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RE: OHIO811 Operations Statement

It has come to our attention that there is misinformation circulating within our industry regarding the status of OHIO811 and our ability to receive and send excavation locate requests. **Please be aware that OHIO811 is fully operational and continues to meet our obligations under the Ohio Revised Code as well our commitment to our members, the industry and citizens of Ohio.** OHIO811 has no plans, nor any authority, to cease or restrict and method of receiving locate requests from excavators or provided those notices to our member utilities. We will, however, continue to implement practices that are consistent with Governor DeWine's Executive Orders and the recommendations of state and national health officials to help keep our staff safe and slow the spread of COVID-19.

The OHIO811 mission is to serve the customers' needs by providing a quality one call process to: protect the public; protect the underground infrastructure; protect the environment.

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