



NORTH CAROLINA 811

MONTHLY UPDATE

APRIL 2022

Burke-Caldwell UCC



April is National Safe Digging Month



North Carolina 811 runs many awareness campaigns to promote National Safe Digging Month and now you can help us spread the message of calling 811 before you dig. We have listed information you can download along with content you can share on social media.

<https://nc811.org/national-safe-digging-month/>

SHOW US YOUR BANNERS!



We would love to see pics of your 811 banners so we can share them during April for Safe Digging Month. Doesn't matter if it's a new banner or an old one. Display it proudly and we'll share it on our Facebook and Instagram. Click the form link below.

<https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/6oe9z62CX63kuP03>

A message from the NC811 Executive Director

- Safe digging month: Although based on volume we can safely say this is safe digging year.
- CGA conference first week of April - expect to hear more about best and "next" practices.
- Martinsville race on Friday, April 8. Good example of cooperative national messaging efforts.
- NC 811 Board meeting held on Earth Day this year live and in person.



Louis Panzer

NC811 Data Insights

Locate requests, transmissions,
county ticket volume and distribution



Locate Requests & Transmissions for NC

March. 2021 vs 2022

TICKETS

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Difference: 1.9%

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County ticket volume

YTD stats compared with previous year

Burke	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets
2021	2590	70	964	3724	129	3359
2022	2732	108	844	3809	201	3371
+/- Var	5.5%	54.3%	-12.4%	2.3%	55.8%	0.4%
Locates per day						54

County ticket volume

YTD stats compared with previous year

Caldwell	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets
2021	47	14	1507	66	310	1944
2022	41	27	1615	43	401	2127
+/- Var	-12.8%	92.9%	7.2%	-34.8%	29.4%	9.4%
Average Locates Per Day						34

County ticket volume

2022 stats compared with 2021

Burke	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets	
2021	941	17	372	1369	32	1238	
2022	1008	32	336	1431	55	1273	
+/- Var	7.1%	88.2%	-9.7%	4.5%	71.9%	2.8%	
			Locates per day				64

County ticket volume

2022 stats compared with 2021

Caldwell	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Total Tickets
2021	18	1	689	18	117	843
2022	14	9	646	16	147	832
+/- Var	-22.2%	800.0%	-6.2%	-11.1%	25.6%	-1.3%
Average Locates Per Day						42

