



## **Damage Prevention Committee**

**Summaries and Actions  
from the  
Meeting of March 12, 2019**

## DISCUSSION CASES

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Case Number	Stakeholders	Summary	Violation & Recommendation
2916	<b>Facility Owner:</b> AT&T <b>Excavator:</b> Bruce & Merrilees Electric <b>Project Owner:</b> PennDot	<u>5/11/2018 on SR 12 near Elizabeth Ave., Muhlenberg Twp., Berks County.</u> Bruce and Merrilees Electric was hired by PennDot to install digital message sign foundations along State Route 12. One Call created two excavation tickets because the excavation crossed a township line. AT&T responded "1-Clear, No Facilities", and Verizon responded "3-Field Marked". Bruce and Merrilees states in their AVR that the line was not marked within 300 feet of where they were digging, but in their photos, there are marks close to the excavation site that are visible on the ground on two of the photos they sent. Bruce and Merrilees used mechanized equipment within the tolerance zone and do not appear to have potholed to locate the lines.	<b>No Violations</b>
2895	<b>Facility Owner:</b> City of Lancaster <b>Excavator:</b> Miller Pipeline Corp <b>Project Owner:</b> UGI Utilities Inc.	<u>5/7/2018 at 427 N. Charlotte St., Lancaster City, Lancaster County.</u> Miller Pipeline submitted a legitimate excavation ticket through PA One Call in order to install a new gas service for UGI. When they were excavating, they hit a sewer lateral. The lateral was owned by a customer, but Lancaster City Water and Sewer Authority did not mark the point of connection from the main. Miller Pipeline submitted Damage Emergency ticket number 20181273664 after striking the lateral, and the ticket shows that they specifically requested a response from the sewer company. The City of Lancaster did not respond to the excavator either directly or through KARL. Lancaster Sewer was contacted via telephone on May 24 and asked to submit an AVR and photos, but they opted not to submit one which is their prerogative as a facility owner if the damages are less than \$2,500. Both UGI and Miller Pipeline both stated on May 16 that neither entity had photos of the damaged area.	<b>City of Lancaster - \$1,250.00</b> Section 2.5(i.1) 1st offense- \$250.00 Section 5(v) 1st offense- \$1000.00
2683	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Peoples Gas Co. <b>Excavator:</b> Niando Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Municipality of Mt. Lebanon <b>Designer:</b> Gateway	<u>5/8/2018 at 1460 Mohican Dr., Mt. Lebanon Twp., Allegheny County.</u> Niando Construction Inc. hit a 1 inch plastic Peoples Gas service line at 1460 Mohican Drive, Mt. Lebanon Township, Allegheny County. The excavator notes that the line was mismarked by approximately 10 feet, photos submitted. The excavator was using a backhoe while excavating for the installation of concrete curbing. The facility owner noted the service line was installed in 1988 with no tracer wire and was installed at an angle. The locator requested a vacuum truck; however, the damage occurred prior to potholing. In its AVR, the facility owner admits fault for mismarking the line.	<b>People's Gas Co. - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 1st Offense - \$1,000.00 <b>Niando Construction - \$250</b> Section 5.3 1st Offense - \$250 <b>Municipality of Mt. Lebanon - \$250</b> Section 6.1(3) 1st Offense - Warning Section 6.1(4) 1st Offense - \$250

