groves

I promise you, I give him a hard time about that, but.

00:35:08.310 --> 00:35:13.650

Williams, Jason

I have nothing else here. My number one pain in my, but I mean Mecklenburg area.

00:35:15.070 --> 00:35:15.870

Williams, Jason

Yeah.

00:35:15.480 --> 00:35:23.610

Tami Groves

I bailed, told me that I wasn't even in the top ten at his last night. You telling me I'm number one? So I'm doing good as I appreciate.

00:35:23.060 --> 00:35:31.410

Louis Panzer

Yeah, you're you're not gonna win friends and influence people without J. Just for the record, down in Mac, you might just wanna com that one down, but just just a piece.

00:35:27.200 --> 00:35:28.810

Williams, Jason

OK. Well, yeah, I'm just saying.

00:35:31.820 --> 00:35:41.630

Williams, Jason

I'll just stay at Mecklenburg, the top half. OK. You know, and and it's a lot of things going on in there and it's crazy. So they're over building the over builds, you know, it's like.

00:35:38.600 --> 00:35:39.400

Tami Groves

It it is.

00:35:42.890 --> 00:35:46.870

Williams, Jason

Crazy. No, I think you guys are doing a great job with Mecklenburg, but it's a tough town.

00:35:48.200 --> 00:35:55.310

Tami Groves

Bad idea. So watch what you say about him. 'cause. I got a group here with me, and then you see what's here. Virtual too. So.

00:35:54.940 --> 00:35:57.140

Williams, Jason

Oh yeah, like, OK, take your rescue there.

00:35:57.560 --> 00:35:59.150

Tami Groves

No, it's all in fun, buddy.

00:35:58.420 --> 00:36:02.000

Williams, Jason

African bird, I love it. Keeps me busy, keeps me employed.

00:36:03.530 --> 00:36:04.940

Williams, Jason

Alright, thanks.

00:36:03.680 --> 00:36:05.790

Tami Groves

Right now, I would appreciate that.

00:36:07.360 --> 00:36:11.090

Tami Groves

Anybody else have anything to add on what we were just discussing?

00:36:12.140 --> 00:36:16.350

Tami Groves

I mean, everybody putting these little emojis up. I like that. That's that's pretty good.

00:36:17.290 --> 00:36:17.870

Tami Groves

Uhm.

00:36:20.120 --> 00:36:22.570

Tami Groves

Take click modify some like scolvin.

00:36:23.620 --> 00:36:26.560

Tami Groves

Uh, sorry about that. My phone is ringing in my ears.

00:36:28.110 --> 00:36:39.380

Tami Groves

But no. Again, thank you all for all the input on owned by AT and that's what's great about this committee is it's a, it's.

00:36:41.390 --> 00:36:52.170

Tami Groves

What's the word I'm looking for? A very active interactive committee for or with share all the information in their thing. We've actually got a new person here.

00:36:52.910 --> 00:37:01.890

Tami Groves

Uh at the committee meeting here in person. Alan, Andy and I was closed. So I'm she took my list so I couldn't cheat.

00:37:02.200 --> 00:37:14.890

Tami Groves

Uh, Andy would Duke Duke energy's here. So Andy, welcome. We apologize for the technical difficulties. Is issues a little better than that, but you see that it is a very interactive committee.

00:37:16.350 --> 00:37:31.760

Tami Groves

What I always say usually at the beginning, we don't point fingers. It's not one of those kind of sessions that starts with a B, ends with age and and we don't do that. We try to work together and if there is a problem, we work through the problem. I don't.

00:37:33.220 --> 00:37:37.430

Tami Groves

Pointer finger Josh and and say he's doing this wrong and all of that.

00:37:39.810 --> 00:37:40.520

Tami Groves

Not anymore.

00:37:40.570 --> 00:37:45.040

Tami Groves

Yeah, I might do it when we get out in park. No, just kidding. But.

00:37:45.760 --> 00:38:03.060

Tami Groves

This committee has grown just to give you a little background. Then it we went from about five members every month to there was 11 on here earlier and I counted 12 or 13 in here. So we we run between 20 and 30 every month.

00:38:04.250 --> 00:38:12.060

Tami Groves

Great contacts if you need a contact with somebody, this is where it happens and and again we work through the issues and not.

00:38:12.670 --> 00:38:14.290

Tami Groves

Throwing each other under the bus.

00:38:15.170 --> 00:38:15.610

Tami Groves

Welcome.

00:38:16.720 --> 00:38:17.170

Tami Groves

Uh.

00:38:18.620 --> 00:38:23.590

Tami Groves

With that, does anybody have anything they want to bring up before I start going down the list?

00:38:27.440 --> 00:38:29.940

Tami Groves

Alright, I'm gonna start.

00:38:33.990 --> 00:38:40.450

Tami Groves

I'm gonna start here in the room first because we have a lot here, but there's a lot with one company.

00:38:41.230 --> 00:38:44.410

Tami Groves

And then I'll go to the ones on virtual.

00:38:45.900 --> 00:38:46.650

Tami Groves

With that.

00:38:47.920 --> 00:38:52.000

Tami Groves

Lindsey, I'm gonna start with you. You're on the front. That's what you get for setting on the front Rd.

00:38:55.280 --> 00:38:56.060

Tami Groves

I can't hear you.

00:38:56.110 --> 00:38:56.340

Tami Groves

You.

00:38:57.460 --> 00:38:58.050

Tami Groves

Go ahead.

00:38:59.920 --> 00:39:05.240

Tami Groves

Different to Dillon Info or offline, so I still don't think they can.

00:39:15.630 --> 00:39:26.340

Tami Groves

I'm going to visit there. So Lindsey was, Sam is going to ask Dillon and Bo to bring up any kind of concerns that they may have.

00:39:27.710 --> 00:39:28.120

Tami Groves

Like that.

00:39:32.630 --> 00:39:33.570

William Dixon

All good on my end.

00:39:32.780 --> 00:39:33.100

Bobby Turner

Org.

00:39:35.560 --> 00:39:36.120

Tami Groves

Do you know?

00:39:37.250 --> 00:39:39.580

Bobby Turner

Only concerns with guys weather related right now.

00:39:37.430 --> 00:39:37.790

Tami Groves

Are.