County ticket distribution

BURKE	929
BRINDLETOWN	4
CONNELLY SPRINGS	96
DREXEL	3
ENOLA	2
GLEN ALPINE	5
HICKORY	65
HILDEBRAN	28
ICARD	58

JONAS RIDGE	5
LINVILLE	8
LONGTOWN	3
MORGANTON	473
RHODHISS	2
RUTHERFORD COLLEGE	4
SALEM	6
VALDESE	158
WORRY	4

County ticket distribution

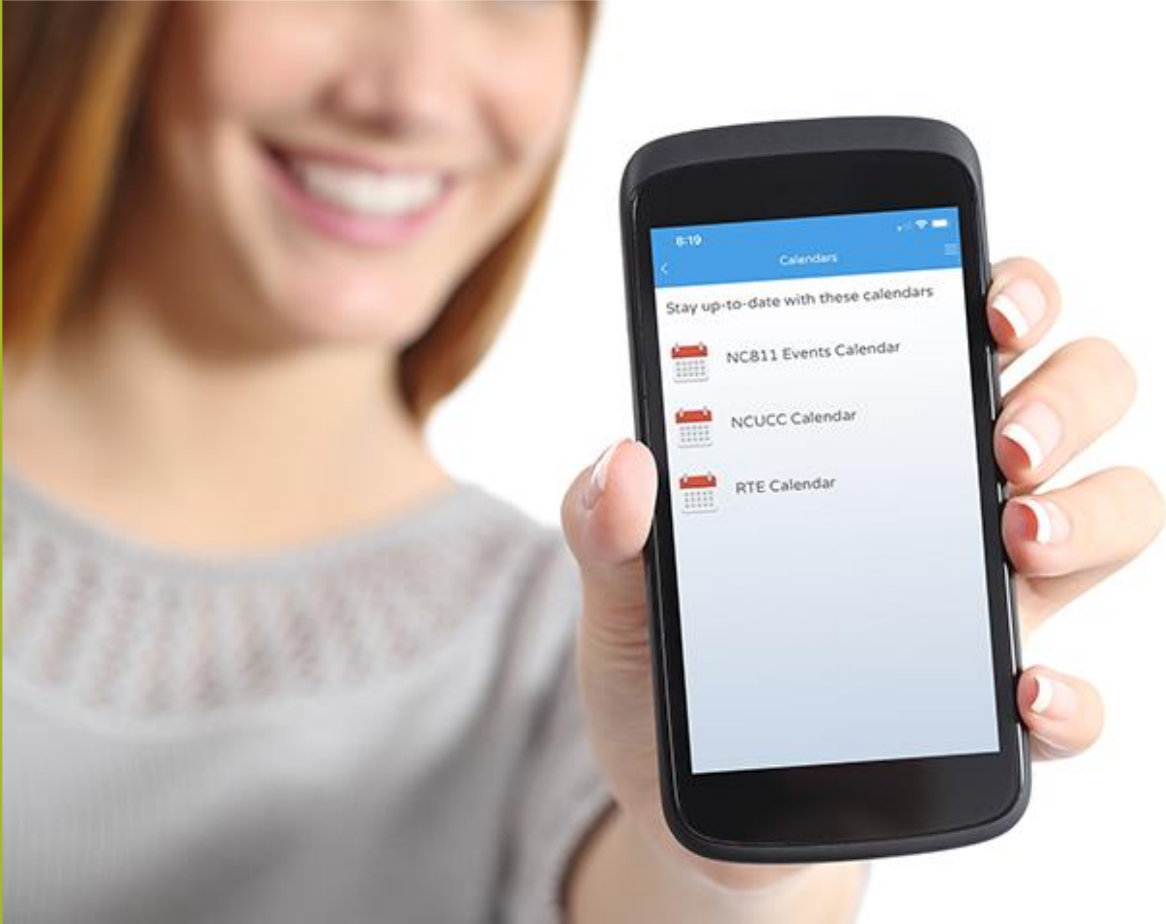
CALDWELL	832
BATON	4
BLOWING ROCK	3
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	11
DUDLEY SHOALS	4
GAMEWELL	5
GRANITE FALLS	227
HICKORY	17
HUDSON	74
KINGS CREEK	10
LENOIR	464
NORTHLAKES	3
SAW MILLS	5



CALENDAR OF EVENTS



CALENDAR



For information on NC811 & NCUCC events, visit the calendar section of nc811.org or the nc811 app.



Spring into Safe Digging at the PNG & Duke Demo Day

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 2022
Charlotte Fire Training Academy
1770 Shopton Rd, Charlotte, NC 28217

RSVP

Ronya Nabors

ronya.nabors@duke-energy.com

Include the names of team members you plan to send to our event in your RSVP response! Lunch will be provided.



Locators bear the responsibility of creating guidance for safe excavation. Accurate marks are the first line of defense against utility damages and avoidable excavation injuries.



Locator Safety & Appreciation Week

April 24-30, 2022

<https://www.excavationsafetyalliance.com/l saw-home>



Call 811 Before You Dig 250 Powered by Call811.com

Stop by our booth before the race at Martinsville.

APRIL 8, 2022 | 7:30 PM

340 Speedway Rd, Ridgeway, VA 24148



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

COST: \$125 **Locator & OSHA Training:** FREE

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.



<https://ncucc.org/joint-nc-sc-uccc/>

MEETINGS

NC811 Board Meeting

1Q22

Friday, April 22nd, 2022

8:30 am to 10:30 am

Four Points by Sheraton in Asheville

*contact Stephanie Brown for details.
stephanie@nc811.org*

NC Underground Damage Prevention Review Board

Tuesday, April 19th, 2022

NC811 Events Center, Greensboro

To join meeting: 1-984-204-1487

792133650#

Starts at 10 am

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

MEETINGS

State UCC

Tuesday, July 12th, 2022

NC811 Events Center, Greensboro

Hybrid Meeting

Starts at 10 am

Go to <https://ncucc.org/> for the
virtual meeting link

NC Locate Resolution Partnership Committee

Tuesday, May 17th, 2022

NC811 Events Center, Greensboro

Hybrid Meeting

11 am – 1 pm

Go to <https://ncucc.org/> for the
virtual meeting link

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Thank you for your time and attention.
A copy of this presentation is available at
www.ncucc.org



If this meeting was virtual or hybrid, a video is available on ncucc.org. Go to County UCC's. The video will be listed under the month and year the meeting took place.

Minutes –Burke / Caldwell Counties - NC 811 Meeting

April 12, 2022

Members Present:

Brian Morehouse – NC811
Robert Turner – Brentwood Water
David Perkins – Brentwood Water
Glenn McCurry – Brentwood Water
Bryan Williams – Brentwood Water

David Wortman – Town of Rhodhiss
Jim Buckner – REMC
Chris Banietti – Badger Daylighting
Mark Delehant – Burke County

The Burke / Caldwell Counties NC 811UCC monthly meeting was held on April 12, 2022, at 12:00 noon at the Timberwood Restaurant in Morganton, NC. The meeting was called to order by President David Wortman. David Perkins offered a prayer of blessings on the meeting and meal.

