

2022 MIDWEST DAMAGE PREVENTION TRAINING CONFERENCE



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★ **NOVEMBER 9-11, 2022** ★

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★ CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE ★

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9

9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Golf Tournament at Donald Ross Course, French Lick Resort (Shotgun start at 10:00 a.m.), sponsored by Duke Energy
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon	Clay Pigeon Shooting at Sporting Clays Range at the West Baden Stables, sponsored by US Hydrovac Inc.
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon	Horseback Riding at The Stables, French Lick Resort, sponsored by Indiana Michigan Power
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12:00 noon	Lunch for Clay Pigeon Shooting and Horseback Riding attendees at West Baden
1:30 – 4:00 p.m.	Exhibitor Registration and Setup — <i>Hoosier Business Center and Exhibit Hall</i>
2:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Scholarship Sweets (Scholarship Attendees Orientation/Meet & Greet/Reception) — <i>Windsor C</i>
2:00 – 7:30 p.m.	General Conference Registration — <i>Hoosier Business Center</i>
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Indiana 811 Annual Meeting — <i>Windsor A</i>
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.	Wild West Welcome Reception — <i>Exhibit Hall</i>

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Continued Conference Registration — <i>Hoosier Business Center</i>
7:30 – 8:30 a.m.	Opening Breakfast, sponsored by Citizens Energy Group — <i>Hoosier Ballroom</i>
8:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Welcome and Keynote Speaker, Dr. Damon Friedman — <i>Hoosier Ballroom</i>
9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Exhibit Hall open — <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
10:10 – 11:00 a.m.	SESSION BLOCK 1 — <i>Various Rooms (Windsor/Clifton)</i>
11:10 a.m. – 12:00 noon	SESSION BLOCK 2 — <i>Various Rooms (Windsor/Clifton)</i>
12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch, sponsored by Miller Pipeline — <i>Hoosier Ballroom</i>
12:30 – 1:45 p.m.	Featured Speaker, Colonel Mike Mullane, sponsored by CenterPoint Energy — <i>Hoosier Ballroom</i>
2:00 – 2:50 p.m.	SESSION BLOCK 3 — <i>Various Rooms (Windsor/Clifton)</i>
3:00 – 3:50 p.m.	SESSION BLOCK 4 — <i>Various Rooms (Windsor/Clifton)</i>
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Door Prize Reception in Exhibit Hall & refreshments, sponsored by BOSS Solutions — <i>Exhibit Hall</i>
5:00 – 5:30 p.m.	Exhibit Hall closes

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

8:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Continued Conference Registration — <i>Hoosier Business Center</i>
8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	Breakfast, sponsored by 4iQ Solutions, LLC — <i>Hoosier Ballroom</i>
9:40 – 10:30 a.m.	SESSION BLOCK 5 — <i>Various Rooms</i>
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Room checkout/break
11:00 – 11:30 a.m.	Ten Years on the Range: MWDPTC Quiz Show! Sponsored by Indiana 811 — <i>Hoosier Ballroom</i>

★ REGISTRATION NOTES ★

Registration Hours

Wednesday, 2 – 7:30 p.m.; Thursday, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.; and Friday, 8 – 11 a.m.

Exhibitor Registration and Setup

Wednesday, 1:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Exhibitor Breakdown Hours

Thursday, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

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★ WELCOME BACK ★ TO THE 2022 MIDWEST DAMAGE PREVENTION TRAINING CONFERENCE



Welcome to the 10th Annual Midwest Damage Prevention Training Conference! We are thrilled that you are joining us back at the historic French Lick Resort for another great year, as we gather to exchange knowledge in our shared effort to prevent damage to underground facilities in Indiana and beyond.

This year, we are celebrating the MWDPTC's 10th anniversary, marking the momentous occasion with a special Old West theme and a custom tagline — **Ten Years on the Range**. We are so appreciative of the sponsors, exhibitors and attendees who have made the MWDPTC a reality this past decade!

The MWDPTC fun will begin on Wednesday, Nov. 9 at the Wild West Welcome Reception, where you will get the chance to connect with fellow industry professionals as you peruse the bustling Exhibit Hall, featuring a diverse array of companies and organizations eager to present the latest and greatest products and services in damage prevention. We look forward to seeing all of the festive western wear at the Best Dressed in the West Costume Contest! Exhibitors are also encouraged to participate in the booth decorating contest, where they can display their creative, authentic western decor for prizes and bragging rights.

