

# Virtual UCC Meetings

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<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.

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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. Visit your county UCC page for a listing of past meeting videos.



# JULY 2022



## McDowell UCC





**He who fails to  
plan is planning  
to fail.**

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**WINSTON CHURCHILL**



# A message from the NC811 Executive Director

- LRPC - New batch of letters sent for no call damages
- Hosting CGA summer meetings at Grandover, July 25-28. Not a member? Use the link below to register.
- <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/585b31295ed84d8cade4197876f56254>
- Remember to make sure your locators are placing member ID with marks. It's not just a good idea: it's the law.
- It's hot out there: hydrate!



*Louis Panzer*

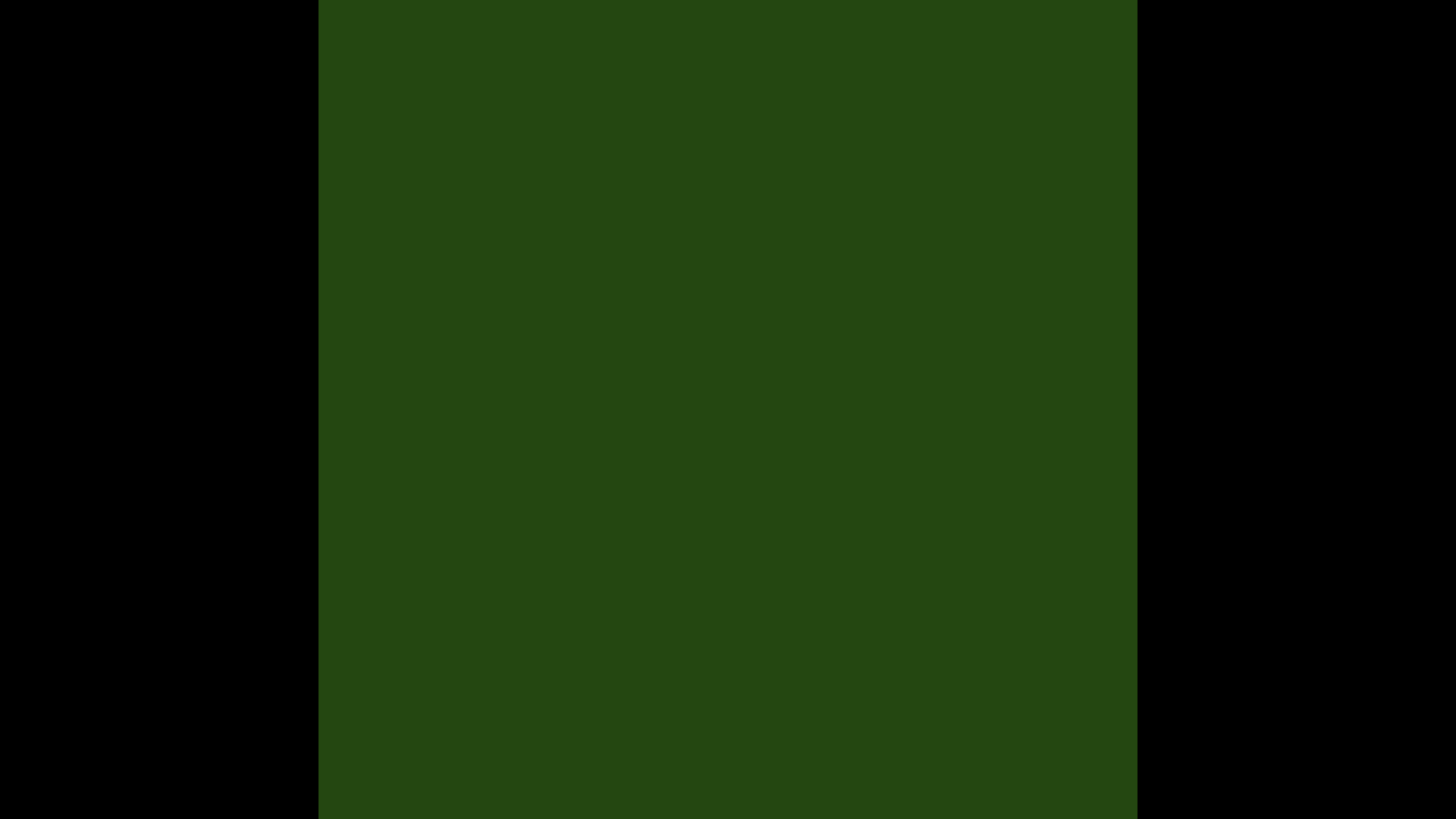
# We're searching for you!

