# NC811 MONTHLY UPDATE SEPTEMBER 2025



# Upcoming Training: Underground Utility Safety & Damage Prevention Act (HB 247) Effective Date: October 1, 2025

**What's Changing:** North Carolina's Underground Utility Safety and Damage Prevention Act (House Bill 247) introduces key updates to excavation, notification, and facility marking procedures.

#### **Get Trained:**

Throughout **September 2025**, NC811 liaisons will host a series of **free webinars** to walk through all the changes in the law.

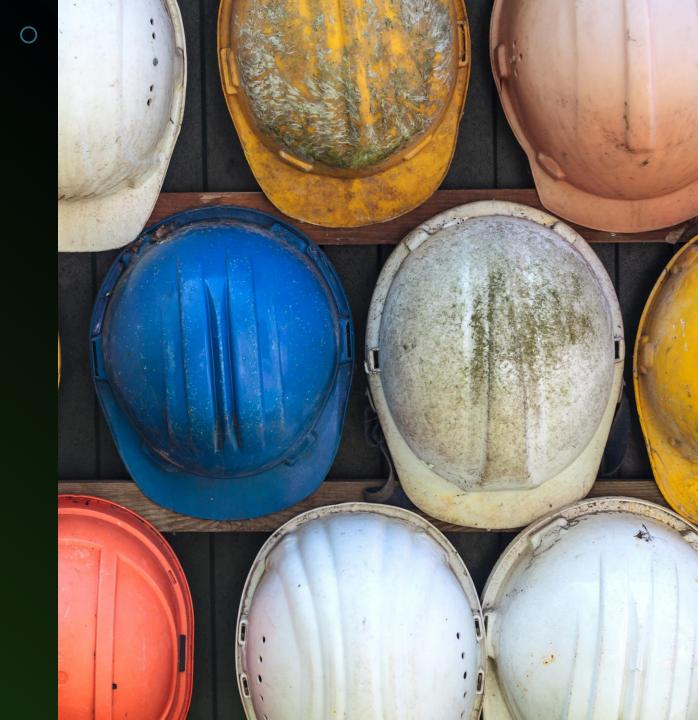
- Who Should Attend: Utility operators, excavators, contractors, and anyone involved in underground utility work
- Where to Register: Visit <u>nc811.org/law</u> for a full list of webinar dates and times
- More Info: An email with training details will also be sent to all UCCs

Stay informed. Stay compliant. Stay safe.



### **MEETINGS**

- STATE UCC September 9, 10am Greenville Utilities, Greenville, NC
- UDPRB September 16, 9am
   NC811 Greensboro Office
- NCLRPC September 25, 11am
   NC811 Greensboro Office
- NC811 BOARD October 31, 8:30am
   Wrightsville Beach





**NC State Football Game** Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> Carter–Finley Stadium Raleigh



## **CALENDAR**

NC811 & NCUCC event calendars can be found on nc811.org or the nc811 app





# DATA INSIGHTS

LOCATE REQUESTS

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DAMAGE INFORMATION





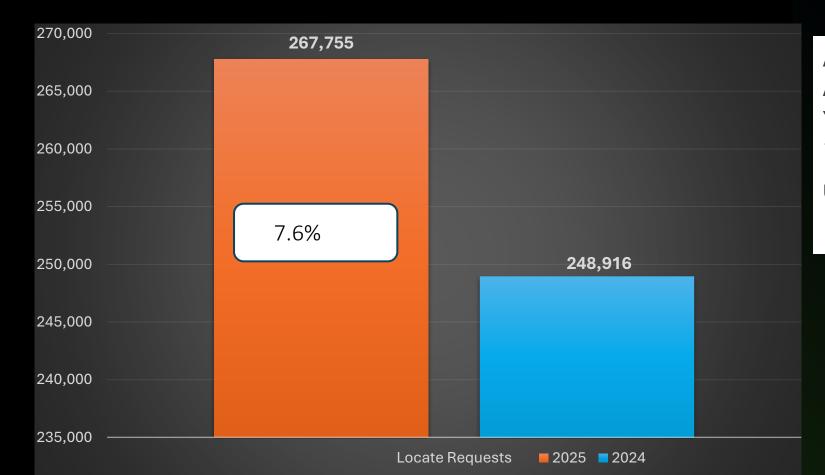
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**Updates for August (80,808)** 