00:39:41.840 --> 00:39:48.000

Tami Groves

Thank you, Bo pre. She ate that. Hopefully it'll be pretty again tomorrow and then it'll rain again the next day.

00:39:48.050 --> 00:39:49.100

Tami Groves

Like uh.

00:39:49.270 --> 00:39:49.630

Bobby Turner

So.

00:39:53.450 --> 00:40:00.340

Tami Groves

OK. Appreciate that. We're gonna ask Tim Yarbrow with Ian's coat for any concerns.

00:40:01.070 --> 00:40:01.910

Tami Groves

Just an update.

00:40:01.960 --> 00:40:03.610

Tami Groves

Like this for right now.

00:40:03.800 --> 00:40:04.350

Tami Groves  
Power.

00:40:06.220 --> 00:40:07.210

Tami Groves  
Overall smooth.

00:40:08.930 --> 00:40:09.560

Tami Groves  
Here and there.

00:40:10.560 --> 00:40:10.920

Tami Groves  
Please.

00:40:19.550 --> 00:40:27.180

Tami Groves  
So no concerns from Tim. I know that you're able to see some of that conversation. Everything's running pretty smoothly.

00:40:28.580 --> 00:40:32.910

Tami Groves  
Yes, Sir. Yes. Yeah. Some of it is. Yes, Sir.

00:40:33.930 --> 00:40:37.410

Tami Groves  
Alright, going to Tristan Teasley with the city of Charlotte.

00:40:39.440 --> 00:40:41.050

Tami Groves  
This is basically.

00:40:43.170 --> 00:40:43.630

Tami Groves  
Did they?

00:40:45.070 --> 00:40:45.610

Tami Groves  
Transfer.

00:40:47.870 --> 00:40:51.150

Tami Groves  
Actually, look at the errors or whatever white lines.

00:40:53.460 --> 00:40:54.010

Tami Groves  
White line.

00:40:55.200 --> 00:41:04.730

Tami Groves

It matches the description, but I get out there to check the marketing and they don't even get into the errors that I've indicated build.

00:41:04.870 --> 00:41:05.300

Tami Groves

Sorry.

00:41:08.420 --> 00:41:10.040

Tami Groves

Always ask if they can.

00:41:11.580 --> 00:41:19.410

Tami Groves

Just give us a call if they have any questions. So for the locate community, if you have any questions for the city of Charlotte, please give them a call.

00:41:19.470 --> 00:41:29.670

Tami Groves

How about there locate request? Just trying to make sure that they get everything located correctly, so please just let them know. Reach out to any of those folks.

00:41:32.060 --> 00:41:32.590

Tami Groves

Alright.

00:41:34.370 --> 00:41:37.280

Tami Groves

David Johnson with Heath Consultants.

00:41:41.380 --> 00:41:43.580

Tami Groves

Yeah. The only issue that I want to bring up is.

00:41:43.630 --> 00:41:52.180

Tami Groves

Is it hard to take this abuse or that they were following the law firm urgency tickets? It's not using them as as a means for scheduling your work.

00:41:53.970 --> 00:41:57.590

Tami Groves

Obviously that's obvious. So sometime comma time where.

00:41:58.780 --> 00:42:06.230

Tami Groves

Works, meetings scheduled through emergency, and if you read the ticket in the work items doesn't how soon vertices.



00:42:06.860 --> 00:42:07.280

Tami Groves

So.

00:42:08.550 --> 00:42:11.750

Tami Groves

Just just count our fault. You know, all the excavators now on here today.

00:42:12.910 --> 00:42:15.970

Tami Groves

It's still a 72 hour extended. How we work on the puzzle.

00:42:16.020 --> 00:42:16.850

Tami Groves

We'll see.

00:42:18.390 --> 00:42:20.970

Tami Groves

Or what is truly them urgency in one spot so?

00:42:21.020 --> 00:42:26.400

Tami Groves

So just just kinda wanna throw that out there. Let's let's try to use the law and we've only words.

00:42:27.300 --> 00:42:42.350

Tami Groves

So I know again you can read this, but David just wants to remind everyone not to be planning their work through emergency tickets and emergencyticket is still a 72 hour ticket just to try to schedule that work correctly.

00:42:44.030 --> 00:42:46.790

Tami Groves

Could tell Matt Underwood you called?

00:42:48.130 --> 00:42:49.430

Tami Groves

SSRS.

00:42:50.320 --> 00:42:51.130

Tami Groves

Stable.

00:42:52.240 --> 00:42:57.310

Tami Groves

Give me the definition of marks ticket. Let you know that it is a misdemeanor.

00:42:59.950 --> 00:43:00.360

Tami Groves

Marks.

00:43:01.330 --> 00:43:29.880

Tami Groves

So Rodgers reminding everyone that you know it is a misdemeanor. It's a third class misdemeanor to abuse that system. It could go before the underground damage Prevention Review Board, but again to make sure that you're planning your work correctly in not using emergency tickets to plan work and we are going to talk with someone back care, alright.

00:43:31.710 --> 00:43:32.080

Tami Groves

Beyond.

00:43:34.330 --> 00:43:37.660

Tami Groves

We're going to turn it over to Andy with Duke Power to speak for this moment.

00:43:38.540 --> 00:43:39.930

Tami Groves

So I will give you a lot of them.

00:43:42.070 --> 00:43:42.830

Tami Groves

Bye bye.

00:43:54.380 --> 00:43:56.390

Tami Groves

And also government relations.

00:44:00.400 --> 00:44:02.990

Tami Groves

Andy was invited by David Beyer.

00:44:06.520 --> 00:44:14.890

Louis Panzer

Is there any way to hand him a microphone or put him up by your computer so we could hear him 'cause? We just cannot hear him clearly and I hate to have you translate everything.

00:44:16.750 --> 00:44:17.410

Tami Groves

Come on up.

00:44:18.690 --> 00:44:21.260

Tami Groves

We're we're going to have him come up and introduce themselves.

00:44:22.170 --> 00:44:23.110

Tami Groves

Thank you for that.

00:44:23.780 --> 00:44:26.230

Tami Groves

I can't tell what everyone can hear and what they can.

00:44:28.000 --> 00:44:30.530

Tami Groves

Come on, everybody is going to see you.

