

June 2023

MVDPC Meeting Notes

In Person Meeting started at 9:05am

Introductions and Attendance:

- QR Code Scanned for Attendance with Google Form.

Safety Message:

- Heavy Equipment maintenance. Pay attention of equipment fluids and routine maintenance. Equipment failures can and will cause injuries. Review and check equipment before use and at the end of use for potential problems.

Meeting Notes approved.

811 Day Event – Dragons Game August 5<sup>th</sup>.

- Planning meeting to discuss the event. June 20<sup>th</sup> Noon Miller Lane.

Locate Ticket Discussions

- Repeat tickets are bogging the system down. Call in work that is planned to be worked within the window of the ticket.
- Contractors – In particular, fiber contractors are calling in tickets using a third party and the tickets do not match the work being performed. Contractors at excavation locations are not checking the tickets to verify the locate matches the work. Contractors appear to be going through the motions of completing the tickets but do not follow through the process.
- Emergency Locate Tickets are being questioned by locators in certain situations.
  - Jody – There's no whining in locating!
- Discussions of locate ticket practices and when certain situations require tickets to be called again or if the scope of the ticket has changed.
- Project Pre-planning with OUPS
  - When we have a large project and a lot of tickets planning meetings including all parties are important.

Ticket Volume-

- May– Up 7.2% over last year. Busiest May ever! Year to Date up 11%. Up significantly from just 3 years ago. April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023, busiest day ever for 811.

Events -

- July 13-14<sup>th</sup> Eldora Speedway
- July 22-23<sup>rd</sup> Dayton Airshow
- Southwest Ohio Aug 11<sup>th</sup> – Golf Outing
- Trench Safety Standdown week June 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> National.
  - Jim to send daily emails detailing trench safety from United Rentals

Butler County Event – Creating excitement for 811 knowledge.