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2969	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Verizon Pennsylvania <b>Excavator:</b> Leeward Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua Pennsylvania	<u>5/8/2018 on Jefferson Blvd., Jefferson Twp., Lackawanna County.</u> Leeward Construction was excavating to install water main service for Aqua Pennsylvania when they discovered that Verizon had mis-marked their service line. From the photographs received from Leeward, it does appear they had potholed and located the marked lines but struck a line that was unmarked.	<b>Verizon Pennsylvania - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 2nd offense - \$1000.00
2559	<b>Facility Owner:</b> UGI Utilities Inc. <b>Excavator:</b> Austill Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Homeowner	<u>5/15/2018 at 105 New Holland Ave., Shillington Borough, Berks County.</u> Austill Construction was doing excavation to install new curb for a homeowner when they struck UGI Utilities' mis-marked gas line. Austill did notify 911 and UGI as they should have done. UGI admits in their AVR that they had marked their lines incorrectly, and Austill's photos and testimony given in their AVR show that the marks were at least 4' off. However, Austill failed to pothole or otherwise try to locate the line to make sure that the marks were accurate as required by Act 50.	<b>Verizon - \$1,000</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st Offense - \$1000.00
2046	<b>Facility Owner:</b> West Penn Power <b>Excavator:</b> Iron Dog Plumbing <b>Project Owner:</b> Homeowner	<u>5/21/2018 at 2522 Hunting Ridge Trail, South Fayette Twp., Allegheny County.</u> Iron Dog Plumbing was performing excavation work for a homeowner when they struck West Penn Power's underground line with a backhoe. Iron Dog states in their AVR that the line was mis-marked. West Penn Power did provide 4 photos taken by USIC who located the lines, but there do not appear to be any landmarks that conclusively prove that the marks were accurate. However, it is apparent that Iron Dog Plumbing was using mechanized equipment in the tolerance zone and did not pothole with hand tools to locate the line before using a backhoe. All photos provided came from West Penn Power, supplied by USIC. DPI Andrade requested photos from Iron Dog via email on August 22, 2018, but they did not have any available.	<b>West Penn Power - Education Required</b> <b>Iron Dog Plumbing - Education Required</b> <b>Verizon Pennsylvania LLC - \$500.00</b> Section 2.5(v) (Late) 2nd offense - \$500.00
2528	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PECO Energy <b>Excavator:</b> Utility Line Serices	<u>5/22/2018 on Elm Terrace, Narberth Borough, Montgomery County.</u> Philipsburg PECO failed to mark all lines and marked a purge-off of the old main instead of the gas service to the house. This mark was 2 feet away from the actual line. They also provided the excavator with maps that were incorrect. As a side note, ULS states that 911 was not called because PECO was on site at the time of the strike.	<b>PECO Energy - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 2nd offense - \$1000.00 Section 6.1(3) 1st offense - Warning Letter <b>Utility Line Services - \$250.00</b> Section 5(3) 1st offense - \$250.00 <b>Verizon Pennsylvania - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 2nd offense - \$1500.00

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2544	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Susquehanna Township <b>Excavator:</b> Doli Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Susquehanna Township	<u>5/23/18 and 5/31/18 on Edwin Ave., Susquehanna Twp., Dauphin County.</u> Doli Construction reported damaging unmarked sewer laterals on May 23, 2018 and May 31, 2018 at Edwin Avenue. Doli explained in an email that Susquehanna Township only marked the mains, and although the laterals are customer owned, Susquehanna Township did not mark the points of connection from the main. No photos were taken prior to the excavation. Doli provided pictures showing after excavation marks in pink.	<b>Comcast Cable - \$250.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (late) - penalty already assessed in December meeting. Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (late) - \$250.00
2042	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PPL Electric Utilities <b>Excavator:</b> C&J Lawncare <b>Project Owner:</b> GSP Management	<u>5/29/18, in Halifax Twp, Dauphin County at Spruce Lane near Dogwood Drive.</u> The incident resulted in damage to an underground facility owned by PPL Electric Utilities.	<b>C &amp; J Lawncare - \$600.00</b> Section 5(16) 1st Offense - \$0 Section 5(20) 1st Offense - \$500.00 Section 5(20) Fine Factor - \$100.00 <b>PPL - \$600.00</b> Section 2.5(i) - \$500.00 Section 2.5(i) Fine Factor - \$100.00
2637	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Birdsboro Borough <b>Excavator:</b> Doli Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Reading Area Water Authority <b>Designer:</b> BCM Engineers	<u>6/12/18 on Jackson St., Birdsboro Borough, Berks County.</u> Birdsboro Borough neglected to mark the 24" Concrete Sewer Main that was crossing the intersection. As the line was unmarked, Doli Construction was not aware nor able to use prudent excavating techniques in the area. Birdsboro Borough was also late in responding to the design ticket issued on 1/30/2018 by BCM Engineers, not responding to the design ticket until 3/13/2018. When this line was damaged, no one knew who owned the line because Birdsboro did not take ownership of their line at the time.	<b>Reading Area Water Authority - Warning</b> Section 6.1(7) 1st offense - Warning
2812	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Aqua Pennsylvania <b>Excavator:</b> Infrasource <b>Project Owner:</b> PECO Energy	<u>6/26/2018 on St. Albans, Haverford Twp., Delaware County.</u> Infrasource was excavating to install a new gas main for PECO when they struck an unmarked distribution line owned by Aqua Pennsylvania. According to the One Call system, Aqua did not respond to the excavation ticket until the day after the line strike. Infrasource did not submit a renotification ticket, although their AVR states that Aqua did not locate at the address where the line was struck, so the crew hand dug to search for the line but did not find it. They later struck the line with a backhoe.	<b>Aqua Pennsylvania - \$2,000.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 2nd offense - \$1,000.00 Section 2.5(v) 2nd offense - \$1,000.00 <b>PECO Energy - \$250.00</b> Section 6.1(7) 2nd offense - \$250.00 <b>Verizon Pennsylvania LLC - \$2,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (No response) - \$2,000.00