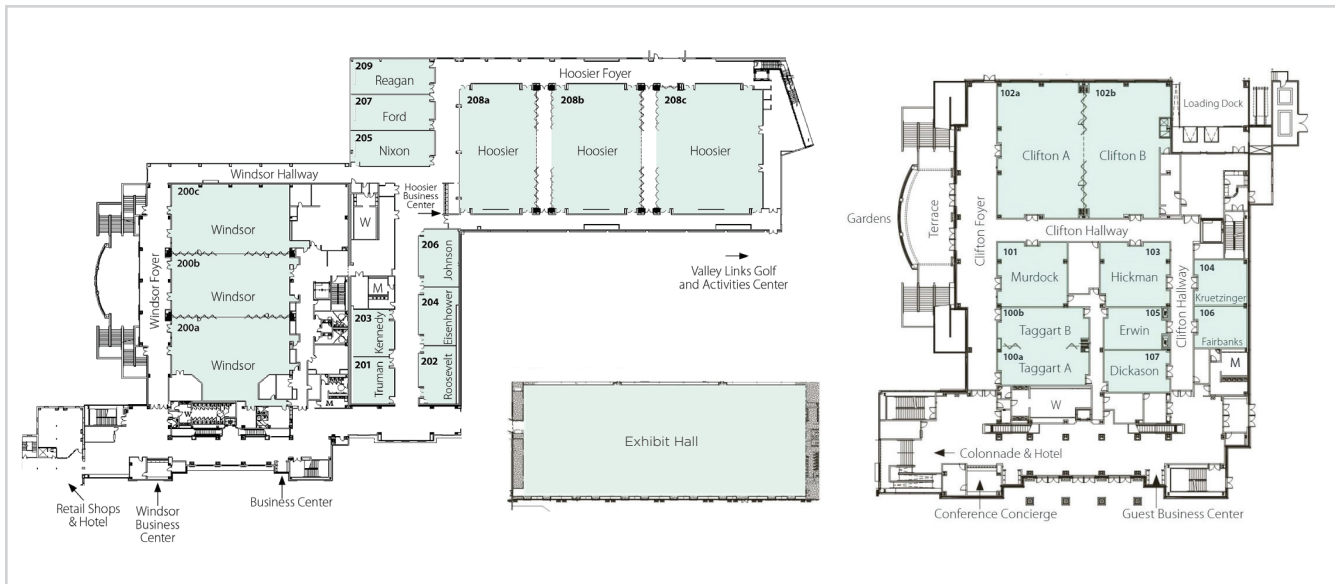
Thursday, Nov. 10, is a full day of educational content suited for every stakeholder group. This year's keynote speaker is highly decorated special operations military veteran and electrifying personal empowerment expert Dr. Damon Friedman. Following Dr. Friedman's keynote address, join us for a stellar lineup of sessions. We have more than ever for you to choose from this year! During our lunch on Thursday, you won't want to miss our featured speaker, astronaut, military veteran and author Colonel Mike Mullane, who will share his expertise on teamwork, leadership and safety during his "Countdown to Teamwork" presentation.

We hope you thoroughly enjoy all the 2022 MWDPTC has to offer! Please continue reading for a comprehensive overview of this year's conference, including a detailed schedule, description of educational sessions, list of our phenomenal speakers and information about our 2022 sponsors and exhibitors.

Thank you for your continued support and dedication to damage prevention and safety throughout the years!

Safe digging,

The 2022 MWDPTC Planning Team



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Hoosier Ballroom

8:30 – 9:45 a.m. Welcome and Keynote Speaker, **Dr. Damon Friedman**
Hoosier Ballroom

Dr. Friedman is a world-renowned speaker with expertise in motivation, leadership, and team building. He is a combat-decorated veteran who served four combat deployments to Iraq and Afghanistan in support of the Global War on Terrorism. Originally a U.S. Marine Corps officer, Damon transferred into the Air Force's Elite as a Special Tactics Officer (a.k.a. Combat Controller) and a leader in special operations. His decorations include three Bronze Stars (one with Valor) and the Air Force Combat Action Medal.

In 2011, Dr. Friedman established SOF Missions, aiming to raise awareness of the veteran suicide epidemic and provide a solution through customized holistic treatment plans that help warriors and their families deal with the scars of war. In 2018, Dr. Friedman received the Spirit of Hope Award by the Secretary of Defense, which recognized his national efforts to help the veteran community. Additionally, Dr. Friedman is the Executive Producer of "Surrender Only to ONE," a multi-award-winning film which follows the true-life stories of elite combat warriors in U.S. special operations forces and reveals the implications of combat and the lasting effects our veterans struggle to overcome, and is also the author of a new book "Igniting Movements."

Dr. Friedman holds a Doctorate in Intercultural Studies from Fuller Theological Seminary and is currently pursuing Executive Education in Public Leadership at Harvard University.

Described as "electrifying," Dr. Damon Friedman holds nothing back as he speaks about his life's challenges. Damon conveys the hard lessons he learned raised in the streets of downtown Los Angeles, how he was able to persevere through some of the fiercest combat in Iraq and Afghanistan, and finally, the events that led to a life-changing experience. Damon's moment of clarity altered the trajectory of his life and revealed his ultimate mission. Shared with passion and intensity, Damon's testimony is one that listeners have praised as gripping, powerful and heartfelt. He will kick off the conference with his powerful message of how to RECOGNIZE your purpose, find YOUR superpower and change the world for good. Visit the MWDPTC website to learn more about Dr. Friedman.

