



## Protecting you, your employees and the public

Ensuring the safety of the public and the communities we serve is essential. NIPSCO wants to be sure you and those you may employ know how to work safely around overhead and underground utilities.

As someone who may work near our energy systems or employs those who may work near them, we are proud to provide you with a sample, condensed version of our Worker Beware® safety poster and visor card (attached).

We also want to offer you and your employees our comprehensive worker safety education program – FREE.

Whether working indoors or outside, using handheld tools, light or heavy equipment, it's critical that every worker know the requirements, guidelines and techniques for working safely around underground and overhead utilities – critical for themselves, their business and the public.

Our no-cost worker safety education program can help you reduce the risk of utility contacts within your organization, which could include:

- Injury or death
- Job cost overruns
- Lawsuits and property damage
- Clean-up costs and worker days lost
- Higher insurance premiums
- OSHA fines and increased workers' compensation

Research indicates that safety training programs can help reduce injuries, fatalities and the costs associated with them, such as workers' compensation and lost production time, as well as the paperwork, investigation and fines associated with incidents.

Please review our program, then order the training materials to incorporate them into your organization's regular training program. Thank you for your commitment to safety!

Sincerely,

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## THINK YOU SMELL NATURAL GAS?



WHAT YOU'RE  
DOING



THE AREA  
IMMEDIATELY



911 &  
NIPSCO