

“Miss Utility” of Delmarva

**UTILITIES SERVICE
PROTECTION CENTER OF
DELMARVA, INC**

Minutes of the July 19, 2018 Membership Meeting

• Call to Order and Introductions

- Treasurer Eric Cimo opened the regular membership meeting at Sharp Energy at 22945 W. Piney Grove Rd. Georgetown De. 19947
- Mission Statement: Our mission is to assist excavators, facility owners, and the public in the prevention of underground damages, service outages, personal injury, and their associated repercussions, through education and the promotion of the One Call System.
- 20 members were present.
- Those present gave the customary introductions.
- Rick Lewis made a motion to approve minutes as amended, Rick Majors seconded, unanimously approved by the members.

2. Presentation- Power Point: Impaired Driving Lecture

- Steve Farkas gave a presentation on impaired driving and that the State Police will be ramping up patrols to get the impaired driver off the road. Lecture was very informative and there was numerous questions asked and answers.

3. Excavator Concerns

- **None**

4. Facility Owner Concerns

- Eastern Shore Natural Gas came to ask if we could get some help with Verizon, apparently they are getting leaks on there high Pressure mains because of bonding and ground issues with abandoned Verizon facilities. The grounds are not being maintained and they are going to ground on there facilities Causing section of main to have to be replaced. All agreed that this could be very dangerous, and we made a suggestion that they go to PSC and or the Attorney Generals office for help.
- **General Locate Issues**
 - Contractor for Mediacom, West Shore Group, had complaints about 48 hour delays. After some discussion it we found out he wasn't getting the emails from OCC because he was not point of contact on tickets.
- **Public Awareness**
 - 811 5K is set for 8-11-18 with proceeds to benefit Construction Angels, a non-profit group that aids families of construction workers killed in the performance of their job.
 - We have 6 confirmed sponsors for the 5K and hopefully more to come.

Committee Reports

- None
- **Old Business**

Law Change was passed. All damages over \$3,000.00 will be reported to PSC within 15 days or ASAP.
- **New Business**
- **None**
- GCDPTC (Greater Chesapeake Damage Prevention Training Conference): 10th annual event is scheduled for October 23 – 26, 2018. There will be a new sponsorship- Diamond. A coffee sponsorship and an exhibitor refreshment sponsorship are also

available. A new cooking class will be added this year. The Keynote speaker topic is effective communication.

Attendance:

Last Name	First Name	Title	Company	Phone Number	Email Address
Burns	Mike	Manager	Utiliquest	443-786-7994	mike.burns@utiliquest.com
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Simmons	Brian	General Manager	One Call Concepts	732-796-3949	bsimmons@occinc.com
Sverduk	Leroy	DE Elec. Coop.	Systems Engineer	302-632-8744	Lsverduk@decoop.com
Thielmann	John	Safety	Sharp Energy	302-316-7000	jthielmann@chpk.com
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UpcomingEvents:

Date	Venue	Address	Time
08-16-2018	Town of Smyrna	220 Artisean Dr.Smyrna De.	8:30 am

Date	Venue	Address	Time
09-20-2018	DelDot Admin. Bldg.	800 S. Bay Rd. Dover DE. 19901	8:30 am