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**Exclusively for pre-registered attendees*

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“Good Dirt” Trenching and Excavation Safety – Windsor A

Trenching and excavation fatalities are on the rise. In the first six months of 2022 alone, 22 workers have been killed in trenching and excavation work. OSHA continues to lead a nationwide emphasis program related to excavations. It is imperative that all employers engaged in trenching and excavation activities understand the OSHA regulations and ensure that all required protections are in place prior to employees entering trenches. This session will discuss soil mechanics and how to properly classify soils in accordance with OSHA regulations, the various types of protective systems, and other specific requirements of the OSHA excavation standard.

Presenter: Bryan Thais, Safety Consultant, INSafe Division/ Indiana Dept. of Labor

OR

Pro Tips For Exactix Pros – Windsor B

Does it sometimes feel like excavators and locators are speaking different languages? Do you lie awake at night wondering how to better communicate your locating needs? Join the Indiana 811 Web Training Team as they answer these questions and many more!

Indiana 811 Web Training Specialists Kristin and Ben will use their combined 22 years of ticket creation experience at Indiana 811 to perform skits that highlight common misconceptions of online ticket creation and examine the difficulties in communicating between various stakeholders in the Damage Prevention industry. The presentation will teach simple additions and tweaks that can greatly reduce confusion when creating a ticket, which may increase the speed of locator response. Attendees will also learn about some of the lesser known Exactix developments that could improve the efficiency of your team. Come build a better ticket with 811!

Presenters: Kristin Swank and Ben Lievertz, Web Training Specialists/Indiana 811

OR

Utility Data Collection Matters – Windsor C

Utility damages during construction continue to be a source of frustration for utility owners, contractors and project owners. This session will dive into the specifics of how on transportation projects, utilities may be required to relocate and often do so prior to the contractor beginning the project. Contractors work from plans showing the existing utilities on the plan sheets and have as-planned relocation drawings provided with contract documents. After the utilities relocate their facilities, those plans, or as-planned relocation drawings are no longer accurate. Attendees will gain a better understanding of how and why data collection during utility relocations or new installations is critical to provide the contractor with accurate utility location information.

Presenter: Natalie Parks, Lead Utility and Railroad Coordinator/USI Consultants, Inc.

OR

Damage Prevention The Chicago Way – Clifton

The Chicago Department of Transportation (CDOT) developed a workflow that brought planning, permitting, one call and enforcement under one roof. In this “Damage Prevention the Chicago Way” presentation, Matthew Peterson will explain how CDOT built the workflow and how it promotes damage prevention. Excavators, one call centers, public works departments and utility owners are sure to benefit from this presentation!

Presenter: Matthew Peterson, Assistant Commissioner/Chicago Department of Transportation, Division of Infrastructure Management



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CGA National Damage Prevention Update – Windsor A

As the national landscape of construction is poised for continued growth, learn about the tools, resources and data analysis that the Common Ground Alliance produces to help keep Indiana communities safe and connected. Latest findings from the most recent DIRT Report, an update on the Next Practices Initiative, as well as an update on the new 811 digital campaigns will be discussed during this informative session.

Presenter: Khrysanne Kerr, Vice President, Marketing & Outreach/ Common Ground Alliance

OR

The Human Side Of Cybersecurity – Windsor B

With more than 80 percent of cyber-attacks coming from the human side of companies, it is important that we explore how we move cybersecurity from the IT division to every employee who has a keyboard or tablet. During this session, learn what every employee can do to protect our critical infrastructure and themselves. Moreover, learn what managers can do to help reinforce the importance of cybersecurity through small moves that have a lasting impact.

Presenter: Chetrice L. Mosley-Romero, Cybersecurity Program Director, State of Indiana

OR

There’s \$1,000,000 Waiting For Your Ideas – Come Find Out What’s Possible! – Windsor C

There’s \$1,000,000 waiting for your ideas – come find out what’s possible! The sky is the limit for Damage Prevention education in the state of Indiana. Attendees of this session will learn about the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission’s Underground Plant Protection Account (UPPA) grant program and how to submit a grant request to maximize the chances of approval. The session will cover what information needs to be included in a grant request, what kinds of grants have been paid in the past and timelines for payment. Additionally, the session will answer your questions about the types of grants that could be covered in the future. Grant requests have never been easier!

Presenter: Darby Reagan Miller, UPPA Fund Manager/ Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission

OR

Benefits Of Utilizing CCTV For Utility Locates – Clifton

In today’s utility world, there are many different types of projects that benefit from the implementation of closed-circuit television (CCTV) surveillance, including new construction, additions to buildings, and even trenchless technology construction such as directional drilling. This session will cover how CCTV cameras can assist in finding additional facilities at job sites, such as storm and sanitary sewer lines, and the potential hazards that can occur due to inaccurate sewer locates. Attendees will walk away with an understanding of how using CCTV is the most accurate way to investigate current structures, pipes and lines, so they can be avoided during current construction.