00:44:31.280 --> 00:44:37.850

Tami Groves

Hello. Like I was saying I'm I mandiola. I'm new to this committee. I was invited by Daniel Bear.

00:44:38.480 --> 00:44:44.240

Tami Groves

I'm over the Charlotte Doty design team and the Charlotte stormwater design team.

00:44:44.910 --> 00:44:47.870

Tami Groves

Uhm, part of my team also does some NCDOT work.

00:44:48.500 --> 00:45:00.370

Tami Groves

And then I'm also then be the government relations person for the city of Charlotte and the central zone is what we call it in Duke Energy. So Gaston County, Mecklenburg County, Union County.

00:45:01.320 --> 00:45:04.150

Tami Groves

But the focus on Mecklenburg County, though.

00:45:05.810 --> 00:45:06.510

Tami Groves

So welcome.

00:45:07.660 --> 00:45:16.690

Tami Groves

What will we see in will be seeing more of Andy for sure, as particularly I'm in Union County as well, so would love to have you there.

00:45:19.050 --> 00:45:20.030

Tami Groves

Alright, Mr. Richards.

00:45:23.380 --> 00:45:31.190

Tami Groves

That will get back over here and and we'll go down the list. And I always just try to go down the list that I'm seeing.

00:45:31.860 --> 00:45:38.200

Tami Groves

I'm a call on you twice. If I do, just tell me that you've already said something or whatever, and we'll move on.

00:45:39.500 --> 00:45:42.920

Tami Groves

But I'm looking at Robert McGee is the 1st. And Robert, you got anything?

00:45:46.050 --> 00:45:47.640

Rob Mcghee

No, I got nothing out loud this crowd.

00:45:50.440 --> 00:45:51.460

Tami Groves

Alright. Thank you, rob.

00:45:53.150 --> 00:45:53.780

Tami Groves

Ronya.

00:45:58.000 --> 00:46:02.490

Nabors, Ronya K

Good morning, Roger and everybody else. I'm doing pretty good.

00:45:59.860 --> 00:46:00.650

Tami Groves

How you doing?

00:46:04.000 --> 00:46:04.710

Nabors, Ronya K

Uhm.

00:46:05.650 --> 00:46:10.840

Nabors, Ronya K

For the month of January, I have 64 verified damages.

00:46:11.720 --> 00:46:15.490

Nabors, Ronya K

19 of which was a no call 811.

00:46:20.060 --> 00:46:22.170

Tami Groves

You know, my Ashley, us with that.

00:46:20.560 --> 00:46:20.960

Rob Mcghee

Wow.

00:46:21.820 --> 00:46:22.730

Nabors, Ronya K

Uh-huh.

00:46:24.120 --> 00:46:31.290

Tami Groves

Did you give that list over 811 where they can reach out to these people? That's done the damage.

00:46:32.370 --> 00:46:35.160

Nabors, Ronya K

I have not, but I can definitely do that.

00:46:37.810 --> 00:46:38.460

Tami Groves

Louis.

00:46:39.960 --> 00:46:41.060

Tami Groves

I'm looking at looking.

00:46:40.290 --> 00:46:41.240

Ann Rushing

Hey ronya.

00:46:42.210 --> 00:46:42.950

Nabors, Ronya K

Yes.

00:46:43.530 --> 00:46:52.800

Ann Rushing

Ronya or the you said 64 verified is that for the state or is that for North Carolina? I mean for Mecklenburg County?

00:46:53.060 --> 00:46:54.750

Nabors, Ronya K

Less for Mecklenburg County.

00:46:55.340 --> 00:46:56.950

Ann Rushing

Wow, OK.

00:46:56.780 --> 00:46:58.130

Neely, Robert L

OK. Yeah.

00:46:57.000 --> 00:47:03.730

Nabors, Ronya K

Yes, quite a few, Joel. I'ma call out Joe. Joe, did you happen to get a different number than me?

00:46:57.800 --> 00:46:58.160

Ann Rushing

Well.

00:46:58.980 --> 00:46:59.540

Ann Rushing

Yes.

00:47:07.300 --> 00:47:09.030

Calabrese, Joel Thomas

I can't confirm nor deny.

00:47:10.260 --> 00:47:10.950

Calabrese, Joel Thomas

I'm I'm.

00:47:13.370 --> 00:47:14.020

Tami Groves

Uh.

00:47:13.550 --> 00:47:13.760

Nabors, Ronya K

Well.

00:47:13.880 --> 00:47:17.500

Nabors, Ronya K

I'm looking at the spreadsheet so I'm pretty sure it's accurate.

00:47:19.010 --> 00:47:20.010

Tami Groves

OK if.

00:47:19.910 --> 00:47:20.240

Neely, Robert L

Yep.

00:47:21.180 --> 00:47:23.240

Tami Groves

And this is for everyone on here.

00:47:24.910 --> 00:47:37.930

Tami Groves

You know, if you do have damage is in, the contractor doesn't have locate tickets. Please pass that information along to 811 so that the liaisons can reach out to him, hopefully educate them.

00:47:38.570 --> 00:47:42.050

Tami Groves

Uh to hopefully prevent this?

00:47:43.010 --> 00:47:54.330

Tami Groves

I'd like to see those numbers come way down. I know ronya and and everyone at Piedmont would like to see that also. Now I'm gonna ask you, do you have anything to report from the state UCC?

00:47:55.620 --> 00:47:58.770

Nabors, Ronya K

Uh, not really. I just know that you know the.

00:47:58.830 --> 00:48:11.990

Nabors, Ronya K

Uhm, conference is coming up May 4th through the 6th. Then I think somebody told me that they are the high. It was sold out. I don't know if that's accurate, but somebody did say that too.

00:48:10.700 --> 00:48:29.690

Louis Panzer

No, I just, I just got, I just got a reservation as \$145.00. That's the group rate and I was able to go online and ends. It's difficult to find the link. I had trouble finding the link for the hotel thing. But and Ann has it and I guess if you want to just share that link here in the chat and that would be helpful.

00:48:16.830 --> 00:48:17.400

Nabors, Ronya K

OK.

00:48:28.870 --> 00:48:29.810

Ann Rushing

Sure.

