

Why Enforce WV811?

- **Protects lives**
- **Prevents environmental damages**
- **Avoids disrupted utility services**
- **Financially benefits your department**

Dial 811 or 800.245.4848

The call is FREE and our members locate and mark their facilities for FREE.



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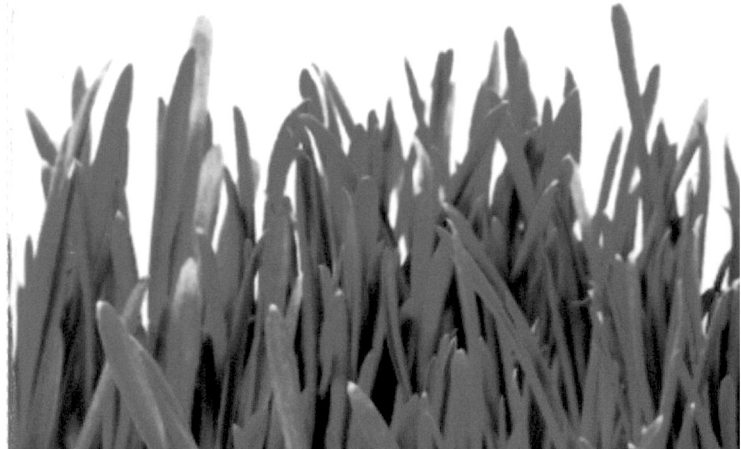
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CALL BEFORE YOU DIG!

IT'S THE LAW!



What is WV811?

West Virginia has joined a nationwide effort to improve public safety and we need your help to enforce it. 811 is the new number citizens and contractors should call before they begin any digging project.

By calling 811 before they dig, citizens can protect themselves, their neighbors and their community from unnecessary service interruptions, safety risks, or loss of life.

Keep your community safe!

Remember, citizens should always call 811 before they start any digging project! They will avoid injury, expense, embarrassment and a very inconvenient day in the dark.

It's The Law!

Effective July 15, 1996, Chapter 24-C, Underground Facility Damage Prevention Act became law. This statute is an effort to provide for public and worker safety in West Virginia by providing certain requirements before excavation and/ or demolition work can take place near underground facilities. **The law makes it a requirement to notify the state One Call System before any excavation or demolition activities are done.**

A person shall be fined under Title 18, imprisoned for not more than five years, or both, if the person knowingly and willfully engages in an excavation activity without first using an available One Call Notification System to establish the location of underground facilities in the excavation area; or without paying attention to appropriate location information or markings the operator of a pipeline facility establishes.

To learn more about the Underground Facility Damage Prevention Act, please visit

www.wv811.com/about-muwv/one-call-law