Presenters: Jake Mason, President of Mason Private Locating; Larry Oliver, Vice President/Mason Private Locating; Eric Mandery, Project Manager/Mason Private Locating



12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m. Lunch, sponsored by **Miller Pipeline**

12:30 – 1:45 p.m. **Featured Speaker, Colonel Mike Mullane, sponsored by CenterPoint Energy**
Hoosier Ballroom
Colonel Mullane is a dynamic speaker who will share his expertise in teamwork, leadership and safety through his presentation “Countdown to Teamwork,” in which he uses real-life situations such as the Challenger tragedy to discuss the importance of normalization of deviance.

Upon his graduation from West Point in 1967, Colonel Mullane was commissioned in the United States Air Force. As a Weapon Systems Operator aboard Phantom aircraft, he completed 134 combat missions in Vietnam. He was selected as a Mission Specialist in 1978 in the first group of Space Shuttle Astronauts and completed three space missions aboard the Shuttles “Discovery” and “Atlantis” before retiring from NASA and the Air Force in 1990.

Colonel Mullane is sure to educate, entertain, inspire and thrill our conference audience just as he has done for tens of thousands of people before.

2:00 – 2:50 p.m. SESSION BLOCK 3

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PSMS – Safety Culture And Safety Culture Indicators – Windsor A
Pipeline Safety Management Systems (PSMS) programs focus on risk management, including risk identification, prevention and mitigation, as well as the promotion of positive safety cultures, and an environment that encourages the recognition of lessons learned and continuous improvement. This session will focus on the numerous positive and negative safety culture indicators and why it is important to bring facility operators and contractors together. Additionally, attendees will learn how the safety culture indicators tie into risk management, stakeholder engagement, operational controls and more.

Presenters: Steve Allen, Executive Director of Pipeline Safety/Energy Worldnet; Kelsey Klingler, Director of Safety and Compliance/Energy Worldnet

OR

Are You Stuck? Understanding The Biology Behind Organizational Change – Windsor B

As we enter the post-pandemic workplace, the basic requirement of an agile workforce ready for change is more critical than ever before. However, change can be difficult. Each time an organization goes through any sort of change, some individuals/groups will gladly leap forward with enthusiastic anticipation and others will seem to be wearily burdened by the very notion.

Within the workplace, the latter is often labeled as resistance. Resistance that some colleagues and business leaders characterize as irrational or based on a lack of understanding. Other “experts” will even tell us that the reason we struggle against change is that all the change we see makes us exhausted. But it is not resistance, and it is not exhaustion that makes us resist change. Quite simply, we get “stuck” because our brains get attached to the way things are today. Attendees will walk away from this session with an understanding of how to get “unstuck.”

Presenter: Dr. Victoria Grady, Associate Professor of Organizational Behavior, Director of MSM Graduate Programs/George Mason University

OR

Hit Kits: Your Tool To Document A Damage – Windsor C

During this session, panelists Chris Thome from Rhino Marking and Protection, Aaron Holeman from the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission and Joe Jonas from HRP Construction will share an overview to help with the use of Rhino Hit Kits from the perspective of the manufacturer, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission and the Excavation Community. They'll touch on several aspects, including the advantages of using the product and best practices for documenting the work site before excavation begins in case a damage occurs, as this documentation is critical in a response to the IURC should a pipeline damage occur. Finally, attendees will learn the job site preparation steps a company should take before excavation, including what HRP Construction directs their employees to do in the event that damage to a facility occurs.

Presenters: Aaron Holeman, Senior Pipeline Safety Engineer, Pipeline Safety Division/Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission; Joe Jonas, Project Manager, Utility Damage Prevention Specialist, Estimator/HRP Construction Inc.; Chris Thome, Damage Prevention Consultant/Rhino Marking and Protection Systems

OR

Have We “Peaked” Damage Prevention In Our Industry? – Clifton

History has shown that our underground community has made significant strides in lowering utility line strikes through communication and working together, as well as educating the communities we serve. This panel presentation with audience participation will review the history of Electromagnetic Locating & Technologies, in addition to data and milestones in the reduction of utility hits. The question is plain and simple: Have we done all we can with the resources we have? The panel will conduct a deep dive to see if we have peaked, and if so, why?

The session will also address these critical questions: Are we in a comfort zone and unwilling to look at total damage prevention cost through technology at the end of the day? Why are we using 110-year-old technology and 40-year-old systems/processes in our business? Explore all of this and more during this panel discussion that challenges the status quo.

Presenters: Denise Elliott, Business Development/3M Company; Jemmie Wang, Partner/BizMetrix, LLC

3:00 – 3:50 p.m. SESSION BLOCK 4

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Utility Defenders: A New Approach To Children’s Damage Prevention Education – Windsor A

Everybody loves a hero, especially kids. Session attendees will learn about UTILITY DEFENDERS, which are utility damage prevention heroes. Experience the newest approach to children’s education regarding underground utility awareness, safety, and damage prevention efforts. These “groundbreaking” fictional team superheroes representing gas, electric, communications, water and sewer provide an opportunity for children ages three to nine years old to better understand and recognize the utilities that service their homes and neighborhoods using a variety of awareness methods.

