

California Underground Facilities Safe Excavation Board

In the Matter of
South Pointe Construction LLC,
Respondent

Case No. N2424853

DECISION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROBABLE VIOLATION

The Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety, California Underground Facilities Safe Excavation Board (the Board) issued a Notice of Probable Violation (NOPV) to South Pointe Construction LLC (Respondent) on September 26, 2025. Respondent submitted a response to the NOPV. On November 18, 2025, the Board considered Case No. N2424853. Board members Clausen, Johns, Johnson, Muñoz, Simonian, and Sorem participated in the decision.

FINDINGS

Having considered the investigation report and Respondent’s Response, the Board finds that a violation of California Code of Regulations, title 19, section 4151(c) occurred. Further, the Board finds that Respondent did not violate Gov. Code section 4216.2(b): excavation without first notifying the regional notification center.

VIOLATION SUMMARY

California Code of Regulations, title 19, section 4151(c): failed to cooperate with the investigation.

JURISDICTION

When the Board finds a probable violation of the Dig Safe Act (Gov. Code section 4216 et seq.), the Board must transmit the investigation results and any recommended penalty to the appropriate agency identified in Gov. Code section 4216.6, subsection (c) or (d). This matter is subject to the jurisdiction of the Contractors State License Board which may accept, amend, or reject this Board’s recommendation.

SANCTIONS

The Board RECOMMENDS that the Contractors State License Board order Respondent to take the Board's education course and pay a penalty of \$500.

The following factors were considered relevant to this sanction determination:

- Respondent's violations were serious.
- Respondent did not cooperate with the investigation.
- Respondent should benefit from taking the Board's education course.

/s/ William Johns
William Johns, Chair

Date: February 2, 2026