= 30.2% of volume / 2025

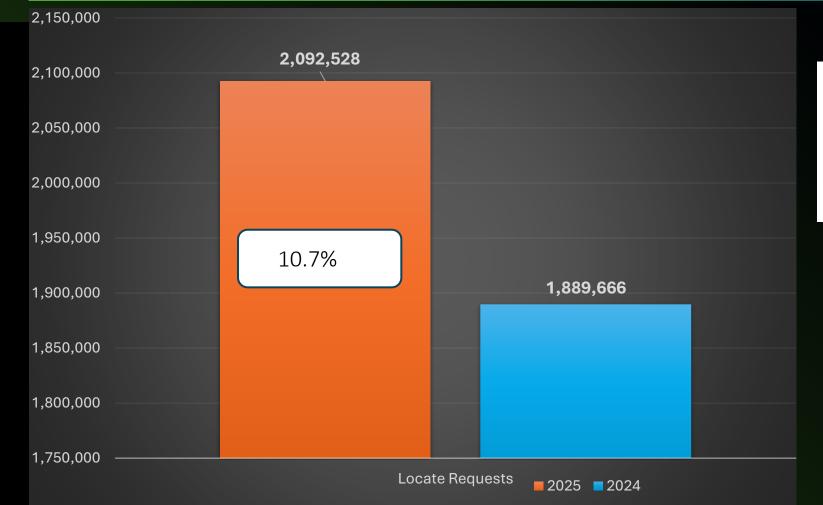
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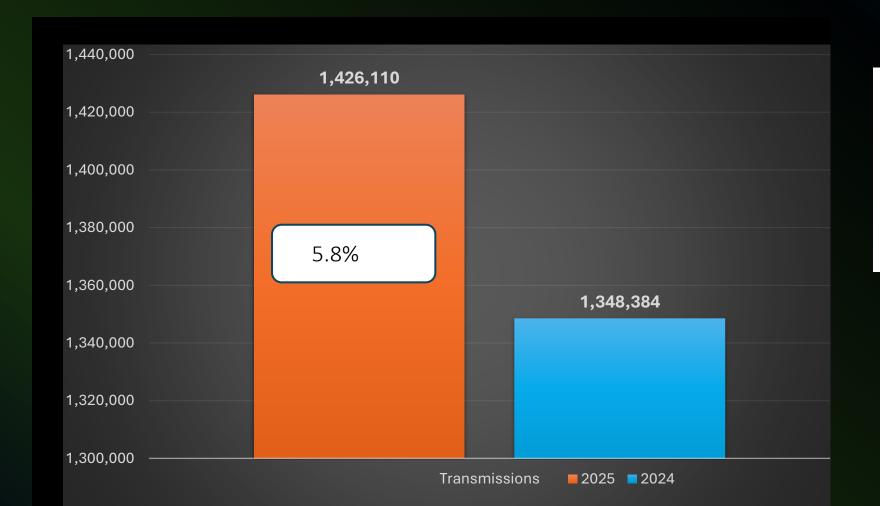
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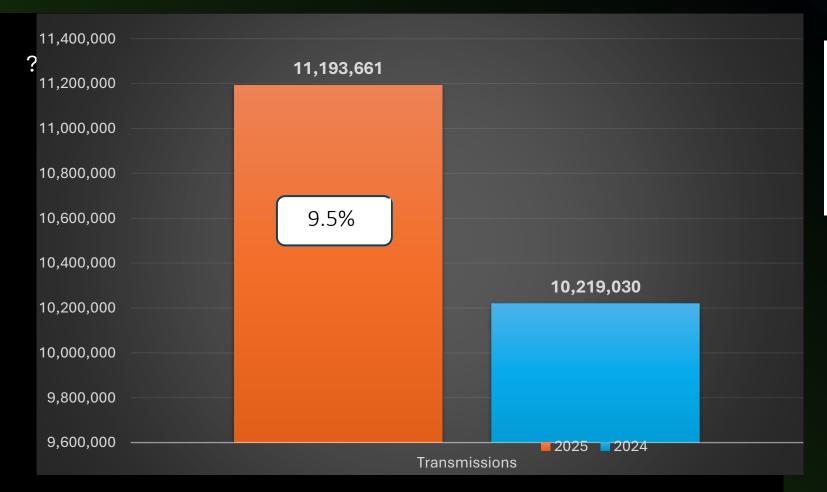
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## COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