The Utility Defender content will help children learn about their communities’ utility infrastructure, be empowered to talk to adults about safe digging and contacting 811 before any digging project, understand how to “guard their yard” by being familiar with utility markings, become aware of future careers in construction, engineering and other damage prevention related trades, and understand the APWA color code system utilized nationally. Having tools to reach the next generation is critical to our mission of shared responsibility.

Presenter: Dora Parks, Program Presenter/Utility Defenders

OR



Mark Stowe And 811 Outdoors: A Damage Prevention Story – Windsor B
Mark Stowe is a veteran 811 ambassador who has been promoting the 811 Before You Dig Message for over 17 years. His background as a successful landscape contractor and his love of the outdoors creates the perfect platform for him to engage with the diggers of America about why damage prevention is so important. Mark is a professional bass fisherman and hosts the popular adventure-travel fishing television series The Direction, now in its 4th season, and recently formed a partnership with Mossy Oak, a premier outdoor lifestyle company and media group. The Direction presented by 811 Outdoors now delivers the 811 Before You Dig Message to millions of television viewers through its various distribution channels. Mark will regale his audience with his story, his passion, and how his love for the 811 Message has helped shape the trajectory of his personal and professional life.

Presenter: Mark Stowe, Owner/811 Outdoors Marketing and Production Company and Host/The Direction TV

OR

Lone Worker Safety – Windsor C
Get ready to hear a life altering story from a natural gas employee who lived through a terrifying scenario. His story has prompted many companies and industries to take a deeper look at what is being done to ensure the safety of their employees. Session attendees will learn more about Lone Worker Safety, as well as available technology and products that CenterPoint Energy and NiSource have taken a deeper look into to help mitigate this problem. Lone Worker technology has come a long way over the years, and the panelists of this session will highlight some of the steps taken thus far to ensure all workers have the proper tools to remain safe while on the job.

Presenters: Rob Dorsey, Regional Manager/NIPSCO; Darrin Poore, Gas Specialist/CenterPoint Energy; Tyler Walker, Safety Specialist/CenterPoint Energy

OR

Subconscious Sabotage – Clifton
Did you know we are often responsible for standing in our own way? We might not even realize it! This presentation covers how we subconsciously stop ourselves from being successful. Attendees will be given important tools to not only stop this from happening, but also to create the opposite effect, known as subconscious success.

Presenter: John Brix, International Safety Speaker

4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Exhibit Hall
Door Prize Reception in Exhibit Hall & refreshments sponsored by **BOSS Solutions**

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8:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Hoosier Business Center
Continued Conference Registration

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.
Hoosier Ballroom
Breakfast, sponsored by **4iQ Solutions, LLC**

9:40 – 10:30 a.m.

SESSION BLOCK 5

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Subsurface Utility Engineering Updates – Windsor A
Wondering what’s going on in the world of subsurface utilities? During this session, Dr. Iseley will describe the importance and the development of standard guidelines that permit the identification and assessment of risks associated with the location and depiction of underground utilities during design. Attendees will hear an update on what is required at the state level in selected states, in addition to the status of national certification programs being developed.

Presenter: Dr. Tom Iseley, Professor of Engineering Practice, Beavers Heavy Construction Distinguished Fellow, Construction Engineering and Management/Purdue University

OR

Education And Outreach To You For You – Windsor B
Indiana 811’s Education & Outreach Team plays a crucial role in the never-ending quest to promote safe digging and damage prevention. Attendees will learn about the team’s daily efforts to keep you and your crews safe. This session will also address frequently asked questions and best practices from various stakeholder groups, while also highlighting the team’s public awareness efforts through the Indiana Pipeline Awareness Association (INPAA). Attendees will walk away with a better understanding of how everyone plays a part in keeping our industry safe.

Presenters: Lauryn Luckey, Education and Outreach Manager/Indiana 811; Mason Hubner, Education and Outreach Specialist/Indiana 811; Maddie McCaughey, INPAA Program Manager; Johnna Bingham, Education and Outreach Specialist/Indiana 811

OR

Eyes Wide Open – Clifton
It’s no secret that safety and success go hand in hand. This session will delve into how to train and manage new and young workers to make them not only safer, but much more successful. Ultimately, this leads to employee loyalty, increased worker satisfaction and greater productivity. Not to mention, as the global community has faced unprecedented challenges in recent years, we have seen the importance of keeping our eyes open to what is going on elsewhere, since we are truly all connected. John will discuss how there has never been a better time to embrace remote work capability in your organization and learn the tools that allow for properly managed communication and team building remotely.