00:48:31.900 --> 00:48:49.920

Ann Rushing

When you when you log onto that as Cucc.org there on the toolbar is information about the joint conference and then it kind of gives you a list, the registration, then the hotel and the link is right beside. But I will certainly do that for us.

00:48:50.630 --> 00:48:51.290

Ann Rushing

Stand by.

00:48:52.000 --> 00:48:52.780

Nabors, Ronya K

Thank you.

00:48:53.550 --> 00:48:55.090

Tami Groves

Yeah. Thank you, Ann, for that.

00:48:55.810 --> 00:49:02.410

Tami Groves

Uh, sure. Here are your next one that I see it. Everything looks good except for that start behind you. You know, just say.

00:49:03.440 --> 00:49:05.030

Lee, Shuhurah

How about those Cowboys?

00:49:07.380 --> 00:49:08.330

Lee, Shuhurah  
Can y'all hear me?

00:49:09.790 --> 00:49:22.950

Lee, Shuhurah  
OK, good. I just making sure sorry about that earlier. So for the month of January, we had 46 water service damages of the 4614 of those were private.

00:49:23.540 --> 00:49:37.680

Lee, Shuhurah  
All three were lines that needed to be abandoned, and five of those were not located correctly. We had six water mains that were damaged, one on the locate marks were off.

00:49:38.350 --> 00:49:39.080

Lee, Shuhurah  
Uhm.

00:49:40.220 --> 00:49:42.760

Lee, Shuhurah  
13 sewer laterals two sewer mains.

00:49:40.730 --> 00:49:41.360

Tami Groves  
It's.

00:49:43.470 --> 00:50:06.220

Lee, Shuhurah  
Uhm, one low pressure sewer box. A meter box, avail box and a blow off. So I wanted to talk to you all about those we're having. We're noticing that a lot of the boring machines or even trucks, large trucks are parking on top of our boxes and then it damages it causes damage. So if you all see those boxes and I know they may be.

00:50:06.800 --> 00:50:16.960

Lee, Shuhurah  
Steel or whatever like that. Please don't park on top of those. Come because it does cause damage to those services because the weight of those UM.

00:50:17.810 --> 00:50:28.170

Lee, Shuhurah  
And as far as what we damaged, we damaged one PNG line. It was not marked up 5/8 and T lines two were not marked.

00:50:29.170 --> 00:50:33.220

Lee, Shuhurah  
3 Duke Energy lines. One not marked one.



00:50:34.350 --> 00:50:42.750

Lee, Shuhurah

I don't know. It's it RST Globe communications on the the hand whole box, but it was not marked and.

00:50:44.520 --> 00:50:54.850

Lee, Shuhurah

8 spectrum cable lines and two of those were not marked. We're finding quite a few of these or quite shallow we've actually.

00:50:56.110 --> 00:51:12.420

Lee, Shuhurah

Took up a concrete sidewalk and found a conduit, and I thought those kind it was supposed to be 36 inches, but we're actually finding the larger ones, maybe four or five inches right up under the concrete and some of the.

00:51:13.600 --> 00:51:21.840

Lee, Shuhurah

Barrett, drop cable lines or maybe an inch or two in the ground. But yeah, that's what we're finding lately. But that's my report.

00:51:24.600 --> 00:51:28.470

Tami Groves

Thank you. See here. And you brought up a point not not trying to go by.

00:51:26.440 --> 00:51:26.890

Lee, Shuhurah

You're welcome.

00:51:29.660 --> 00:51:31.750

Tami Groves

I'm sorry, I thought somebody in here said something.

00:51:34.040 --> 00:51:35.850

Tami Groves

And and this is a question but.

00:51:36.840 --> 00:51:44.780

Tami Groves

Cable TV, telephone and all that. Do they? Or do they not fall under the electrical code standard?

00:51:46.150 --> 00:52:00.160

Tami Groves

Uh, because what I've read in that is that does fall under the electrical code, so that stuff should be buried 36 inches like you were just mentioning. And I don't know.

00:52:01.260 --> 00:52:13.220

Tami Groves

What they're following under, but if you read that standard or that regulation, it it specifically says that in there, so that that was.

00:52:11.620 --> 00:52:33.530

Lee, Shuhurah

OK. Thank you. I appreciate that. And yes, in Mecklenburg County, when they are permitted, I know for the larger conduits they had, they're supposed to be 36 inches per the permitting department. And I think that is in in that permit. I think what is electrical 18 inches, I think is it 8 or is it 36 inches for the drop line?

00:52:34.260 --> 00:52:39.100

Lee, Shuhurah

Put a drop line, but the big the larger ones I know are supposed to be 36 inches.

00:52:39.540 --> 00:52:44.450

Tami Groves

It electric Selectric, so it's all got to be 36 inches. It it does not.

00:52:41.630 --> 00:52:41.940

Lee, Shuhurah

OK.

00:52:45.280 --> 00:52:51.570

Tami Groves

From what I read and that it does not specify a service or anything like that, it is all electric.

00:52:52.270 --> 00:52:52.630

Lee, Shuhurah

OK.

00:52:52.500 --> 00:53:05.120

Tami Groves

And with with cable TV and tell my I'm not throwing you under the bus or but a phone line carries a current and it's an electrical current in a way.

00:53:06.350 --> 00:53:16.880

Tami Groves

And I'm asking you because reading that in the electrical standard, that's the way they're defining it as with it carrying a current is the reason it falls under the electrical standard.

00:53:17.740 --> 00:53:18.120

Tami Groves

I don't.

00:53:19.250 --> 00:53:19.790

Tami Groves

You know.

00:53:25.230 --> 00:53:26.130

Tami Groves

The mains.

00:53:26.800 --> 00:53:36.080

Tami Groves

OK, Tim saying that domain should be at least 36 inches and I'm still looking at it to make sure I'm saying what in Charlotte, yeah.

00:53:36.690 --> 00:53:52.330

Lee, Shuhurah

OK. OK, thank you. So if I find those any a shallower than that, would he like me to reach out or even the spectrum people if you would you all like me to reach out to you all when I'm finding those Moore shot unless you show too shallow.

00:53:36.700 --> 00:53:37.140

Tami Groves

We can't.

00:53:54.030 --> 00:53:55.720

Tami Groves

Yeah, go ahead, Los.