We have a career opportunity open for an  
Education Liaison in our Western NC region.

Do you have what it takes?



<https://nc811.org/about/> and click on “Employment”





# ID Your Marks



Locators, be sure to identify the facility operator who owns the line being marked.

See the Underground Utility Safety and Damage Prevention Act section 87-121 (1a) for marking identity info



# Creating a Damage Ticket vs. Reporting damages with Dirt Lite

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## Report a Damage

It is the LAW for excavators to report damages to NC811 and the facility owner/operator. At this time, this can only be done by calling 811 to speak with an NC811 representative.

### DIRT LITE

DIRT Lite is solely used by the member facility owner/operator to report an incident that occurred to their facility only; **member facility owners must contact NC811 directly** in the event they have caused a damage to another member facility owner/operator's facilities.

[Submit damage info to DIRT Lite](#)

If the damage resulted in a violation of the Underground Utility Safety & Damage Prevention Act, please report the alleged violation.

[Report an alleged violation to the law](#)[View DIRT reports on the CGA website](#)







# NC811 Data Insights

Locate requests, transmissions,  
county ticket volume and distribution





# Locate Requests & Transmissions Breakdown

June 2021 vs 2022

## **TICKETS**

2022: 224,797

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Difference: 6.6%

## **TRANSMISSIONS**

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Year-to-Date

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# County ticket volume

YTD stats compared with previous year

McDowell	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL
2021	41	17	1932	91	386	2467
2022	123	14	1849	81	371	2438
+/- Var	200.0%	-17.6%	-4.3%	-11.0%	-3.9%	-1.2%
Work Days 125		Avg Locates per Day 20				



# County ticket volume

2022 stats compared with 2021

McDowell	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL
2021	3	2	292	14	79	390
2022	16	4	399	12	89	520
+/- Var	433.3%	100.0%	36.6%	-14.3%	12.7%	33.3%
Work Days 21		Avg Locates per Day 25				

# County ticket distribution

MCDOWELL	520
LINVILLE FALLS	1
LITTLE SWITZERLAND	2
MARION	273
NEBO	107
NORTH COVE CROSSING	1
OLD FORT	134
PLEASANT GARDENS	1
WEST MARION	1



# Damages Reported for June 2022

ALAMANCE	7
ALEXANDER	1
ALLEGHANY	1
ANSON	0
ASHE	1
AVERY	1
BEAUFORT	0
BERTIE	1
BLADEN	7
BRUNSWICK	21
BUNCOMBE	21
BURKE	3
CABARRUS	57
CALDWELL	8
CAMDEN	0
CARTERET	3
CASWELL	0
CATAWBA	19
CHATHAM	8
CHEROKEE	0
CHOWAN	0
CLAY	1
CLEVELAND	3
COLUMBUS	4
CRAVEN	18

CUMBERLAND	53
CURRITUCK	4
DARE	8
DAVIDSON	17
DAVIE	7
DUPLIN	1
DURHAM	57
EDGECOMBE	0
FORSYTH	62
FRANKLIN	7
GASTON	18
GATES	1
GRAHAM	0
GRANVILLE	5
GREENE	3
GUILFORD	76
HALIFAX	0
HARNETT	23
HAYWOOD	2
HENDERSON	16
HERTFORD	0
HOKE	8
HYDE	0
IREDELL	29
JACKSON	1

JOHNSTON	21
JONES	5
LEE	9
LENOIR	3
LINCOLN	5
MACON	1
MADISON	0
MARTIN	0
MCDOWELL	3
MECKLENBURG	189
MITCHELL	1
MONTGOMERY	1
MOORE	7
NASH	4
NEW HANOVER	14
NORTHAMPTON	0
ONslow	42
ORANGE	13
PAMLICO	3
PASQUOTANK	4
PENDER	22
PERQUIMANS	1
PERSON	1
PITT	34
POLK	4

RANDOLPH	13
RICHMOND	0
ROBESON	13
ROCKINGHAM	5
ROWAN	12
RUTHERFORD	0
SAMPSON	2
SCOTLAND	1
STANLY	10
STOKES	3
SURRY	3
SWAIN	0
TRANSYLVANIA	7
TYRRELL	0
UNION	47
VANCE	3
WAKE	205
WARREN	1
WASHINGTON	1
WATAUGA	1
WAYNE	3
WILKES	4
WILSON	13
YADKIN	1
YANCEY	0