Presenter: John Brix, International Safety Speaker

11:00 – 11:30 a.m.
Hoosier Ballroom

Ten Years on the Range: MWDPTC Quiz Show!
It always pays to stay until the end of the MWDPTC, and this year is no exception! Join us for a lively game of the MWDPTC Quiz Show! conducted on the big screen through the Kahoot.com interactive online gaming platform. Multiple choice questions will include general damage prevention topics and the Indiana Dig Law, topics inspired by this year’s conference theme, the Old West, and MWDPTC history. Be sure to bring an internet connected device — smartphone, tablet or laptop — to participate in the game.

Presenter: Indiana 811



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811 Outdoors

For almost 20 years, the goal of 811 Outdoors has been to take the damage prevention message to outdoor audiences around the country. "The Direction" presented by 811 Outdoors now delivers the 811-before-you-dig message to more than 40 million television viewers through its various distribution channels, including via its recent partnership with Mossy Oak. 811 Outdoors is the brainchild of professional bass fisherman and 811 ambassador extraordinaire Mark Stowe.

www.thedirectiontv.com

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BOSS Solutions

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www.countrysmark.com

Duke Energy

Duke Energy Indiana, a subsidiary of Duke Energy, provides about 6,600 megawatts of owned electric capacity to approximately 840,000 customers in a 23,000-square-mile service area, making it Indiana's largest electric supplier. www.duke-energy.com

Eco Infrastructure

Eco Infrastructure Solutions is a sales and service solutions company. We are equipped to solve most maintenance issues with our eco-friendly methods. Please see our website at www.ecoinfrastrucutre.et for more details. www.ecoinfrastrucutre.et

Five Star Energy Services

Five Star Energy Services is dedicated to providing turnkey utility construction services that are founded on safety, quality and efficiency. We pride ourselves on being a value-added contractor that can adapt quickly and effectively to our customers' needs. We specialize in the installation of fiber and communications, gas and electric, sewer camera inspection, and sewer and water construction.

www.fivestarenergyservices.com

Fusion Safety

Fusion Safety provides OSHA compliance services. These services include written procedures and programs, site and facility audits, EHS management for companies of all sizes, confined space standby/rescue teams and air monitoring. www.fusionsafety.com

GPRS

GPRS is the nation's largest company specializing in the detection of underground utilities, CCTV video pipe inspection, leak detection, 3D laser scanning and concrete scanning. GPRS helps our clients build accurate as-built maps by visualizing the built world. Our GPR scanning accuracy is above 99.8%, and we're in pursuit of 100% subsurface damage prevention. www.gp-radar.com

Graycor Industrial Constructors

As a leading contractor with roots dating back to the 1920s, Graycor Industrial Constructors has honed its capabilities to perform gas infrastructure work within utility stations, storage, and distribution and transmission gas pipelines. Our team handles a full complement of construction services, including balance-of-plant work for environmental, new generation, transmission and distribution, and alternative fuel plants. www.graycor.com

GridHawk

GridHawk is the premier provider for utility services, specializing in facility location, advanced locating, and watch and protest. At GridHawk, it is our mission to provide the highest quality service, while developing meaningful relationships with our clients to ensure the safety of the surrounding communities we serve to protect. Above and beyond! www.gridhawk.com

Groeber

Groeber is a strategic sourcing partner and manufacturers' representative, serving natural gas utilities and their contractors. We specialize in selling, stocking and advising on natural gas distribution products, from the pipeline to the meter. www.groeber.com

GroundBreakers

GroundBreakers is a 100% veteran- and woman-owned nondestructive hydro excavation, jetting and CCTV service company. Our mission is to lead the way and provide the best possible services to our customers. We deliver a partnership with our clients that builds trust and confidence through our safety controls and quality workmanship. www.groundbreakersllc.com

Indiana 811

Indiana 811 is a nonprofit corporation made up of member operators of underground facilities in Indiana, created to reduce the number of damages to buried utilities and promote safe digging and damage prevention education state-wide. Indiana 811 began operations on Oct. 5, 1981. On our first day, we took 142 locate requests. In 2021 we processed 1,580,621 locate requests and sent 9,944,094 transmissions to our members. Currently in its 10th year, the Midwest Damage Prevention Training Conference offers a premium, multi-day training and networking experience for industry stakeholders from across the Midwest and beyond. www.indiana811.org

Indiana, Illinois, Iowa Foundation for Fair Contracting

Indiana, Illinois, Iowa Foundation for Fair Contracting is a not-for-profit organization that tracks big public projects to help improve quality of work in the construction industry. www.iiifc.org

Indiana Michigan Power

Indiana Michigan Power (I&M), an electric utility company based in Fort Wayne, Ind., is one of seven operation companies that make up parent company American Electric Power (AEP) and its 11-state service territory. I&M serves approximately 587,000 residential, commercial and industrial customers, with 2,400 employees reporting out of four operating districts across northeast Indiana and southwest Michigan: Fort Wayne, Muncie and South Bend, Ind., and Benton Harbor, Mich. www.aep.com