A total of **9** members attending today’s meeting.

Below are highlights of the NC 811 Presentation for April 2022:

1. A complete listing of all stats for the previous month of March 2022 are included in the **PDF presentation file** attached to the email used to send these minutes out. Listed below is a highlight of tickets / transmissions for the past month:

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2. Upcoming Meeting Dates (Refer to the attached presentation for further details):

- **The month of April 2022 is the National Safe Dig Month.**
- **Spring into safe Digging at the PNG & Duke Demo day:** Wednesday, April 20, 2022 at the Charlotte Fire Training Academy, at 1770 Shopton Rd., Charlotte, NC 28217 RSVP to Ronya Nabors at ronya.nabors@duke-energy.com.

- **1st Quarter Board Meeting** will be held on Friday April 22, 2022, Hybrid Meeting 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM at the Sheraton in Asheville, NC. Contact Stephanie for details at: Stephanie@nc811.org.
- **The NC Underground Damage Prevention Review Board:** Will meet on Tuesday, April 19, 2022, at 10:00 AM. Hybrid Meeting. <https://udprb.nc.gov/>
- **Joint SC/NC Utility Coordinating Committee Conference 2022:** Wednesday, May 4, 2022 – Friday, May 6, 2022, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel, 220 North Main Street, Greenville, SC. Visit the ncucc.org/joint-nc-sc-ucc calendar page for a link.

3. **Direction on how to join in on all NC 811 will Virtual UCC Meetings:**

- Follow these video instructions to find your virtual meeting link and how to make the join the meeting in the new MICROSOFT TEAMS platform. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GC5zGkdxqb0>.
- In the chat section please type your name, company name & email.
- Participant feature – raise hand. The meeting facilitator will acknowledge you.
- Enter the meeting with your microphone on mute and unmute your mic when you need to speak.
- Every meeting will be recorded, and the video will be posted on the ncucc.org website. You can watch the meeting by using the video link provided on ncucc.org.

4. **SPECIAL REMINDERS:**

- **Damage Reporting:** Remember that if you damage an underground utility, it is **your responsibility to report this damage to NC 811 UCC. Offices in Greensboro.**
- Below is the website where you can go to communicate “Damage Violations.” <https://www.nc811.org/report-a-violation.html>
- **Remember!** If you hit an underground objective, and you think it is a Gas Line, do the following in this order:
 - **Call 911 to report the accident!**
 - **Call the Gas Company and let them know the specifics concerning the damage!**
 - **Call 811 to report the accident to our office!**
- **Damage Reporting:** It is **YOUR** responsibility to report ALL damages to underground utilities. The reports must be reported to the NC 811UCC offices in Greensboro.

Brian Morehouse – NC 811 Comments:

- If you have any of the NC811 Banners at you work location, please take a picture of it, and forward it to Brian at his email address. Brian’s email address is: bmorehouse@nc811.org

- If you do not already have the NC811 app installed on your mobile device, get it, it is a helpful tool to use in your daily jobs.
- If you have damages made to your systems, you can look into filing a complaint with the UGDPRB. File the complaint against the parent company involved. Remember, to take several photographs from various angles to be submitted with your written claim.

Round-table Discussions:

Mark Delehant – Burke County: Not a lot is going on. Brian Morehouse is going to do a training session for the county employees.

David Perkins – Brentwood Water: Nothing major going on. Install installing a few new taps, and still have a few water line leaks. We are getting ready to begin a new water line replacement project. This consists of 3,000 feet of new six” line replacing an old outdated 2” line. Should begin over the next few weeks.

David Wortman – Town of Rhodhiss: All is good, nothing to report.

Jim Buckner / Rodney Roland – REMC: Still in the pole replacement project. We have replaced several hundred poles within the system. Approximately 300 poles have been replacing in Burke and McDowell counties. When you are having locates done, it is good to take photographs of problems and any questions about the location. It will become in helpful in the event of an accident or problem occurs.

Chris Banietti – Badger Transportations: Badger has recently changed their corporate name from “Badger Daylighting” to “Badger Transportations.” He has been working on a new distribution center for Macy. This center is in Rowan County.

Badger is also working on a new development (River District). This is a 20-year project which consists of homes, hotels, retail space etc. It is located near the Charlotte Airport.

The next meeting of Burke / Caldwell Counties NC811UCC meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 10, 2022, at 12:00 Noon at the Timberwood Restaurant in Morganton, NC.

Thank you to everyone who came to our meeting today. Please come back at any time you can.

Robert Turner – Secretary, Brentwood Water Corp