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460	<p><b>Facility Owner:</b> UGI  <b>Excavator:</b> Pioneer Construction Co.  <b>Project Owner:</b> Suez Water</p>	<p><u>11/1/2018 on Overbrook Dr., Dallas Twp., Luzerne County.</u> Pioneer Construction was excavating to install a new water main and water services when an inaccurately marked UGI gas line was struck. The line hit resulted in damage to the line's exterior coating and did not cause a release of gas. The line was mismarked by more than four feet.</p> <p>Suez failed to submit Design plans through the One Call website to ensure all facility owners were accounted for in the design plans, and a complex project was not declared by either the Project Owner or the Excavator</p>	<p><b>UGI - \$1,500.00</b>                      Section 2.5(i)- 3rd offense- \$1,500.00  <b>Amerigas Propane - \$500.00</b>                      Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$500.00</p>
631	<p><b>Facility Owner:</b> UGI  <b>Excavator:</b> Ketterline Builders Inc.</p>	<p><u>11/7/2018 at 98 Springbrook Ct., Lot 27, East Hempfield, Lancaster County.</u> UGI stated that Ketterline Builders did not submit a locate notification through One Call and explained that the contractor damaged the stub gas service with a backhoe. UGI provided pictures of the incident.</p> <p>Ketterline called UGI at 11:06 am to report the damage. Then, a call was made to One Call at 12:40pm (Ticket Number 20183112008), but not as a “New Damage Emergency” ticket but as a “New Excavation Routine” ticket.</p> <p>Ketterline admitted to not calling One Call before excavation and damaging UGI's facility. They explained the gas line was located that morning, the same day the incident took place. Ketterline stated that after the locator left the worksite they continued excavating and hit/ruptured an unmarked feeder line. Ketterline stated that the line was hit 15-feet off the locate mark.</p>	<p><b>Ketterline Builders Inc. - \$1,000.00</b>                      Section 5(2.1) 1st offense - \$1000.00  <b>Education Required</b></p>
694	<p><b>Facility Owner:</b> PA American Water  <b>Excavator:</b> InfraSource  <b>Project Owner:</b> Columbia Gas of PA</p>	<p><u>11/4/2018 at 840 Missionary Dr., Baldwin Borough, Allegheny County.</u> Pennsylvania American Water mis-marked a water service line by 3 feet. Infrasure Construction used hand tools to pothole for 2 feet on either side of the mark, and did not find the line. Infrasure did not place a relocate request when they realized the line was not where the marks were placed. Infrasure then excavated around the area with a backhoe even though the trench was running at a 90 degree angle to the mis-marked service line. Even though the line was mis-marked, since Infrasure could expect to cross this service line eventually when they dug their trench, they should not have used a backhoe to excavate the area when they were unable to locate the line.</p>	<p><b>PA American Water - \$1,000.00</b>                      Section 2.5(i) 2nd offense- \$1,000.00  <b>Verizon Pennsylvania LLC - \$750.00</b>                      Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (Late) - \$750.00</p>