Indiana Natural Gas

Indiana Natural Gas is the local gas company for many communities in southern Indiana, with offices in Paoli and Nashville. We are proud to provide natural gas service in French Lick, West Baden Springs and many other great towns in our service territories. www.indiananatural.com

Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC)

The Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) is a fact-finding body that hears evidence in cases filed before it and makes decisions based on the evidence presented in those cases. An advocate of neither the public nor the utilities, the IURC is required by state statute to make decisions that balance the interests of all parties to ensure the utilities provide adequate and reliable service at reasonable prices. www.in.gov/iurc

KorTerra

KorTerra is the leading provider of damage prevention software, protecting billions of dollars in underground infrastructure. For over 30 years, stakeholders in gas distribution, pipeline operation, telecommunications, electric distribution, contract locating, and local and state governments have trusted KorTerra to provide a reliable and powerful technology platform that enables efficiency and actionable insights for our clients, backed by expert, highly responsive support. www.korterra.com

MacAllister Machinery

MacAllister Machinery offers a wide variety of new and used equipment to cover any application, including hydro excavators, combination sewer cleaners and jetting trailers. We also offer a full line of parts and service for all makes and models of equipment. www.macallisterhydrovac.com

Marathon Pipe Line LLC

Marathon Pipe Line LLC (MPL) operates underground pipelines that transport crude oil, petroleum products and natural gas to and from terminals, refineries and other pipelines across the nation. Movement of these liquids and gas through pipelines is the safest method of transporting energy. MPL is committed to building and maintaining strong relationships with all of our stakeholders. www.marathonpipeline.com

Mason Private Locating, LLC

Mason Private Locating, LLC has quickly become one of the premier private utility locating companies in the Midwest by offering quality services, such as utility locating, concrete scanning, CCTV inspections, vacuum excavation and ground penetrating radar (GPR) at affordable rates. www.masonprivatelocating.com

Metronet

Metronet is the nation's largest, independently owned, 100% fiber-optic provider of internet, television and telephone services. Metronet started in 2005 with one fiber-optic network in Greencastle, Ind., and has since grown to serving and constructing networks in more than 120 communities across Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Florida, North Carolina, Virginia, Texas, Wisconsin and Missouri. www.metronet.com

Midwestern Engineers, Inc.

Midwestern Engineers, Inc. is a full-service civil engineering and consulting firm specializing in the design of water, wastewater and storm water systems. Midwestern also offers safety training, building design and electrical/mechanical engineering. www.midwesterneng.com

Midwest Natural Gas

Midwest Natural Gas is the local gas company for many communities in southern Indiana, including Scottsburg and Bloomfield where we have regional offices. We are headquartered in Washington, Ind. www.midwestnaturalgas.com

Miller Pipeline

Miller Pipeline provides a comprehensive range of pipeline contracting and rehabilitation services for natural gas, liquid, water and wastewater pipelines. www.millerpipeline.com

NIPSCO

Northern Indiana Public Service Company (NIPSCO), with headquarters in Merrillville, Ind., has proudly served the energy needs of northern Indiana for more than 100 years. As Indiana's largest natural gas distribution company and the state's second-largest electric distribution company, NIPSCO serves approximately 846,000 natural gas and 479,000 electric customers across 32 counties. NIPSCO is making a balanced, gradual transition to retire coal-generating units and replace them with lower-cost, cleaner energy sources – a plan we call Your Energy, Your Future. NIPSCO is part of NiSource's (NYSE: NI) six regulated utility companies. NiSource is one of the largest fully regulated utility companies in the U.S., serving approximately 4 million natural gas customers and 500,000 electric customers through its local Columbia Gas and NIPSCO brands. www.nipSCO.com

Northern Lights Locating and Inspection, Inc.

Northern Lights Locating and Inspection, Inc. specializes in cross bore prevention, and public and private locating. We also provide gas leak and fault detection, hydro vacuum services and watchdog applications. www.nolservices.com

NUCA of Indiana

NUCA of Indiana's mission is to define, establish and preserve the identity and common interest of the utility contracting industry; to promote better relations between members, governmental agencies, other associations, other contractors and suppliers; and to promote research for the utility contracting industry. www.nucaofindiana.com

OHIO811

OHIO811 is the communication link between those who own and operate underground facilities and those with the desire to excavate. Visit OHIO811.org. www.OHIO811.org

Ohio Valley Gas

Ohio Valley Gas was established in 1943 in Tell City, Ind., and has grown, via several acquisitions of existing utilities and numerous pipeline extensions, to serve 29,000 customers across 17 counties in Indiana and Ohio with both distribution and transmission gas systems. Ohio Valley Gas is an investor-owned public utility. www.ovgc.com

On The Spot Utility Resources, LLC

On The Spot Utility Resources, LLC proudly operates as a leading Women Business Enterprise in the utility locating industry. Our team's combined experience positions us as one of the leaders in damage prevention in the Midwest. Through our locating services, we're committed to protecting infrastructure and assets. Our work across industries has helped cities transform skylines and entrepreneurs break ground on future-shaping business ventures. www.otsutilities.com