00:53:57.150 --> 00:54:28.310

Louis Panzer

Why do you want to block off that answer for her? But what? I was gonna just remind everybody is I know under the sidewalk is one thing, but when you're out there right away and that kind of thing, we never tell people depth. We never talk about depth in terms of digging because so many things will change the shape of the ground, the depth of that facility, whether it's erosion, some future construction that happened after that was done, all kinds of things. So you just don't want to get too comfortable depending on a, uh, expected depth.

00:54:28.390 --> 00:54:50.690

Louis Panzer

I know what you're saying now about when it's installed. It's it is meant to be at a particular depth, but every pipeline person, every gas person, everybody will tell you the same thing. And even CJ, it's not a best practice to utilize depth in any way in terms of expectation. You want to be able to visually see it in that type of thing. So I just wanted to throw that in there.

00:54:51.120 --> 00:54:54.720

Louis Panzer

Uh, especially as it relates to, you know, depth.

00:54:55.620 --> 00:55:00.910

Lee, Shuhurah

Thank you, Luis. I appreciate that. But the ones under the sidewalk kind of like what you were saying.

00:55:01.580 --> 00:55:02.130

Lee, Shuhurah

Uh.

00:55:03.530 --> 00:55:06.950

Lee, Shuhurah

Uhm, and I got you. Thank you.

00:55:09.740 --> 00:55:12.430

Tami Groves

You're here. It's just something interesting or read.

00:55:14.810 --> 00:55:18.440

Tami Groves

I'm giving away all my secrets that I use so. Oh, that's right.

00:55:17.050 --> 00:55:19.490

Lee, Shuhurah

Yeah, thank you. I appreciate it.

00:55:20.800 --> 00:55:21.210

Tami Groves

Uh.

00:55:23.470 --> 00:55:25.220

Tami Groves

Robert, are you on mute?

00:55:27.950 --> 00:55:28.440

Tami Groves

OK so.

00:55:29.970 --> 00:55:35.050

Tami Groves

Somebody is feeding back through them, not calling you out or anything since you wave me off while ago.

00:55:37.710 --> 00:55:41.330

Tami Groves

Joe, do you have anything else you Next up on my list?

00:55:43.390 --> 00:55:44.240

Calabrese, Joel Thomas

I just wanna.

00:55:45.740 --> 00:55:51.130

Calabrese, Joel Thomas

There is a lot of noise and I just wanna thank God I can't remember who was talking about it, but.

00:55:47.390 --> 00:55:47.890

Tami Groves

Yeah.

00:55:51.880 --> 00:56:09.960

Calabrese, Joel Thomas

Don't overcall your tickets for locates because that slows down the locates that causes backups on the even unlocatable's it just it's very good to hear that you had that discussion about calling in only what you're going to be doing, and so that's all I wanna add. Thank you.

00:55:56.370 --> 00:55:56.670

Tami Groves

Yep.

00:56:10.620 --> 00:56:11.810

Tami Groves

No, thank you, Joe.

00:56:17.290 --> 00:56:18.320

Tami Groves

William Dixon.

00:56:20.030 --> 00:56:20.770

Tami Groves

So yeah.

00:56:22.450 --> 00:56:22.910

Tami Groves

Field.

00:56:23.540 --> 00:56:24.880

William Dixon

I'm all good, buddy. I appreciate it.

00:56:27.190 --> 00:56:35.070

Tami Groves

Oh, I'm sorry if I'm not calling you about her. I'm going. What's on the computer? So I'm, I apologize if I call you the wrong name or whatever.

00:56:37.940 --> 00:56:38.770

Tami Groves

Court Bennett.

00:56:40.520 --> 00:56:59.010

Cort Bennett (Guest)

Everything is good. I think we looked at taking members were down last month. I think we're under 200 is all we had for the Mecklenburg sore now big drain on the system last month asked for any feedback and how we were doing good, bad or indifferent or any process improvements. No feedbacks assumed. Everything is well. It's all good. Thank you.

00:57:02.030 --> 00:57:02.850

Tami Groves

Thank you, court.

00:57:04.770 --> 00:57:05.990

Tami Groves  
Jason Williams.

00:57:06.940 --> 00:57:08.420

Tami Groves  
It's right there.

00:57:13.850 --> 00:57:14.980

Tami Groves  
Jason, you're on mute.

00:57:15.590 --> 00:57:16.530

Tami Groves  
He might be in town.

00:57:17.600 --> 00:57:17.960

Tami Groves  
K.

00:57:19.520 --> 00:57:19.840

Tami Groves  
Hi.

00:57:22.080 --> 00:57:32.050

Tami Groves  
And I will come right back up. So you may call on, well, that's dumb. I was gonna say Umm, calling you again, but do you have anything else to add to what I should say?

00:57:33.030 --> 00:57:37.960

Bobby Turner  
Roger, I'll be glad to give you another weather update. It looks to me like he's quit raining. The sun is trying to come out.

00:57:40.670 --> 00:57:43.770

Tami Groves  
Oh my goodness, thank you for that. There are major colleges.

00:57:42.690 --> 00:57:43.440

Bobby Turner  
Absolutely.

00:57:45.190 --> 00:57:53.050

Tami Groves  
We appreciate that Brian Morehouse from the western part of North Carolina is on here. Brian, you got anything, buddy?

00:57:55.300 --> 00:58:01.920

Brian Morehouse

Now I just pre she ate Leo, let me chime in and be able to listen everything going on and you always area appreciate.

00:58:02.570 --> 00:58:04.500

Tami Groves

No problem. Will send you a bill for that.

00:58:07.210 --> 00:58:09.310

Brian Morehouse

Please send it to Louis. He'll take care of it.

00:58:12.150 --> 00:58:12.920

Tami Groves

David Smith.

00:58:12.400 --> 00:58:20.680

Louis Panzer

Yeah. OK. No, that's good. Yeah. Send it on to percent on the Brian. Then I can either approve it or disapprove. But that's the best way to do that.

00:58:13.700 --> 00:58:16.450

Tami Groves

Sorry, you go look.

00:58:21.220 --> 00:58:25.080

Tami Groves

At Louis, you know it wouldn't go send it to you anyway. It's gonna go straight to Brian.

00:58:26.620 --> 00:58:28.180

Tami Groves

Uh, David Smith.