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2869	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Peoples Gas Co. <b>Excavator:</b> LM&R Excavating LLC <b>Project Owner:</b> Moranda Homes	<u>5/1/18 at 3020 Clairmont Ct., Raccoon Twp., Beaver County.</u> Peoples Gas Company responded to a facility line hit at 3020 Clairmont Court, Hopewell Township, Beaver County. Upon arriving at the scene, Peoples Gas Company reported a 1 inch plastic service line was damaged by LM&R Excavating. Peoples placed an Emergency One Call ticket to make permanent repairs to the damaged gas line. LM&R reported they have never had an incident; just nicked the line. A Routine One Call Ticket was placed by LM&R Excavating after the damaged service line was repaired by Peoples Gas Company.	<b>LM&amp;R Excavating, LLC - \$1,000.00</b> Section 5(2.1) 1st offense - \$1000.00 <b>Moranda Homes - Warning</b> Section 6.1(7) 1st offense - Warning
2931	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Philadelphia Gas <b>Excavator:</b> D' Angelo Brothers Inc. <b>Project Owner:</b> Mission First Housing	<u>5/2/18 on Market Street, Philadelphia City, Philadelphia County.</u> At approximately 8:00 AM, D'Angelo Brothers Inc. was excavating at Market Street, Philadelphia City, Philadelphia County. The operator of the backhoe was digging in the tolerance zone and ruptured a 4 inch cast iron PGW main gas line. 911 was not called to the scene and D'Angelo Brothers admitted it was their fault by digging too closely to the marked out gas line.	<b>D'Angelo Bros., Inc. - \$2,000.00</b> Section 5(4) 1st offense- \$1000.00 Section 5(8) 1st offense - \$1000.00 <b>Southeastern PA Transport Auth - \$500.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 <b>Philadelphia City Water - \$2,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (no response) - \$1000.00 Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (no response) - \$1000.00
2887	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Verizon <b>Excavator:</b> Caddick Utilities LLC <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua Pennsylvania	<u>5/2/18 on North Lane, Lower Providence Twp., Montgomery County.</u> Leeward Construction was installing a water main and service lines for Exeter Borough on May 3, 2018 at 115 Jesse Street, Exeter Borough, Luzerne County when they struck the accurately marked UGI gas line with a mini excavator.	<b>Verizon - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 3rd offense - \$1500.00
2087	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Peoples Gas <b>Excavator:</b> Zottola Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Pittsburgh Water & Sewer Authority	<u>5/3/18 on Radium St., Pittsburgh, Allegheny County.</u> Zottola was working at 36 Radium St, near Swanson Street and Garvin Street, Pittsburgh City, Allegheny County. Peoples Gas indicated Zottola was excavating outside of the initial One Call excavation area and proceeded to dig without another valid One Call ticket. Zottola struck and damaged a 3 inch plastic main underground utility line in an area that was not marked in white in the initial One Call ticket; therefore, it was not properly marked out by the Peoples' Gas locator. Zottola indicated in an email to the PUC, not through a proper AVR submission, they only exposed the gas line to determine it was already rotted and contacted the facility to inform Peoples they needed to repair the line. The outcome of this case is inconclusive as neither party submitted evidence to prove or disprove either side of the story. *****The PUC did not have jurisdiction over the initial One Call ticket*****	No violations.

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2892	<b>Facility Owner:</b> UGI Utilities Inc. <b>Excavator:</b> Leeward Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Exeter Borough	<u>5/3/18 115 Jesse St., Exeter Borough, Luzerne County.</u> Leeward Construction was installing a water main and service lines for Exeter Borough on May 3, 2018 at 115 Jesse Street, Exeter Borough, Luzerne County when they struck the accurately marked UGI gas line with a mini excavator.	<b>Exeter Borough - Warning</b> Section 6.1(7) 1st offense - Warning Letter <b>Leeward Construction - \$1,000.00</b> Section 5(4) 1st offense - \$1000.00
2088	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Peoples Gas <b>Excavator:</b> Zottola Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> PennDot	<u>5/3/18 on Mt. Nebo Rd., Ohio Twp., Allegheny County.</u> Peoples Gas marked in KARL "Insufficient Information" for Update Ticket 20181763544. I am proposing they receive a "No Response" administrative penalty as the Update Ticket was the same as the Routine Ticket (20181071608), and Peoples Gas marked "Field Marked" on the Routine Ticket. On May 3, 2018, Frank J. Zottola Construction was working for Penn Dot to replace water, sewer and service lines. On this particular day, the excavator was relocating a service line at 1515 Mount Nebo Road. Prior to excavating, the service line was exposed. The operator of the backhoe came a little too close to the service line and nudged it, which caused the service line to kink. The steel casing, in which the plastic service line was run through, cut through the plastic service line causing a leak to occur. Zottola Construction admitted this line strike was their fault.	<b>Ohio Township - \$250.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 <b>West View Water Authority - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (No Response) - \$1000.00 <b>Allegheny County Department of Public Works - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (No Response) - \$1000.00 <b>Peoples Gas - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (No Response) - \$1000.00 <b>Zottola Construction - \$500.00</b> Section 5(6ii) 1st offense - \$500.00
2920	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PECO <b>Excavator:</b> Caddick Utilities LLC <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua PA	<u>5/4/18 at 1543 Lukens Ave., Abington Twp., Montgomery County.</u> Caddick Utilities hit and damaged a mismarked 1" steel gas line at 1543 Lukens Avenue, Abington township, Montgomery County. The excavator submitted photos to support their position that the mark was off by 3.5 feet. PECO, the facility owner, did not submit an AVR, and there was no hazardous release.	<b>PECO - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 3rd offense - \$1500.00
3015	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Verizon <b>Excavator:</b> Caddick Utilities Inc. <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua PA	<u>5/7/18 on W. North Ln., Plymouth Twp., Montgomery County.</u> Caddick Utilities LLC uncovered an unmarked Verizon duct bank at West North Lane, Montgomery County. Caddick Utilities contacted One Call on May 7, 2018 to renotify Verizon to mark their lines after they had responded to KARL as "field marked". Verizon lines were still not marked and/or located until May 16, 2018.	<b>Verizon - \$8,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (No response) - \$2000.00 Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (No response) - \$2000.00 Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (No response) - \$2000.00 Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (No response) - \$2000.00 <b>Whitemarsh Township - \$250.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 <b>Crown Castle - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (No response) \$1000.00