Paradigm

Paradigm is the most trusted compliance service provider by the pipeline industry for over 20 years. With public safety as our foundation, we coordinate with pipeline operators, damage prevention specialists, emergency officials and excavators all over the nation to ensure that all parties are well informed and prepared for any situation. With a wide range of compliance services, Paradigm is the best equipped for your regulatory needs. www.pdigm.com

Rust-Oleum

Rust-Oleum offers value-added products for the utility locating and damage prevention industries. "Go The Distance" with Rust-Oleum's Industrial Choice Precision Line Marking Paint. www.rustoleum.com

SAM Companies

SAM Companies is the leading geospatial and construction services firm in the AEC industry. We are known for using the most innovative technology and advanced processes to deliver the highest quality field data and insights to infrastructure projects across the country. www.sam.biz

SAMCO Utility/Private Line Locating

SAMCO Utility/Private Line Locating provides high quality and on-time utility locates for both contract and private locating. SAMCO is continuing to grow the private locating side of the business and is providing cross bore mitigation with sewer lateral launch CCTV inspections. www.samcoprivalocates.com

Southern Cross

With over 75 years of experience, Southern Cross continues to provide reliable field services for our partners in all utilities: gas, electric, water and energy. From advanced damage prevention services including underground utility locates, high-risk excavation site inspections, utility location GPD, meter services, smart grid and leak survey, our data-driven approach makes each project a success. www.southerncrossinc.com

Stake Center Locating

Stake Center Locating is a utility locating powerhouse with extensive resources and decades of experience. Stake Center is a locating company you can trust to take responsibility for getting the job done right. No shortcuts. www.stakecenter.com

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Full line distributor of safety equipment. www.statesafety.com

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TRUVAC is a premium brand of vacuum excavator trucks and trailers designed specifically to satisfy the safe digging requirements of businesses and organizations that locate and verify underground utility lines and pipes. When it comes to quality, engineering, innovation and reliable service, no other vacuum excavators can match TRUVAC. For more information about our products and services please contact us. www.truvac.com

USDI

USDI is a full-service natural gas partner providing support to utilities, pipelines or master meter systems. We oversee operations and management, support your in-house team or help respond to emergencies. Our capabilities include engineering, construction and welding, odorization, GIS and OQ services to full operations. Discover why more than 500 customers across the Midwest have trusted our expertise since 1969. www.usdi.us

US Hydrovac Inc.

US Hydrovac Inc. is an underground utility services firm specializing in hydro excavation, jetting and camera inspection. www.ushydrovac.com

USIC

USIC is a leader in underground utility damage prevention. We perform more than 80,000,000 locates each year to protect our customers' infrastructure. Our dedicated expertise and the scope of our operations provide unmatched quality, efficiency, safety and cost savings for our customers. We also offer utility solutions for the installation, maintenance and repair of critical infrastructure and management of assets. www.usicllc.com

UtiliQuest LLC

UtiliQuest LLC is a reliable provider of damage prevention and infrastructure-related services across the U.S. We take pride in our ability to adhere to industry standard benchmarks focused on accuracy and on-time performance. The combination of advanced technology and skilled technicians drives our locate accuracy and reliability. We take an active approach identifying and implementing the latest technologies to protect underground infrastructure. Several key solutions enable UtiliQuest to process thousands of safe and accurate locates each day, making UtiliQuest a premier provider of professional facility locating services. www.utiliquest.com

Utility Defenders

Introducing the newest 811 heroes protecting our neighborhoods, families and friends: the UTILITY DEFENDERS, a team of fictional utility characters promoting utility safety awareness for children ages 3 to 8. You can be a hero by participating in this FREE children's educational initiative. Visit Dora the Dispatcher at her booth to learn more. Visit www.utility-defenders.com.

UtiLocate

UtiLocate is a complete 811/one call ticket management software that includes auto-emailing, auto-faxing, 360 response, office clears, full documentation, sketching, map corrections, image management, integrated text notification system, AI suggestions, mapping and an integrated app for mobile users. We continue to develop UtiLocate and improve the user experience so that you can record locates and manage them with ease. www.UtiLocate.com

Vivax-Metrotech

Established more than forty years ago, Metrotech Corp has been a leading provider of high-quality utility locating instrument solutions for underground utilities. Vivax-Metrotech was established in 2005 by a team experienced in the design, manufacture and sales of utility locators. Together, the combined companies' products are used by virtually every utility throughout the world. www.vivax-metrotech.com

Wessler Engineering

We are water resource experts committed to helping leaders make sure their water is safe, managed and future-proof. Wessler Engineering is a civil and environmental engineering firm specializing in wastewater, drinking water and stormwater projects providing services ranging from master planning and design to construction administration and asset management plans. Founded in 1975 and based in Indianapolis, we have offices in Carmel, Evansville, Hobart, Fort Wayne and West Lafayette, Ind., and Bluffton, Ohio. www.wesslerengineering.com

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