NUCA

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

Whatever you need to provide a safe work environment for your employees... NUCA has it!



NUCA offers a wealth of safety resources in the form of training courses/instructors, publications and an annual forum for utility construction safety personnel. NUCA provides individualized technical assistance from a full-time Certified Safety

professional (CSP) on a full range of safety issues.

"At Dave Schmitt Construction, we have been taking safety seriously since my father started the business over 46 years ago. His commitment to finding out as much as he could about keeping his workers safe was in fact what led to our joining NUCA. In my roles as CFO and Safety Director, I rely heavily on the association's resources to meet our safety goals—NUCA-approved instructors for inhouse training, NUCA Safety Manual, NUCA Toolbox Talks, NUCA Safety Directors Forum and more. While over the years we have been privileged to receive a number of safety awards, including two William H. Feather Safety Awards, there

is no greater reward than sending employees home safe to their families. Clearly, I'm not overstating the case when I say that our partnership with NUCA has been indispensable in our efforts to ensure that outcome."

I'm a NUCA Member and my Membership Matters! Mike Schmitt CFO & Safety Director Dave Schmitt Construction Co., Inc. Cedar Rapids, IA





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If you think protecting underground utilities from damage should be a shared responsibility... NUCA's on your side!

BEFORE DIGGING. TRENCHING OR PUSHING PIPE IN THIS VICINITY CALL OPERATOR ASK FOR ENTERPRISE 9800 NO CHARGE BELL TELEPHONE SYSTEM

- NUCA's Damage Prevention and Claim's Avoidance program a members' only benefit has been highly effective in reducing the amounts of money paid by excavators around the country who do their part in the damage prevention process, but still face unwarranted or overly-costly damage claims.
- NUCA promotes a level playing field among all damage prevention stakeholders as significant federal legislative and regulatory initiates are introduced.
- NUCA represents the excavation community on the Common Ground Alliance (CGA) Board, on all CGA working committees and as a sponsor since its establishment in 2000.

"Our involvement in NUCA has helped provide our company with the knowledge and expertise we need to be successful. Excavating safely around hazardous buried utility lines takes well-trained crews that know about the latest damage prevention techniques and strategies. Being a member of NUCA has given us valuable access to this knowledge from leading damage prevention experts who help instill sound work-practices for our crews. Safe work-habits are the bedrock of any successful business and the resources available at NUCA have contributed to our success. As an active member of the Common Ground Alliance, it is clear

that NUCA is the most recognized and influential national organization representing utility and excavating contractors today. Nobody knows our industry like the seasoned professionals at NUCA. Where else can you get an advocate in Washington that tracks issues related to our industry, such as national revolving funds, new or changed governmental regulations, new worker or equipment safety requirements, and construction related tax issues?"

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Mark Scoccolo Manager SCI Infrastructure, LLC Pacific, WA

