

## **PIPELINE SAFETY FOR EXCAVATORS**

#### SAFE DIGGING IS NO ACCIDENT. Always call 811 before you dig!



#### Know what's **below. Call** before you dig.

#### What is 811?

- A free nation-wide service
- Connects you to the appropriate one-call center
- Underground utilities are marked within 2-3 business days

#### Why call 811?

- Making a one-call before excavating is the law
- It's good business and can save you from fines and repair costs
- Excavating without knowing what's below is dangerous

## WHAT TO DO IN AN EMERGENCY

- Turn off equipment and move as far away from the leak as possible. (Move upwind if possible.)
- Avoid contact with escaping liquids and gases.
- **3.** Call 911.
- 4. Call the toll-free, 24-hour Enbridge emergency number at 888-650-8099.
- **5.** Follow instructions provided to you by Enbridge and local emergency responders.
  - Do not touch any liquid or vapor that may have come from the pipeline.
  - Do not drive into the area or start your car.
  - Do not light a match.
  - Do not urn on or off anything that may create a spark, including cell phones, telephones, light switches, vehicle alarms and flashlights.
  - Do not operate pipeline valves.

#### WHAT NOT TO DO IN AN EMERGENCY

#### **ALWAYS DIG WITH "CARE"**

**C** all Before You Dig

- A llow required time for markings
- **R** espect the marks
- **E** xcavate carefully

CALL BEFORE

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All pipeline markers provide the name of the operator, the emergency number and the product being transported.

To find the location of transmission pipelines in your area, visit npms.phmsa.dot.gov.

#### ENBRIDGE 24-HOUR EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER 888-650-8099

#### We welcome your questions and comments.

Call **1-877-799-2650**, send an email to **USpublicawareness@enbridge.com** or visit **enbridgeUS.com/publicawareness**.

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# If you do not know the location of the leak, shelter-in-place.

### KNOW THE WARNING SIGNS

**YOU MIGHT SEE:** 

#### **YOU MIGHT HEAR:**

**YOU MIGHT SMELL:** 



• Liquid on

the ground

Discolored snow

water surfaces

or vegetation

• Oily sheen on

A roaring, blowing or hissing sound



An unusual petroleum, skunk or rotten egg odor