

Underground Safety Board to Hold Coordinated Statewide Education and Outreach Workshop June 23, 2025

(Virtual and In-Person)

Concord, Calif. – The Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety (Energy Safety) Underground Safety Board (Board) will hold a public stakeholder workshop to better understand training issues and solutions from different perspectives in the call-before-you-dig process.

The workshop will be held at USA North 811, 4005 Port Chicago Highway, Suite 100, Concord and virtually via Microsoft Teams.

Workshop Objectives

We listened to your call for more opportunities to collaborate and connect and we are excited to hold this workshop designed to bring excavators and operators together to share insights.

- Develop Audience-Specific Messaging: Generate core safety message concepts tailored
 to different audiences that reflect awareness levels and motivations, with the goal of
 encouraging safe excavation practices.
- **Inform Outreach and Communication Strategies**: Identify the most effective communication approaches and delivery channels for different audiences.







Meeting Date: Monday, June 23, 2025 | 9:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

USA North 811 4005 Port Chicago Hwy, Suite 100 Concord, CA 94520-1122

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AGENDA

1. Welcoming Remarks

The Education and Outreach Committee (E&O Committee) seeks input on coordinated statewide education and outreach activities that encourage safe excavation practices.

2. Review: Previous Coordinated Statewide Education and Outreach Workshops

A summary of the excavation safety training concerns discussed among participants at previous workshops, held in January, February, and May, 2025.

3. Information Item: Presentation of Industry Data

The E&O Committee will provide an update on industry data regarding failure to notify 811 before excavating.

4. Discussion: Safety Message Concepts and Communication Strategies

The E&O Committee will lead interactive activities to address, 'Failure to Notify 811' as a common cause of underground infrastructure damage:

- Collaboratively develop safety messaging concepts that will resonate with key audiences.
- Identify communication strategies that will effectively reach those audiences.

5. Closing Remarks and Adjournment







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Contact Information

Those requiring further information regarding this public meeting may contact the Underground Safety Board and Energy Safety staff at digboard@energysafety.ca.gov, (916) 902-6000, or at the address below:

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