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2860	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Valley Energy <b>Excavator:</b> Vacri Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua PA	<u>5/18/18 on Chemung St., Sayre Borough, Bradford County.</u> Vacri Construction admits that they were excavating with a backhoe in the tolerance zone when they struck and gouged a 6" plastic gas line owned by Valley Energy.	<b>Vacri Construction - \$2,000.00</b> Section 5(4) 2nd offense - \$2000.00
2531	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Aqua PA & Verizon (2 lines hit) <b>Excavator:</b> Utility Line Services <b>Project Owner:</b> PECO Energy	<u>5/29/18 on Woodbine Ave., Narberth Borough, Montgomery County.</u> Utility Line Services was working for PECO to install a new gas main at Woodbine Avenue, Narberth Borough, Montgomery County when they damaged an unmarked sewer lateral owned by Aqua and an unmarked Verizon conduit. A Damage Emergency One Call Ticket was placed for the damage to the Verizon conduit at 11:21 AM. Verizon failed to mark the excavation site and failed to provide any type of response to the One Call KARL system.	<b>Verizon - \$2,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 3rd Offense (No response) - \$2000.00
2551	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Aqua PA <b>Excavator:</b> Utility Line Services <b>Project Owner:</b> PECO Energy	<u>6/4/18 on S. Bethlehem Pike, Whitmarsh Twp., Montgomery County.</u> Utility Line Services struck Aqua’s unmarked or improperly marked water line. Aqua admits in their AVR that they did not mark the line correctly and states that the service is an “inactive account”. Unfortunately there are no photographs available to show whether the line was unmarked or incorrectly marked.	<b>Aqua PA - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 2nd offense - \$1,000.00 Section 2.5(v) 2nd offense (Late) - \$500.00 <b>Utility Line Services - \$500.00</b> Section 5(20) 1st offense - \$500.00 <b>PECO Energy - \$250.00</b> Section 6.1(7) 2nd offense - \$250.00 Southeastern PA Transport - \$250.00 Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 <b>Borough of Ambler - \$500.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 <b>Whitmarsh Township Authority - \$1,250.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (Late) - \$250.00 Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (No response) - \$1000.00
1517	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Fox Chapel Authority <b>Excavator:</b> Independent Enterprises <b>Project Owner:</b> Fox Chapel Borough	<u>8/1/18 at 313 South Pasadena Dr., Fox Chapel Borough, Allegheny County.</u> Independent Enterprises was excavating at South Pasadena Drive, Fox Chapel Borough, Allegheny County when they struck and damaged a Fox Chapel Authority underground facility. Fox Chapel Authority was also the Project Owner on this project. The Authority stated Independent Enterprises failed to exercise due care while excavating because the line was marked accurately in the tolerance zone and they where excavating adjacent to the service line when it was hooked and pulled from the main. Independent Enterprise was sent a courtesy letter on August 28, 2018 requesting an AVR be submitting regarding this incident and to date no AVR has been submitted on this case.	<b>Verizon - \$750.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (Late) - \$750.00 <b>Independent Enterprises, Inc. - \$1,500.00</b> Section 5(4) 1st offense - \$1000.00 Section 5(16) 2nd offense - \$250.00 Section 5(17) 1st offense - \$250.00



