









Safe Work Practice WORKING NEAR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES

Potential Hazards (Risk Priority MEDIUM)

- Electricity, Gas, Fire, Water
- Chemicals and/or toxic atmospheres
- Disruption of essential services
- All personnel must ensure they have been appropriately trained by their supervisor.

Required Personal Protective Equipment and Devices

Foot Protection	Hearing Protection	High Visibility	Head Protection	Eye Protection	Face Protection	Hand Protection	Protective Clothing
							

Safe Work Practice

- Know where you are digging
- **Do Not** dig until underground utilities have been identified
- Ensure that identified utilities have been marked off
- If you hit underground utilities contact the right agencies
- **Do Not** dig within the parameters of the identified utility locations
- BCOne call should be notified prior to any work being started

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If an emergency situation occurs while conducting this task, or there is an equipment malfunction, shut the equipment off immediately and follow the lock out procedure.

REPORT ANY HAZARDOUS SITUATION TO YOUR SUPERVISOR IMMEDIATELY

This must be reviewed any time the task, equipment, or materials change and at minimum, every three years.