



“Miss Utility” of Delmarva

UTILITIES SERVICE PROTECTION
CENTER OF DELMARVA, INC



Minutes of the January 17, 2019 Membership Meeting

Call to Order and Introductions

- President Lyon opened the regular membership meeting at Chesapeake Utilities, 500 Energy Ln. Dover, DE 19901
- Mission Statement: Our mission is to assist excavators, facility owners, and the public in the prevention of underground damages, service outages, personal injury, and their associated repercussions, through education and the promotion of the One Call System.
- 45 members were present.
- Those present gave the customary introductions.
- Tony Gersitz made a motion to approve minutes as amended, Brad Ebaugh seconded, unanimously approved by the members.

Presentation- Power Point: Eastern Shore Natural Gas

- Bill Hermstead gave a presentation on the inner workings of the natural gas transmission system.

Presentation- Power Point: Jason Lyon – Annual Report

- President Lyon provided the annual report of the organization. The report included the goals that were accomplished, public outreach activities, financial reports and what the organization is looking to accomplish in 2019.

Excavator Concerns

- Questions were asked about the way Verizon handles their tickets.
- Kenny Payne from Anchor Construction asked if locators could paint and flag his tickets. He was told that flags are a courtesy and the locators would do their best.

Facility Owner Concerns

- SB 189 All Damages over \$3000.00 dollars and all natural gas damages must be reported to the PSC within 15 days or as soon as possible. The bill gives PSC the legal authority to levy fines and /or get the Attorney General involved in utility damages.
- Jerry Platt of the Public Service Commission provided a detailed summary of the new law and how it will apply to the membership. The complaint form should be ready for the membership by the end of January.
- There will be a Mandatory Reporting Form and a Violation of the Law form.
- Administrative code still needs to be written with input from the stakeholders.

General Locate Issues

- None

Public Awareness

- Steve Keyser went over the events we will be participating in this year.
- Common Ground Alliance Conference will be held in Tampa Bay in March, 2019.
- Trailer to be wrapped this year.
- A new pop-up tent to be used for our events will be purchased.

Committee Reports

- Stakeholders will be invited to sit with the PSC and hash out the administrative parts of the new law change.
- 11th year for the locator Achievement Awards to be held in Harrington Delaware. Paperwork and forms will be sent out in January. Must be damage free from 1-1-18 to 12-31-18 to qualify.
- Locator Achievement Awards will be April 25, 2019 at Harrington Slots.

Old Business

- None

New Business

- 11th GCDPC is scheduled for Oct. 23-24-2019 in Ocean City Md.

Attendance

Last Name	First Name	Title	Company	Phone	Email
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Upcoming Events:

MONTH	DATE	Venue	Address	Time
Feb	February 21,2019	Choptank Electric	24820 Meeting House Ln Denton,Md 21629	8:30 AM
Mar	March 21,2019	Wilmington Public Works	Turner Municipal Complex 500 Wilmington Ave. Wilmington De. 19801	8:30 AM