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1498	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PECO Energy <b>Excavator:</b> Caddick Utilities LLC <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua PA	<u>8/2/18 at 118 Cardinal Rd., Abington Twp., Montgomery County.</u> Caddick Utilities hit an accurately marked PECO gas service line, while working for Aqua. Caddick Utilities submitted photos showing the hit was in the tolerance zone. PECO did not submit an AVR. On 1/14/2019 sent a letter to Aqua asking for pictures and videos, the estimated amount of the project, who participated in the design and preconstruction meetings, the design serial number and name of the designer, what level of subsurface utility engineering was utilized, etc. with no response.	<b>Caddick Utilities LLC - \$2,000.00</b> Section 5(4) 2nd offense - \$2000.00 <b>Abington Township - \$1,000.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offense (No Response) - \$1000.00 <b>Cheltenham Township - \$250.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 1st offnse (Late) \$250.00
1607	<b>Facility Owner:</b> York Water Co. <b>Excavator:</b> Morgan Rail <b>Project Owner:</b> PennDot	<u>8/3/18 at 12025 Susquehanna Trail S., Shrewsbury Twp., York County.</u> Morgan Rail struck an unmarked 16" ductile iron main owned by the York Water Company. The main was not marked because Morgan Rail placed a One Call ticket for a location that was approximately 1/5 miles away from where they were excavating.	<b>Morgan Rail - \$250.00</b> Section 5(2.2) 1st offense - \$250.00 Section 5(19) 1st offense - \$250.00 <b>PennDot - \$250.00</b> Section 6.1(7) 2nd offense - \$250.00
1595	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Columbia Gas of PA <b>Excavator:</b> Homeowner <b>Project Owner:</b> Homeowner	<u>8/3/18 at 2901 Camp Betty Rd., Red Lion, York County.</u> Columbia reported that the Homeowner did not call PA One Call to request locate marks. Columbia explained that the Homeowner was installing a sidewalk and used 4x4's and spikes to frame the walkway leading up to the front steps. The Homeowner drove a spike into the ground hitting a 1-inch gas service.	<b>Homeowner - Warning Letter</b> Section 5(2.1) 1st offense - Warning Letter
1567	<b>Facility Owner:</b> None <b>Excavator:</b> Goodwin & Sons <b>Witness:</b> J. Charles Miller	<u>8/5/18 at 677 Grom Hill Rd., Homer Twp., Potter County.</u> AVR was submitted by a neighbor who witnessed Goodwin & Sons using a backhoe to excavate a property across the street from his residence. Goodwin & Sons is reported to have been installing a storm or drainage pipe. Goodwin did not have a One Call ticket for this excavation, and the emergency ticket was called in by the witness after the work was completed. Investigator Andrade sent a letter to Goodwin & Sons on September 4, 2018, requesting an AVR. On October 1, 2018 DPI Andrade was contacted by an attorney on behalf of Goodwin & Sons asking about the law, and an AVR was promised within a week or so. Goodwin & Sons and their attorney failed to submit an AVR.	<b>Goodwin &amp; Sons - \$1,250.00</b> Section 5(2.1) 1st offense - \$1000.00 Section 5(17) 1st offense - \$250.00
1560	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Sunbury Municipal Authority <b>Excavator:</b> J F Kiely Construction <b>Project Owner:</b> UGI	<u>8/6/2018 on N. 4th St., Sunbury City, Northumberland County.</u> On August 6, 2018 JF Kiely was installing gas mains and services for UGI when they struck an unmarked water service line owned by the Municipal Authority of Sunbury. Sunbury did not submit an AVR, but instead sent a letter stating that they had not marked the service line that was damaged because they were old, unused, and unknown to the SMA Water Department.  No violation of Act 50 occurred. The line was abandoned prior to 4/28/18. SMA did not mark the line, and the excavator was also unaware of it.	No Violations