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS





# MEETINGS

## **NC811 Board Meeting**

**2Q22**

**Friday, July 22nd, 2022**

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

**Chetola Resort at Blowing Rock**

*contact Stephanie Brown for  
details. [stephanie@nc811.org](mailto:stephanie@nc811.org)*

## **NC Underground Damage Prevention Review Board**

**Tuesday, Aug. 4th, 2022**

**NC811 Events**

**Center, Greensboro**

***Starts at 10 am***

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



# MEETINGS

## State UCC

**Tuesday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, 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

**Wednesday, July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

*TEAMS Meeting  
11 am – 1 pm*

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





# CALENDAR

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

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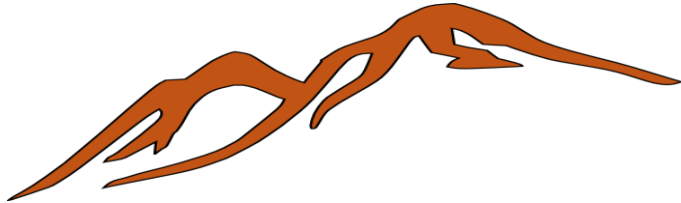


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McDowell  
July 18<sup>th</sup> 2022 ucc

Brian Morehouse -	NC811-6morehouse@nc811.org	(336) 482-6850
Jim Buckner	Rutherford EMC	828-443-7197
Rodney Rolant	RIEMC	828-725-1136
Richard Walsh	Dominion Energy	

# North Carolina McDowell Utilities Coordination Committee



## Meeting Minutes

Date: 7/18/2022

Place: Countryside BBQ

Town: Marion, NC

### Called to Order & Welcomed to Guest

- Brian Morehouse called the meeting to order @ 11:42 AM
- Brian Morehouse went over housekeeping and emergency evacuation.

### Introductions

- Brian Morehouse started introductions, and then went around the room.
- Safety Share presented by: Brian Morehouse
- Topic – May is here. Get ready for a busy spring and summer.

### Old Business

- Any Changes to last month's minutes? (NONE)

### Officer Reports

Chair- Nothing new to report.

**Co-Chair/Secretary-** Please see attendance sheet attached. Minutes McDowell County - NC 811 Meeting

A total of **4** members attending today's meeting.

### Below are highlights of the NC 811 Presentation for July 2022:

1. A complete listing of all stats for the previous month of June 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):

- **NC 811 Board Meeting:** 2Q22 – Friday, July 22, 2022 – 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM at the Chetola Resort at Blowing Rock, NC. Contact Stephanie Brown for details at [stephanie@nc811.org](mailto:stephanie@nc811.org)



- **NC Underground Damage Prevention Review Board:** Thursday, August 4, 2022, at the NC811 Event Center – Greensboro. Starts at 10:00 AM. Visit: <https://udprb.nc.gov>

## Round-table Discussions:

- **NC Locate Resolution Partnership Committee Meeting:** Virtual teams meeting 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM on July 20, 2022. Go to <https://ncucc.org/> for the virtual meeting link.

## 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>

• **ALWAYS!** 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!**

## Brian Morehouse – NC 811 Comments:

- Brian made an announcement that effective August 5th, 2022, he will be leaving the NC811 organization. He is going to pursue other employment opportunities.
- **Important:** If you have damaged made to your systems, be sure and file a COMPLAINT. File the complaint against the parent company not the locator service provider. Remember, to take several photographs from various angles to be submitted with you written claim.

**Open Discussion Looking at ways to increase the attendance. Spoke to everyone in attendance about having 811 come to their facility and do an 811 Safety Presentation for their employees and contractors.**

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#### **Reports**

- A. **NC 811 / One Call** – Brian provided us with the monthly 811 update. Also Brian talked to us about 811 having 811 come to your office and do an 811 Safety Presentation. Brian Morehouse went over the July 2022 presentation giving the totals for YTD and Monthly number for Tickets called in, average locates per day and (3) hour tickets. (This is included as a PDF on the UCC website).
- B. **N.C.D.O.T** – NA
- C. **Dominion Energy** Nothing new to report.
- D. **USIC** –.
- E. **Duke Energy** – NA
- F. **Frontier** –NA
- G. **Rutherford EMC-** Pole Changeouts are the big thing in this area. Crews are staying very bust. Having a hard time getting frontier to locate
- H. **Next Meeting. Next meeting will be September 19th 2022 at 11:30 am at Countryside BBQ**

Meeting adjourned at 12:24 PM

Minutes submitted by: Brian Morehouse- NC 811 Education Liaison