00:58:29.230 --> 00:58:30.380

David Smith

I don't have nothing.

00:58:31.230 --> 00:58:33.160

Tami Groves

Alright, thank you buddy. Appreciate you being here.

00:58:34.600 --> 00:58:40.110

Tami Groves

Eric, with Matthews, you know, like I can't pronounce your last name, Eric. And I'm not gonna butcher it.

00:58:42.320 --> 00:58:46.090

Erick Guir (Town of Matthews) (Guest)

Uh, no, you're fine and nothing to report on my thank you.

00:58:47.190 --> 00:58:47.830

Tami Groves

Thank you.

00:58:49.190 --> 00:58:50.590

Tami Groves

Latisha Harvey.

00:58:59.360 --> 00:59:00.130

Tami Groves

Alright.

00:59:00.000 --> 00:59:01.360

Harvey, Letitia

Hi I'm here.

00:59:01.920 --> 00:59:10.360

Harvey, Letitia

I'm. I'm not sure Jorge and Tracy today in her pretty much uh, already playing all that we have or Charlie Water.

00:59:10.840 --> 00:59:11.850

Tami Groves

Sure. And trade.

00:59:11.390 --> 00:59:12.850

Harvey, Letitia

I'm just listening on.

00:59:14.210 --> 00:59:15.280

Tami Groves

Alright, thank you.

00:59:16.790 --> 00:59:23.440

Tami Groves

Low. We had the western part of the state. Now let's move down to the eastern part and and Howard Corey.

00:59:25.240 --> 00:59:26.520

Howard Corey

Hey, Roger, how you doing?

00:59:26.820 --> 00:59:28.120

Tami Groves

Good buddy. How you doing?

00:59:28.290 --> 00:59:40.680

Howard Corey

I'm doing good weather report. Here is a little overcast but it's nice. But uh, just just glad I could listen in



to be a part of it. And then you just send me to be all. I'm not like Brian or or send it to Brian. That'll be fine.

00:59:40.090 --> 00:59:46.280

Tami Groves

I'm saying I'm saying the yours to Brian also 'cause you've been on here. Morning Brian has. So would just charge him double.

00:59:46.620 --> 00:59:48.120

Howard Corey

Sounds good. Thank you.

00:59:48.580 --> 00:59:49.760

Tami Groves

Yeah. Thank you.

00:59:50.580 --> 00:59:51.170

Tami Groves

Howard.

00:59:54.620 --> 00:59:58.180

Tami Groves

Tami is moving the screen, so I'm losing my spot here. I'm gonna blame her.

00:59:59.390 --> 01:00:03.460

Tami Groves

Marc Worth, I know you've been on here at one time. You got anything else, buddy?

01:00:04.490 --> 01:00:15.280

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Yeah, I had to switch to my phone. I kicked off my computer. UM, we had six damages, and the Davidson Cornelius area can't tell you which ones of those are Mecklenburg County or not.

01:00:16.070 --> 01:00:16.560

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Uhm.

01:00:17.540 --> 01:00:23.000

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

We had a very good and bad month in January company wide.

01:00:23.910 --> 01:00:26.170

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

We actually had more.

01:00:26.840 --> 01:00:27.780

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Cut Moore.

01:00:28.860 --> 01:00:30.580

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

More at fault damages.

01:00:31.270 --> 01:00:33.670

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Then we did know called damages.

01:00:34.610 --> 01:00:46.220

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

So we had fewer, fewer, fewer damage is because there was no, no phone call. Then we cause ourselves we're working on that one. We did not have a very good month at all located.

01:00:47.550 --> 01:01:00.210

Tami Groves

I hate say yo not comparing y'all in Piedmont together, but Piedmont didn't have a good month either, so I I think everybody being off over Christmas and everything just forgot everything. When when it came back in January.

01:01:00.440 --> 01:01:05.790

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Yeah, it it was something it was, it was just an anomaly month for us.

01:01:06.560 --> 01:01:08.850

Tami Groves

Yes, Sir. Sure was. Thank you for being here more.

01:01:09.330 --> 01:01:09.670

Marc Worth (Services - 6)

Yep.

01:01:10.620 --> 01:01:14.250

Tami Groves

Tracy Taylor. You got anything else to add over Shakira?

01:01:15.910 --> 01:01:20.970

Taylor, Tracy

I do not. And thank you, Sir, for handling that. I just came back from a week off so.

01:01:19.340 --> 01:01:20.610

Tami Groves

Yeah, yeah.

01:01:25.940 --> 01:01:26.950

Tami Groves

Tom Barrett.

01:01:29.340 --> 01:01:42.350

Tom Barrett

No, I got nothing to add. Normally I have a recurring Wednesday at 10:30 meeting, so I can't make these between Lindsey Dillon and Bo. They usually fill me in pretty good. So thanks for letting me join in this morning.

01:01:43.400 --> 01:01:44.900

Tami Groves

Thank you, Tom, for being here.

01:01:45.550 --> 01:01:47.860

Tami Groves

Last but not least.

01:01:48.960 --> 01:01:50.390

Tami Groves

Mr Carl Wilson.

01:02:00.840 --> 01:02:04.080

Tami Groves

Carl, you still on here? You're on mute if you are.

01:02:03.680 --> 01:02:12.990

Louis Panzer

He he might. He had to step away. And I I gotta. So I know from him earlier that he was in and he got drawn into something else on the side. So he may not be with us at the moment.

01:02:13.440 --> 01:02:13.990

Tami Groves

OK.

01:02:15.600 --> 01:02:17.100

Tami Groves

His parents showing here.

01:02:18.340 --> 01:02:23.610

Tami Groves

Saying OK, I just wanna make sure I say his name on there.

01:02:25.890 --> 01:02:31.550

Tami Groves

OK, alright. With that, does anyone online have anything else?

01:02:34.090 --> 01:02:37.520

Tami Groves

Yeah, upcoming projects, information you want to share.

01:02:39.980 --> 01:02:41.110

Tami Groves

Anyone in here?

01:02:42.520 --> 01:02:47.110

David Smith

Hey, Roger, this is David Smith. I just opened up the the national article code book.

01:02:43.550 --> 01:02:43.870

Tami Groves

Yep.

