

Know what's **below. Call** before you dig.

Alaska DIGLINE, INC.

CVEA has elected to become a member of Alaska Digline underground locate notification service. Effective September 15, 2008, anyone planning an outdoor project that requires digging, regardless of the depth or the size of the project must contact Alaska Digline by calling 811 before you dig.

Alaska Digline will serve as a message handling and notification service, taking information about planned excavations and providing this information to CVEA. Digline will now serve as a single point of contact for all utility locates. One call will do it all!

Advanced notice will still be required. Alaska law requires anyone engaging in any type of excavation to provide advance notice. This notice must be at least 48 hours/2 full business days prior to the start of excavation and the project must begin within 15 working days from when the locate is requested.

Alaska Digline call center operators are available to process locate requests Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm. They are closed on Saturdays and Sundays and the following observed holidays: New Year's Eve and New Year's Day, President's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and the following day, Christmas Eve, and Christmas Day. All requests for locates after 5 p.m. will be processed as if received at 8 a.m. the next business day.

When calling in an emergency locate request, inform the Alaska Digline call center operator that an emergency exists and be prepared to explain the situation and/or conditions.

Alaska Digline asks callers to be prepared to provide the following information:

- Name, address, and contact information
- Location at which the excavation/demolition will take place
- The type and extent of the work involved
- What the depth of the excavation will be
- The start date and time of the planned excavation/demolition

CVEA is pleased to be able to offer our members this new, one call method to request locates starting Monday, September 15, 2008. Just call toll free numbers 811 or 1-800-478-3121.

For more information on Alaska Digline or to access the complete Excavator Handbook, please visit www.akonecall.com.