AUGUST 2025 VS 2024

Henderson	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL Tickets
2024	146	22	1697	54	846	2765
2025	162	28	1738	98	924	2950
+/- Var	11.0%	27.3%	2.4%	81.5%	9.2%	6.7%
				Locates	per day	134



+/- Var

## COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

YTD VS PREVIOUS YEAR

Henderson	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL Tickets
2024	1408	160	13158	536	5924	21186
2025	1938	208	14554	1191	6940	24831

10.6%

Locates per day

17.2%

17.2%

146

122.2%

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Henderson	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	U

30.0%

37.6%



## COUNTY TICKET DISTRIBUTION

AUGUST 2025

HENDERSON	3164
BALFOUR	6
BAT CAVE	9
BRIGHTWATER	3
DANA	6
EAST FLAT ROCK	111
EDNEYVILLE	57
ETOWAH	72
FLAT ROCK	241
FLETCHER	316
FRUITLAND	6

GERTON	18
HENDERSONVILLE	1761
HOOPERS CREEK	33
HORSE SHOE	56
LAUREL PARK	35
MILLS RIVER	301
MOUNTAIN HOME	12
NAPLES	6
NAPLES SALUDA	6 39



Henderson

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### TOP 10 CALLERS

AUGUST 2025

Company

1	GLOBAL FIBER	206
2	AT&T UTILITY OPERATIONS	189
3	ANSCO & ASSOCIATES LLC	184

#### 4 **SUMTER UTILITIES** 5 TENNOCA CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

SOUTHEAST CONNECTIONS LLC ITG

BIRD ELECTRIC INC

STEEL CREEK INC

**DUKE ENERGY** 

Total

165

164

96

91

80

72

63



+/- Var

### COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

TOTAL ickets
428
1317
13

162.7%

776.9%

Locates per day

155.6%

207.7%

**60** 

AUGUST 2025 VS 2024

2400%

**741.2**%



+/- Var

115.7%

550.0%

### COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

Polk	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	Tickets
2024	216	14	2101	170	786	3287
2025	466	91	3752	390	1379	6078

78.6%

129.4%

Locates per day

75.4%

84.9%

36

YTD VS PREVIOUS YEAR



## COUNTY TICKET DISTRIBUTION

AUGUST 2025

POLK	1152
COLUMBUS	480
GREEN CREEK	25
MILL SPRING	304
SALUDA	51
SUNNY VIEW	4
TRYON	286



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#### TOP 10 CALLERS

AUGUST 2025

Total

41

35

20

15

13

12

1	NOVA UNDERGROUND LLC	429
2	ITG	202
3	GPRS UTILITY CONTRACTORS	139
4	BIGHAM CABLE CONSTRUCTION INC	84

## Polk Company

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GIBSON TECHNICAL SERVICES

6 WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS

8 **SUMTER UTILITIES** 

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RUTHERFORD ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORP

INMAN CAMPOBELLO WATER DISTRICT

CAROLINA SPECIALTIES CONSTRUCTION



### COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

AUGUST 2025 VS 2024

Transylvania	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL Tickets
2024	27	5	494	20	156	702
2025	35	12	388	22	178	635

 2025
 35
 12
 388
 22
 178
 635

 +/- Var
 29.6%
 140.0%
 -21.5%
 10.0%
 14.1%
 -9.5%

 Locates per day
 29



## COUNTY TICKET VOLUME

YTD VS PREVIOUS YEAR

Transylvania	3 HR	CNCL	NEW	RXMT	UPDT	TOTAL Tickets
2024	157	36	2745	95	1013	4046
2025	244	43	2879	105	1343	4614
+/- <b>V</b> ar	55.4%	19.4%	4.9%	10.5%	32.6%	14.0%