01:02:47.750 --> 01:02:54.580

David Smith

And talking about Deptford, if it's in a conduit in a residential area, it only has to be 12 inches deep.

01:02:55.120 --> 01:02:55.580

Tami Groves

OK.

01:02:55.170 --> 01:02:58.250

David Smith

Uh, and so just wanted to clear that up.

01:02:59.830 --> 01:03:01.230

Tami Groves

Sure, here at that help you.

01:03:03.200 --> 01:03:10.330

David Smith

So if there's any conduits, 12 inch if it's, if it's direct burial, like or something like that supposed to be a.

01:03:12.110 --> 01:03:15.880

David Smith

A direct burial, supposed to be 18 inches deep. So.

01:03:18.050 --> 01:03:18.930

Lee, Shuhurah

Thank you.

01:03:19.100 --> 01:03:19.950

David Smith

You're welcome.

01:03:20.130 --> 01:03:20.460

Lee, Shuhurah

Uh-huh.

01:03:20.210 --> 01:03:31.150

Tami Groves

Yeah, David, thank you for looking that up, man. That's that's just a proven fact right there with this committee. How how everybody chips in and and helps out and all of that.

01:03:31.630 --> 01:03:34.840

David Smith

It's been awhile since I've used my code book, so I need to practice.

01:03:36.120 --> 01:03:38.480

Tami Groves

Took humanity had knocked the dust off of.

01:03:37.980 --> 01:03:40.080

David Smith

I had to find the index.

01:03:42.540 --> 01:03:44.180

Tami Groves

No. Again, thank you for that.

01:03:44.610 --> 01:03:45.410

David Smith

You're welcome.

01:03:47.500 --> 01:03:50.180

Tami Groves

Anything else from the the ones online?

01:03:52.270 --> 01:03:59.410

Tami Groves

Or on the teams meeting, I should say say with y'all not being here, we've got a prize to give away to the people to send person.

01:04:00.200 --> 01:04:09.500

Tami Groves

So yeah, I see you should hear throwing them hands. I see. If you was here, you could be in on it. We're not shipping it. Know where it comes in? We had to charge you double.

01:04:10.340 --> 01:04:10.690

Tami Groves

Uh.

01:04:11.790 --> 01:04:17.010

Louis Panzer

Well, hey, before you go giving those gifts out, guess who's back with its Carl Wilson. He he could share his peace now.

01:04:13.110 --> 01:04:13.340

Ann Rushing

Right.

01:04:16.040 --> 01:04:16.600

Ann Rushing  
Yeah.

01:04:16.170 --> 01:04:16.520

Tami Groves  
Oh.

01:04:17.750 --> 01:04:19.690

Tami Groves  
Yes. Hey, Carl. Thank you, buddy.

01:04:20.780 --> 01:04:21.950

Tami Groves  
You got anything?

01:04:22.860 --> 01:04:29.920

Wilson, Carl  
No, Sir. I just got finished being chewed on. But I I'm good. No, I don't have anything that.

01:04:28.560 --> 01:04:29.230

Tami Groves  
But that from.

01:04:30.500 --> 01:04:31.980

Tami Groves  
What about from the boots on?

01:04:30.880 --> 01:04:40.330

Wilson, Carl  
Oh, I I do have I actually. You know what? You. I do have one thing to add. I'm. I'm sorry. He just made me think about it. And it was on the news this morning. So I wanna make sure everybody is aware.

01:04:41.960 --> 01:04:46.250

Wilson, Carl  
You know, we had that line going down a little South Blvd. And we're, we're.

01:04:47.530 --> 01:04:49.910

Wilson, Carl  
Getting in the thick of things to to wear.

01:04:54.150 --> 01:04:57.510

Wilson, Carl  
We're in the thick of things to where we are right in that real.

01:04:59.090 --> 01:05:17.490

Wilson, Carl  
Congested area so the contractor is is just about to hit some some off some very congested parts of

South Blvd. So it was on the news this morning. Like OK they're wrapping up and all that good stuff. We just had a project meeting yesterday, so just wanted to remind folks on the call.

01:05:17.540 --> 01:05:24.210

Wilson, Carl

How come you know any corporation you can you can provide any assistance. I mean, this is one of those.

01:05:25.290 --> 01:05:25.740

Wilson, Carl

Uhm.

01:05:27.600 --> 01:05:35.390

Wilson, Carl

Interesting project, something like that. So so just just be aware, but other than that, now I have anything you Roger appreciate it man.

01:05:32.420 --> 01:05:32.700

Tami Groves

Out.

01:05:34.730 --> 01:05:44.980

Tami Groves

Sites like South Blvd. Is congested right now and and I hate, say work contributing to part of that. And I know one of the other contractors is also.

01:05:47.070 --> 01:05:49.190

Tami Groves

Unfortunately, that's part of the growth.

01:05:50.780 --> 01:05:52.260

Tami Groves

So yeah, well.

01:05:51.770 --> 01:05:52.240

Wilson, Carl

Oh.

01:05:53.480 --> 01:05:53.700

Tami Groves

How?

01:05:54.580 --> 01:06:01.710

Wilson, Carl

What makes you think of something? OK, I forgot to tell you, there's a big shot out to uh, to you all senders.

01:05:54.590 --> 01:05:54.920

Tami Groves

Yep.

01:06:03.850 --> 01:06:06.490

Wilson, Carl

Crossing 77 three times.

01:06:08.480 --> 01:06:10.580

Wilson, Carl

Without anybody even knowing.

01:06:11.530 --> 01:06:13.730

Wilson, Carl

And we were, what, 35 feet deep?

01:06:14.170 --> 01:06:14.600

Tami Groves

Uh-huh.

01:06:15.520 --> 01:06:17.420

Wilson, Carl

Not impeding traffic.

01:06:18.310 --> 01:06:40.990

Wilson, Carl

Working with our partners on the call, make sure things were located and things were safely in place and all that good stuff. I mean, so so y'all got a huge shot out at the at the budget presentation, but but just for folks to know here, I mean that's that's something that folks don't they kind of take for granted all the work that we do, we're underground. So we're not glamorous, we're not building buildings and things like that but.

01:06:41.670 --> 01:06:45.290

Wilson, Carl

Vital part of the community so. So we really appreciate that. So.

