

Meeting Minutes Metropolitan Utility Coordinating Council



MUCC, C/O Trevor Voris, Washington County, 1400 SW Walnut St., MS18 Hillsboro, OR 97123

November 19th, 2014

The next meeting is on Wednesday, January 28th, 2015

At Francis Xavier's Restaurant, 1933 NE 181st St, Gresham

(Ctrl +Click mouse on link for Map Directions & Menu)

October meeting called to order by President Adam Franco at 11:35 am

ATTENDEES: See attached listing.

REPORTS FOR: October 22nd, 2014 MEETING

President's report:

Adam reviewed the September locate statistics. Volume was up 11.83% in September and Year to date the volume is up 7.80%.

Adam provided a recap of the OCC Tech Meeting which was hosted during the first week of October. Adam reviewed the new technologies that will be available in the coming months including ITIC Mobile and a file upload feature in ITIC.

Treasurer's Report:

Visa M Bank Payments / Purchases / Income: **Beginning Balance** \$ 4428.23 No transactions this month

Ending Balance \$ 4428.23

As a non-profit organization, all monies collected go for supplies/events to educate the public about 811! Our ending balance (all accounts) must be under \$5,000 at the end of the year or we will have to pay taxes.

Damage Report: See attached. Don't forget to submit your reports if you are behind!

Be sure to report your damages by the 20th of each month! You can still go back and report for past months: this year. We need at least five (5) entities reporting monthly to receive funding from the OUNC each year.

The Common Ground Alliance (CGA) encourages the use of their Damage Information Reporting Tool (DIRT). You can check this out at www.cga-dirt.com

NOTE: We would like to see all who call for locates and do construction within the Tri-County area submit reports. It only takes minutes!!

The OUNC Board is putting together a new committee for Damage Reporting. They will meet either July 25th or August 1st from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Century Link at 1762 W 2nd Ave, Eugene OR. They are going to use a virtual DIRT reporting system. Currently, reporting damages is voluntary. At this first meeting, they will identify who will be the head administrator (who will grant permissions for use) and which fields are needed in reporting.

P&E Report (Publicity and Education):

P&E General: Send your ideas to Don Patterson (click here) and Trevor Voris (click here)

P&E New:

Troy is working on the equestrian team sponsorship idea.

OUNC merchandise website should go live in Nov.

811 signs are now in production.

OUNC working on Timbers partnership & Civil War on 29th.

OCC has a design team that can help out with a lot of graphics, ideas, etc.

Need to have a good plan of what we want for next year so we can ask OUCC for funding. Need to request in

November.

Bryan mentioned a place where we can get shirts for \$5.25 each

P&E Old:

Don Patterson will no longer be able to hold position as P&E Chair. There are some people that may work as good replacements.

Troy continuing to work on Equestrian sponsorship.

Need to get funding request in to OUCC before end of year. Need to work on ideas!!!

811 CAMPAIGN:

Promote using "811" before using the 800 number. The 800 number is still in use as 811 is not available in some areas or the calls are routed to other states.

For details on the 811 Damage Prevention Bike go to: http://designbyjoyce.com/pauljr/811_bike.html

Local Home Depot's are promoting 811. If you do not see the 811 info, ask at the Contractors desk. In Oregon, the stores will carry Key Chains for all equipment and color code cards. The "Associates" who will be trained to answer questions will have patches on their aprons.

You may go to www.call811.com website for more information.

Upcoming Events / Meetings:

Meetings:

OUNC/OUCC BOARD MEETINGS: The second Wednesday of every month. See their website for more information on upcoming meetings. http://www.digsafelyoregon.com/meetings.asp

MUCC MEETINGS: The fourth Wednesday of every month (except November and December). See the schedule near the end of the minutes for each monthly meeting date. The location is **Francis Xavier's Restaurant**, **1933 NE 181st St, Gresham**.

Upcoming Events for 2014/2015:

2014 OUNC at Civil War: November 29th

2015 STARLIGHT PARADE: May/June 2015

2015 SHERWOOD CAR SHOW: Around May/June 2015

2015 FISHING DERBY: June 27th,2015, the Saturday after Fathers Day, to be held at Hagg Lake, at 50250 SW Scoggins Valley Rd, Gaston, OR (503) 846-8715

2015 - MUCC'S 11th ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT: Friday, July 17th, 2015 7:30 Shotgun start, Stone Creek Golf Course, Oregon City (Flyer will be available around April 2015.)

OLD BUSINESS:

Four of the UCC's will come together to put together a Contractors Training session to take place at NW Natural in Sherwood in September. The date is not set as yet.

NEW BUSINESS:

Nominations in--- Secretary Ted. VP/Treasurer--- Troy. Pres--- Adam. Damage--- Dawn P&E--- **open**

REMINDER...

Send your current and/or upcoming projects to <u>Trevor Voris (click here)</u> and they will be attached to the Minutes e-mail so everyone will know where projects are currently in progress or will soon be starting and your company can schedule accordingly. Clackamas River Water has a big project coming that will last for a number of months. It will be added to the e-mails when it is received.

Remember – CCC – Communicate, Coordinate, And Cooperate!

<u>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</u>: As you have read, there are a variety of opportunities for all to volunteer and help spread the word of our Call before You Dig message. We are hoping to have our booth at more local events this coming year and we need your help to staff the booth for a couple of hours. These are great opportunities to network and get to know each other better. Take advantage of these opportunities and make new friends. If you are able, make yourself available to be on a committee or to volunteer on any of the upcoming projects and events these next couple of years. This is what this Council is all about and how we strive to be excellent!

Thank you for your time and for helping to spread the word and educate the public to Dig Safely!

Oregon Utility Notification Center

Oregon Utility Coordinating Council www.oucc.net

www.digsafelyoregon.com

Check out the websites for info on the Oregon Dig Law, upcoming events and on your local Council(s). Check out the new changes to the website!

Also available: see information on Best Practices at www.commongroundalliance.com

The next meeting: Date: January 28th, 2015, at 11:30am

Location: Francis Xavier's Restaurant, 1933 NE 181st St, Gresham

The 2015 schedule is the 4th Wednesday of each month.

November is the week <u>before</u> Thanksgiving and there is no meeting in December.

January 28th February 25th March 25th April 29th May 27th June 24th July 22nd August 26th

September 23rd October 28th November 18th Dec - No meeting

2014 MUCC PAID MEMBERS

As of 6-16-14

Advantage Drilling
Bones Construction
City of Beaverton
City of Gresham
City of Happy Valley
City of Hillsboro
City of Lake Oswego
City of Milwaukie
City of Oregon City
City of Sandy
City of Tigard
City of Troutdale
City of West Linn

NW Earthmovers Inc
NW Natural
ODOT
Old Castle Precast
Olympic Pipeline Co.
Pacificorp
Port of Portland
Portland General Electric
Robinson Brothers Const.
Tualatin valley Water District
Washington County
Williams Pipeline

2014 MUCC Executive Board

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PUBLICITY & EDUCATION: OPEN

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Meeting Adjourned at: 12:15 pm Respectfully submitted by Trevor Voris