



BUREAU OF LABOR LAW COMPLIANCE

Fourth Quarter 2016 Report

Information current through Dec. 5, 2016

PENNSYLVANIA ONE CALL

Summary of Incident Reports filed under the *Underground Utility Line Protection Act*

2016 cases opened this year	2016 cases closed this year	Warning letters and education letters this year	No violation	2016 duplicative cases this year*	Penalties and settlements this year
589	404	45	105	79	175

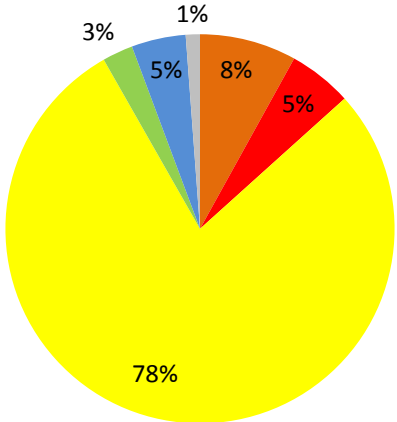
HIGHLIGHTS THIS QUARTER

- **The bureau has received 589 cases so far in 2016. As a comparison, the bureau received 606 cases as of Dec. 31, 2016. The bureau is on par to receive the same amount of cases, or slightly more.**
- **There have been 404 cases closed so far in 2016. The bureau had closed 284 cases as of the same time in 2015. This year's closed case figure is a 42 percent increase in cases closed when compared.**
- **The bureau collected \$8,500 so far during the final quarter of 2016. The total collections so far in 2016 are \$96,800**
- **The bureau collected \$39,900 in administrative penalties as of Dec. 31, 2015.**
- **The combined total of penalties collected since 2008: \$437,893**
- **Breakdown of entities paying administrative penalties:**
 - **Contractors: 71%**
 - **Facilities: 22%**
 - **Homeowners: 4%**
 - **Governmental/Municipalities: 3%**

* Duplicative cases: Cases entered in error multiple times and rejected by central office. Duplicative cases are counted into total cases received and total cases closed in 2016

FACILITY TYPE HIT DURING INCIDENT

Communications Electric Gas Sewer Water Other



Communications	8%
Electric	5%
Gas	78%
Sewer	3%
Water	5%
Other	1%

Duplicative cases are not included with facility breakdown

WAS A ONE CALL MADE BEFORE HIT?

No calls	207
Unknown at this time	4
Yes, call was made	299
Duplicative cases	79
TOTALS	589

This information is based off of raw data of UULPA incident reports filed with the Bureau of Labor Law Compliance.

REASONS FOR WARNINGS/ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES*

Violation type	Totals for 2016
Excavator did not make a one call	125
Excavator did not use prudent techniques	57
Facility marked lines incorrectly	8
Excavator was outside dig ticket area	0
Facility never marked lines at all	28
Other	0
Warning to homeowner for not having a one call	2
Excavator did not maintain markings	0
Excavator was digging before lawful start date	0
Facility became a member of one call	0
Did not attend complex meeting	0
Facility was not a member of PA One Call	0

***Statistics based off of combination of educational letters, warning letters, and administrative penalties/assessments issued in 2016**

COUNTY BREAKDOWN Year to date

County	# Cases	Closed	Type of Facility					
			Communications	Electric	Gas	Sewer	Water	Other
Adams	7	4	1		5		1	
Allegheny	32	15	2		27		3	
Armstrong	1		1					
Beaver	1	3			1			
Bedford	1				1			
Berks	6	12		1	3		2	
Blair	1	1	1					
Bradford	2	3			1			1
Bucks	2	1			2			
Butler								
Cambria	5	5			5			
Cameron								
Carbon	1	1			1			
Centre	1	2			1			
Chester	36	35	13		22	1		
Clarion	1	2			1			
Clearfield	2	1			2			
Clinton	1	1			1			
Columbia								
Crawford		2						
Cumberland	20	19	2	4	13		1	
Dauphin	20	12		1	11	5	2	1
Delaware	2	1	1					1
Elk	1	2			1			
Erie	2	2			2			
Fayette	4		1		3			
Forest								
Franklin	2	2			2			
Fulton								

County	# Cases	Closed	Communications	Electric	Gas	Sewer	Water	Other
Greene	1			1				
Huntingdon	3	1			2	1		
Indiana	8	6	2		2		4	
Jefferson	3	3			3			
Juniata								
Lackawanna	17	14	3	2	12			
Lancaster	22	19	3	5	14			
Lawrence		2						
Lebanon	3	2			2			
Lehigh	11	12		3	6	2	1	
Luzerne	42	19	4		36		2	
Lycoming	2	4			1		1	
McKean	2	4			2			
Mercer	2	2			2			
Mifflin								
Monroe	10	11	2	4	4			
Montgomery	69	11	1		68			
Montour	2	1			1		1	
Northampton	6	4		1	5			
Northumberland	4	4		1	3			
Perry								
Philadelphia	95	44			94		1	
Pike	1	1			1			
Potter	5	4			5			
Schuylkill	4	2			2			2
Snyder								
Somerset		1						
Sullivan								
Susquehanna		1						
Tioga	2	2			2			
Union								
Venango	1	2			1			
Warren								

County	# Cases	Closed	Communications	Electric	Gas	Sewer	Water	Other
Washington	5	1			3	1	1	
Wayne								
Westmoreland	16	4	2	2	7	1	3	1
Wyoming								
York	23	18	2	2	17	2		
REJECTED	79	79						
TOTALS	589	404	41	27	400	13	23	6

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EQUIPMENT USED DURING REPORTED HITS Year to date 2016

Auger	11
Backhoe	198
Bobcat	1
Boring Machine	4
Concrete Saw	1
Digging Spade	1
Directional Drill	17
Ditch Witch	1
Electric Saw	1
Excavator	127
Explosives	1
Forklift	1
Grader	1
Grinding Machine	1
Hand	5
Horizontal Drill	1
Hydraulic Excavator	1
Jackhammer	7
Milling Machine	6
Mini Excavator	29
None/Unknown	8
Pile Driver	1
Plow	4
Pneumatic Gopher	1
Roto Tiller	1
Sawzaw	2
Skid Loader	4
Skid Steer	4
Stump Grinder	1
Trackhoe	66
Trencher	1
Vac Truck	1
Water Hammer	1