01:06:46.240 --> 01:06:46.600

Wilson, Carl

Thank you.

01:06:46.250 --> 01:06:56.040

Tami Groves

Went from I'll say from Sanders utility, thank you for that. Yeah. It was three tunnels under 77 and and we were roughly 35 feet deep. So.

01:06:58.710 --> 01:06:59.420

Tami Groves

What David?



01:07:01.720 --> 01:07:02.110

Tami Groves

Ah.

01:07:04.740 --> 01:07:07.170

Tami Groves

Karl, do you have anything from the board side?

01:07:09.130 --> 01:07:14.460

Wilson, Carl

No, Sir, not that I guess, Louis, you've already talked about the new board member and everything or.

01:07:13.950 --> 01:07:45.200

Louis Panzer

No, actually actually, no. So that's a good point. We did, you know, unfortunately, Joey Stephenson from Lumen has left his company and also he left our board. So left us a vacancy. We did have a special committee meeting to vet his replacement. His name is Bob Harding. He's coming to us from the ocean within OSHA background, strong safety, OSHA professional and the board did vote electronically to accept him.

01:07:37.400 --> 01:07:37.640

Tami Groves

Like.

01:07:45.470 --> 01:08:02.580

Louis Panzer

Consequently, also our Executive committee has shuffled a little because Joey was a he was a VP of while he was a VP of Operations, so he was second under the President in terms of the tier. So we, we shuffled some things we brought in.

01:08:02.630 --> 01:08:16.620

Louis Panzer

Yeah. Well, we moved to see Keith has now moved up into keep Napier with with Duke Dimont moved up into the chair of operations. Check. Richardson moved to finance.

01:08:17.050 --> 01:08:48.930

Louis Panzer

Uh oh, here we go. Craig moved up into legislative Richie Parker, who was just brought in from Syria. MC This in January had to jump a Step 2, so he's now membership nominations and Jeff Whitaker is just moved into the bottom, which is our policy chair. So thanks for bringing that up, 'cause. I totally did not mention the shuffle that just occurred, but that is all constituted. We're doing orientation for Bob prior to April, so he'll be SAT.

01:08:29.140 --> 01:08:29.410

Tami Groves

Yep.

01:08:35.520 --> 01:08:35.830

Tami Groves

So.

01:08:49.310 --> 01:08:52.680

Louis Panzer

And I'm ready for that. So thanks for that call. Appreciate that.

01:08:54.240 --> 01:09:05.610

Tami Groves

Team effort. That's what this is. Team effort. But Carl Whip reshapes you. Being on here not only from a Charlotte water perspective, but also from the board perspective. Also. Thank you.

01:09:06.200 --> 01:09:09.090

Tami Groves

Uh, is it? Did I miss anybody?

01:09:13.160 --> 01:09:13.670

Tami Groves

And.

01:09:15.090 --> 01:09:18.270

Tami Groves

Why did Michelle? I'm sorry. And I'm sitting here looking at.

01:09:15.140 --> 01:09:16.230

Ann Rushing

Yes.

01:09:17.000 --> 01:09:17.830

Ann Rushing

Did you see it?

01:09:18.920 --> 01:09:20.840

Ann Rushing

That's OK, that's OK.

01:09:19.590 --> 01:09:19.920

Tami Groves

Oh.

01:09:22.350 --> 01:09:51.960

Ann Rushing

Hey, just wanna give you guys just an update. We have received our banners in percek digging month and we have, let's see, we have 60 banners to kind of shift throughout the state. But if you guys are interested, please let Tami no, we do have 60 of those and not offer Mecklenburg. But please let her know on that. And then we we have some car magnets.

01:09:52.010 --> 01:10:23.700

Ann Rushing

And those are really cool too. And those can be fitted to the side of a vehicle, and we do ask just one per vehicle. We do have a hundred of those. I've worked with Ronya Ronya and they, Tami Scott, your your magnets for the vehicles for Sam and for some of your employees two as well. So if you guys are interested in that and you don't currently have a tailgate rap and you want to use the magnets, we certainly can provide you one of those two as well. So reach out.

01:10:24.200 --> 01:10:27.530

Ann Rushing

Teammate should get those two, yeah.

01:10:28.560 --> 01:10:30.180

Ann Rushing

That's all I have. Thanks.

01:10:30.620 --> 01:10:37.410

Tami Groves

Thank you. Sorry about that. And I again, I'm sitting here looking at you on the screen and didn't even call on you and I apologize for that.

01:10:37.450 --> 01:10:38.060

Tami Groves

Also like.

01:10:39.550 --> 01:10:40.810

Tami Groves

Bill's giving me like that.

01:10:39.840 --> 01:10:40.720

Ann Rushing

Then it's OK.

01:10:42.770 --> 01:10:46.650

Tami Groves

So anyone on virtual have anything else?

01:10:49.700 --> 01:10:56.180

Tami Groves

If not, thank you all again. The next meeting will be March the 30th.

01:10:56.730 --> 01:10:57.340

Tami Groves

Uh.

01:10:58.740 --> 01:11:04.860

Tami Groves

And I don't y'all can't see Tami. She's up here telling me in person and virtual.

01:11:05.370 --> 01:11:16.120

Tami Groves

Uh, we prefer in person. Unfortunately, I won't be here for that meeting. I have a conference. I have to be at bills clapping that I'm not going to be here.

01:11:17.640 --> 01:11:34.820

Tami Groves

But I'm sure it'll be a good meeting and all of that. And I will see y'all in April. But with that March 30th, it'll be here again and and as always, bill, thank you all. And Piedmont Natural Gas for for hosting these meetings and allowing us to come in here.

01:11:36.550 --> 01:11:46.400

Tami Groves

But in my forgetting anything else, Tami. OK with that, with everyone that is virtually. Does anyone have anything else but one wants?

01:11:47.660 --> 01:11:48.710

Tami Groves

Twice.

01:11:50.640 --> 01:11:52.390

Tami Groves

Thank you all. Have a good day.

01:11:52.780 --> 01:11:53.420

Lee, Shuhurah

Bye.

01:11:55.510 --> 01:11:57.070

Tami Groves

Now for the ones it's here.

01:11:59.720 --> 01:12:01.800

Ann Rushing

Tami. If you'll just stay on with me.