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1554	<b>Facility Owner:</b> UGI Utilities <b>Excavator:</b> Road Con <b>Project Owner:</b> PennDot	<u>8/6/18 at 2335 Perkiomen Ave., Mount Penn Boro, Berks County.</u> Road Con struck UGI's correctly marked gas service line while performing excavation work for PennDOT.	<b>RoadCon - \$2,250.00</b> Section 5(4) 2nd offense - \$2000.00 Section 5(16) 2nd offense - \$250.00 <b>PennDot - \$250.00</b> Section 6.1(7) 2nd offense - \$250.00
1803	<b>Facility Owner:</b> National Fuel <b>Excavator:</b> Guzik Concrete & Masonry <b>Project Owner:</b> City of Meadville	<u>8/8/2018 on N. Cottage St., Meadville City, Crawford County.</u> Guzik Concrete and Masonry hit a 4" plastic distribution National Fuel Gas main line with a concrete form pin while working for the City of Meadville. Guzik was excavating outside the indicated work site of all PA One Call ticket #s 20181902427, 20182041883, 20182041756; all three tickets show working on west side of N Cottage street. The damage was on the East side of the street.	<b>Guzik Concrete &amp; Masonry - \$1,250.00</b> Section 5(2.2) 1st offense - \$250.00 Section 5(8) 1st offense - \$1000.00
744	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PECO. <b>Excavator:</b> Philadelphia Gas Works <b>Project Owner:</b> Philadelphia Gas Works	<u>11/5/18 at 8034 Germantown Ave., Philadelphia City, Philadelphia County.</u> PGW crew hit and damaged a mismarked PECO electric secondary line with a shovel. PGW provided photos. The PECO line was mismarked by 34". A request was emailed to PECO on 2/25/2019 to provide photos/ videos directly to this Compliance specialist. Another request was emailed to PECO on 2/27/2019 asking for the cost of the damage repair and if there was any service interruption. At this time they have not sent the requested information. PGW had more compelling evidence to support there position.	<b>PECO - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 3rd offense - \$1500.00 <b>Philadelphia City Water Dept. - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(viii) 1st offense - \$1500.00
707	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Centurylink <b>Excavator:</b> Henkels & McCoy <b>Project Owner:</b> Valley Rural Electric Cooperative	<u>11/7/18 at 5788 Orchard Rd., Walker Twp., Huntingdon County.</u> I asked my supervisor today 3/1/2019 if this case is archivable since the excavator was the one who submitted the AVR. The excavator is not clear who the facility was or not exactly being cooperative with this Compliance Specialist's requests. Kasha said she would review and get back with me. She did say we do have the option of 5(17). Supervisor and this Compliance Specialist agreed to a administration penalty 5(17) for Henkels and McCoy excavating.	Henkels & McCoy - \$250.00 Section 5(17) 1st offense - \$250.00
701	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PPL Electric <b>Excavator:</b> Suez Water Pennsylvania <b>Project Owner:</b> Suez Water	<u>11/13/18 on York Cir., Silver Spring Twp., Cumberland County.</u> Suez water struck PPL's unmarked underground electric line with a backhoe. PPL and Suez have both provided photos showing that the line was not marked by PPL's contracted locator, and PPL states in their AVR that they are aware that their locator had not marked this line.	<b>PPL Electric Utilities - \$500.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 1st offense - \$500.00

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737	<b>Facility Owner:</b> PECO <b>Excavator:</b> Utility Line Services <b>Project Owner:</b> Aqua PA	<u>11/13/18 on Callender Lane, Neither Providence Twp., Delaware County.</u> Utility Line Services was working for Aqua to replace a water main and service lines near Callender Lane, Nether Providence Township, Delaware County. ULS hit a 1/2 inch plastic PECO gas underground line while excavating because the line was mismarked by 14 feet. PECO indicated their records were inaccurate, which ultimately caused the line strike.	<b>PECO - \$2,250.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (late) - \$750.00 Section 2.5(i) 3rd offense - \$1500.00 <b>Verizon - \$750.00</b> Section 2.5(v) 3rd offense (late) - \$750.00
811	<b>Facility Owner:</b> Verizon <b>Excavator:</b> Duquesne Light Co. <b>Project Owner:</b> Duquesne Light Co.	<u>11/14/2018 at 319 Mt. Pleasant Rd., Pittsburgh, Allegheny County.</u> DLC (facility, project owner, and excavator) reported, on 11/14/2018 DLC hit an unmarked Verizon distribution line while auguring to set a new pole at 319 Mt. Pleasant Road, Pittsburgh City, Allegheny County. There was no communication marks in the area at all. Verizon indicated in KARL the field was marked on 11/14/2018. Verizon did not submit an AVR. On 12/2/2019 an AVR request letter was mailed to Verizon.	<b>Verizon - \$1,500.00</b> Section 2.5(i) 3rd offense - \$1500.00