Locates per day



## COUNTY TICKET DISTRIBUTION

AUGUST 2025

TRANSYLVANIA	698
BALSAM GROVE	22
BREVARD	431
CEDAR MOUNTAIN	11
CONNESTEE	3
LAKE TOXAWAY	48
PENROSE	22
PISGAH FOREST	106
ROSMAN	26
SAPPHIRE	18
SEGA LAKE	4



Transylvania

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#### TOP 10 CALLERS

AUGUST 2025

Company

Total

18

16

16

16

15

14

1	M G M TECHNOLOGIES LLC	44
2	MCCALLS GRADING AND CONSTRUCTION	
3	SUMTER UTILITIES	25

## 4 **KVA COMMUNICATIONS** 20

TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT 8

5 L & H UNDERGROUND

6 SOUTHEAST CONNECTIONS LLC

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TENNOCA CONSTRUCTION COMPANY CHC UNDERGROUND INC

**BIRD ELECTRIC INC** 



## DAMAGES

DIRT Damage Information Reporting Tool







## DAMAGES BY COUNTY AUGUST 2025

TOTAL:1302

ALAMANCE	10
ALEXANDER	3
ALLEGHANY	1
ANSON	4
ASHE	2
AVERY	1
BEAUFORT	2
BERTIE	3
BLADEN	3
BRUNSWICK	12
BUNCOMBE	27
BURKE	1
CABARRUS	18
CALDWELL	9
CAMDEN	1
CARTERET	14
CASWELL	2
CATAWBA	29
CHATHAM	12
CHEROKEE	2
CHOWAN	0
CLAY	4
CLEVELAND	8
COLUMBUS	1
CRAVEN	9

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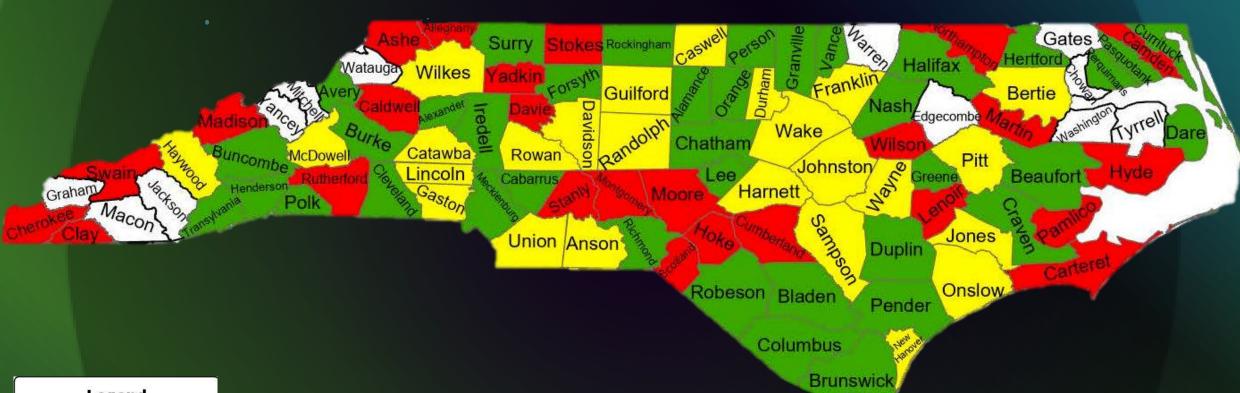
JOHNSTON	40	
JONES	1	
LEE	7	
LENOIR	11	
LINCOLN	13	
MACON	0	
MADISON	1	
MARTIN	7	
MCDOWELL	3	
MECKLENBURG	169	
MITCHELL	0	
MONTGOMERY	8	
MOORE	29	
NASH	8	
NEW HANOVER	33	
NORTHAMPTON	5	
ONSLOW	19	
ORANGE	17	
PAMLICO	6	
PASQUOTANK	2	
PENDER	8	
PERQUIMANS	1	
PERSON	1	
PITT	23	
POLK	3	

