California Underground Facilities Safe Excavation Board

In the Matter of Washburn Grove Management, Respondent

Case No. C241690007

DECISION REGARDING NOTICE OF PROBABLE VIOLATION

On April 14, 2025, the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety, California Underground Facilities Safe Excavation Board (the Board) considered Case No. C241690007. Board investigative staff issued a Notice of Probable Violation (NOPV) to Washburn Grove Management (Respondent), dated February 24, 2025, alleging a violation of Government Code (Gov. Code) section 4216.1. Respondent submitted a written response to the NOPV.

Board members Charland, Clausen, Johns, Johnson, and Sorem participated in the decision. Board Member Muñoz was not present for the meeting.

FINDING

Having considered the investigation report and the response from the Respondent, the Board finds that Respondent violated Gov. Code sections 4216.1.

VIOLATION SUMMARY

Respondent, as an operator, failed to maintain its mandatory membership with its regional notification center.

JURISDICTION

This matter is subject to the jurisdiction of the Board.

SANCTIONS

The Board orders Respondent to take the Board's education course. The Board further orders Respondent to rejoin its regional notification center within 30 days from the date of this Decision letter.

Re: Washburn GM, D. 2025_C241690007

The following factors were considered relevant to this sanction determination:

- Respondent did not maintain its regional notification center membership.
- The violation did not result in death or substantial injury or environment or property damage.

/s/ William Johns
William Johns, Chair

Date: May 28, 2025