

Minutes for NODPC Meeting: Wednesday November 4, 2020
9:30 to 11:00AM
Virtual Meeting

Introductions:

Participants ... X

Invite someone or dial a number

In this meeting (23) **Mute all**

- Madden, Kimberly N (Organizer)
- Anderson, Kevin (Outside your organization)
- Andrew C Jacobs (Outside your organization)
- Anna Bell (Outside your organization)
- Bruce Jones (Guest)
- Burney, Kimberly L
- Chuck Green (Outside your organization)
- CJ Kowalke (Guest)
- Costanzo, Sara (Outside your organization)
- joe kuzler (Guest)
- John Cramer (Guest)
- Justin Freudeman (Guest)
- Iaronda birmelin (Guest)
- Leslie, Todd E

- matt (Guest)
- Moore, Vita S
- Peyton, Kyle (Outside your organization)
- Wemmer, Noah (Outside your organization)
- +1 216-339-5079
- anonymous
- +1 330-523-7994
- +1 330-671-6060
- +1 216-538-7772

Others invited (15)

Vita shared PowerPoint and introduced speaker Andrew Jacobs, Dayton Power & Light Company.

Andrew: Began with providing council with background.

- He's been with DP&L for 15 years and is also Vice Chair of the Miami Valley Utility Safety Council.
- Discussed 5 tips for safe driving.
- Learning Opportunities slides:
 - Pruning into electric line
 - Slip and fall
 - 3 vehicle collision
 - Loss of control of shovel
 - Wrist fracture
 - Good catch—Near contact
- Situational Awareness—avoid multi-tasking and designate an observer as needed

Minutes from October accepted by Sara Constanzo.

Chuck: OHIO811 Updates

- 132204 tickets came to center
- 9000000 notices to utilities
- Down for October due to rain
- 1.4 mill tickets for YTD
- 9 million notices YTD
- Cancel remaining excavator seminars
- 11/13 is virtual excavator. Morning full. Afternoon still has openings.
- Sporting clay event is today 34 people signed up

Vita: All Ohio DPC Meeting on 10/15

- Person of the Year Awards (Annual Awards)
- Quarterly evening meetings to draw a different crowd
- Better communication between all the DPCs—sharing speakers, ideas
- One day Safety Summit

Vita: Marking Standards

- Lee Richards will send out an email
- We need two representatives from our council
- No more than 4 meetings annually
- Can bring up concerns and issues
 - Kevin Anderson: Now is the time to bring up issues. Between now and the first meeting.
 - LaRonda Birmelin: Idea of adding pictures to the flags/colors
 - Kevin: Do the flags not have the utility listed on them?
 - LaRonda: White flags have no writing. I have one excavator who writes his name on the flags. We've been having problems with Community Green, they have yellow flags.
- Kevin Anderson and LaRonda Birmelin volunteered for the marking standards committee.
- Vita: I have seen claims due to the diamond marking standard and abandoned lines.
- Chuck: I see the conduit/diamond quite a bit.
- Kyle: If the number is provided on the print then they will put that inside the diamond

- Matt Hennis: Single hashmark diamond (conduits that are 2 inches or smaller) and diamond with the two dash marks on the outside (conduits larger than 2 inches).

Vita: Virtual Ideas/COVID Updates

- LaRonda stated Columbia isn't going back in person until Summer 2021
- Sara: Have you and your organizations done any analysis on productivity since people have been working remotely?
- Andy: Productivity has increased form DP&L. I don't have actual figures.
- Dan Carman: CEI has improved. The better we get at virtual meetings, the better we get with productivity.

Officer Elections

- Vita Moore remains Chair
- Bruce Jones and Kevin Anderson nominate Anna Bell as Vice Chair, appointed
- Kimberly Madden remains Secretary
- Anna Bell and Kevin Anderson nominate Krissy Kodzev as Asst Secretary, appointed

Breakfast Meeting

- Anna has speaker suggestion, once it's confirmed we will schedule
- Virtual Meeting, reaching out to more people
- Gift card drawings
- Please consider filling out a speaker form for 2021

Meeting adjourned at 10:55 AM. Kevin and Sara.