RANDOLPH	14
RICHMOND	2
ROBESON	5
ROCKINGHAM	5
ROWAN	12
RUTHERFORD	8
SAMPSON	5
SCOTLAND	5 7 7
STANLY	7
STOKES	7
SURRY	5
SWAIN	2
TRANSYLVANIA	1
TYRRELL	0
UNION	43
VANCE	2
WAKE	172
WARREN	0
WASHINGTON	0
WATAUGA	0
WAYNE	10
WILKES	5
WILSON	7
YADKIN	5
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# DAMAGES PER 1,000 TRANSMISSIONS

AUGUST 2025



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#### Legend

#### Quantile

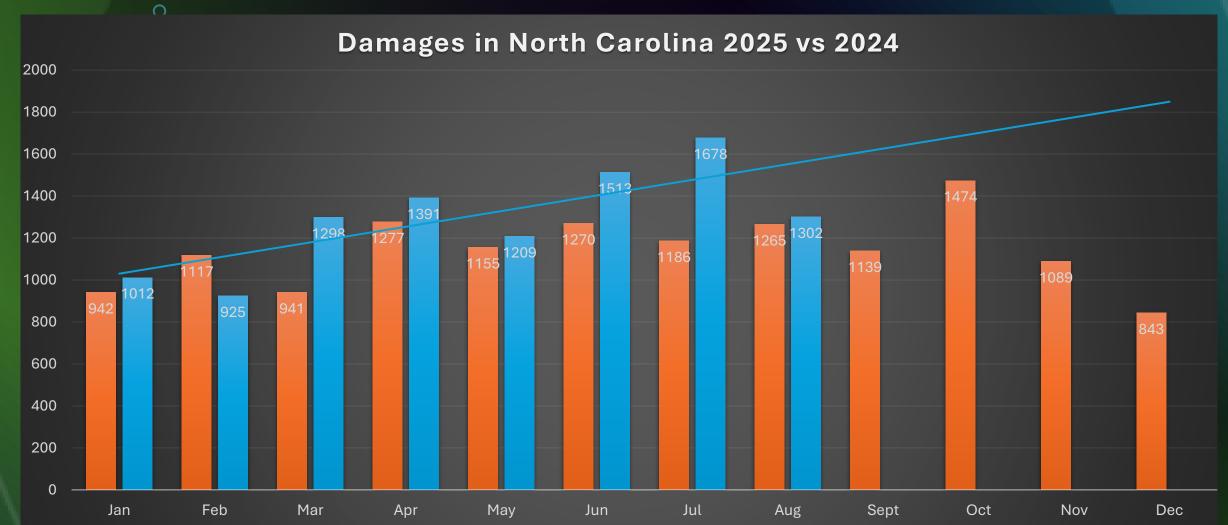
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Linear (2025)



#### UGDPRB - Overview of 7/22/2025 Cases

- 90 Cases Reviewed
- 4 Cases Tabled for additional information
- 14 Cases Dismissed for lack of evidence
- 60 Issued Pipes Plus Training
- **\$53,500** issued in fines



## **BROADBAND IN NC**

In North Carolina, excavators must follow specific legal requirements to ensure safe and compliant underground work, including securing permits, requesting locates within a designated timeframe, and adhering to marking standards. These practices support the state's broader infrastructure goals, especially the expansion of broadband in rural areas, while protecting existing utilities.



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## THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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#### **August Haywood UCC Meeting Minutes**

Notes Provided by Rory Phipps: Stand-In Haywood UCC Secretary

**Date:** August 4, 2025

**Location:** Shoney's Waynesville NC **Called to Order By:** Rory Phipps

#### Call to Order

Welcome to the August Haywood meeting. The meeting was called to order at Shoney's in Waynesville NC.

#### **Announcements**

We have a hefty presentation this month. Due to the upcoming Law Changes we had a rousing discussion about things to come, and how we need to prepare.

#### **Recognition of New Attendees and Guests**

No new attendees in presence.

#### **New Business**

- We spoke about the upcoming Law changes coming this October 1st.
- ITG came up as an ongoing issue, as they do in many other of the Region's UCC meetings.

#### **Damage Report**

No Damages were reported by our Members.

#### **Round Table Discussion**

The Law changes were spoken about as part of this month's presentation. We went in depth with many changes, and I received a lot of feedback regarding issues that could arise. We as a collective spitballed why changes needed to occur and the needs to know.

#### **Project Report**

• No new projects to report.

#### Adjournment

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.