

May 4, 2021 Design Locate Request: final proposed language for dpsub vote to proceed to DP Board for consideration.

Definition modified (Proposed)

15) "Marking" means the use of stakes, paint, or other clearly identifiable materials to show the field location of underground facilities, in accordance with the current color code standard of the American public works association. ~~Markings shall include identification letters indicating the specific type of the underground facility.~~ All marks must indicate the name, initials or logo of the operator of the underground facilities, and the width of the facility if it is greater than 2 inches.

Definition added (Proposed)

"Design locate request" means a notification made to a One-Number Notification Service in preparation for bidding, preconstruction engineering, or other advance planning efforts. A design locate request may not be used for excavation purposes, except for soft digging when coordination has been agreed to by the underground facility operator.

Design Locate Request: Language proposed location to be inserted after 55-2205 and before 55-2206

55-220X. OPERATORS TO RESPOND TO NOTIFICATIONS REQUESTING DESIGN LOCATE INFORMATION -- DAMAGE PREVENTION BEGINS AT THE PLANNING STAGE OF ANY PROJECT.

(1) Within 10 business days after a designer notifies the One-Number Notification Service of a proposed project, the operator of the underground facilities must:

(a) Mark within reasonable accuracy as defined in section [55-2202](#), Idaho Code, by surface-marking of the outside lateral dimensions of both sides of all its locatable underground facilities within the area of proposed project/excavation. All marks must indicate the name, initials or logo of the operator of the underground facilities, and the width of the facility if it is greater than 2 inches;

(b) Provide the designer/excavator the best description available to the operator of the unlocatable underground facilities in the area of the proposed project/excavation including as-constructed drawings, or other facility maps that are maintained by the facility operator;
or

(c) Contact the person requesting design information and agree on a time, prior to the beginning of the proposed project, for exchange of the information required under subsection (a) or subsection (b) of this section of this rule.

(d) If anything more than survey location or soft digging is to be performed to verify the underground facilities then section [55-2205](#), Idaho Code shall govern.

(2) Once marked by the owner of the underground facility, or the owner's agent, the designer making the request is responsible for maintaining the markings.

(3) If a designer intends to perform work at multiple sites or over a large area, the designer must take reasonable steps to work with the facility operators, including pre-design meetings, so that the operators may locate their facilities at a time reasonably in advance of the actual start of survey or design for each phase of work.

55-2205(2) modified (Proposed) this would add the proposed language change to definition (15) "Marking" to this section.

55-22-5 (2) Upon receipt of the notice provided for in this section, the underground facility owner or the owner's agent shall locate and mark its locatable underground facilities with reasonable accuracy, as defined in section [55-2202](#), Idaho Code, by surface-marking the location of the facilities. All marks must indicate the name, initials or logo of the operator of the underground facilities, and the width of the facility if it is greater than 2 inches. If there are identified but unlocatable...