

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

THE CREW IS COMING TO INSTALL YOUR NATURAL GAS SERVICE LINE

Your property has been “white flagged.” White flags indicate the agreed upon route for the installation of your natural gas service line and meter. If you have any concerns, please reach out to us immediately at **(888) 931-3411**.

WHAT’S NEXT?

Our contractor, NPL Construction, will call in a locate ticket (811) to have all public underground utilities marked by public facility operators. These utilities will be located within 3-5 business days. There is no charge for locating public utilities. Keep in mind that most utilities will only locate up to their meter or pedestal. If you have any questions, contact your service provider.



Know the Color Code	
WHITE:	Proposed Excavation
PINK:	Temporary Survey Markings
RED:	Electric Power Lines, Cables, Conduit and Lighting Cables
YELLOW:	Gas, Oil, Steam, Petroleum or Gaseous Materials
ORANGE:	Communication, Alarm or Signal Lines, Cables or Conduit
BLUE:	Potable Water
PURPLE:	Reclaimed Water, Irrigation and Slurry Lines
GREEN:	Sewer and Drain Lines



It is important that all private or customer-owned underground facilities were identified and drawn on the sketch completed by our technician at your design appointment because private or customer-owned facilities will not be located by public facility operators.

HOW TO ADDRESS PRIVATE OR CUSTOMER-OWNED UNDERGROUND FACILITIES

To avoid costly repairs and damage to any customer-owned or private facilities, our contractor will perform verification of the location of any underground facilities that may intersect with the natural gas service line. A \$51.00 verification charge will be assessed for each private facility crossed. Examples of these facilities include, but are not limited to:

- Electric Lines to outbuildings, invisible fences, security systems, pools, yard lights.
- Gas or Propane lines to outbuildings, grill, fireplace, firepit, etc.
- Private telecommunications (phone, cable, satellite, etc.)
- Water lines (**NOT including sprinkler/irrigation systems**)
- Septic/Sewer lines

Important! Property owners must mark their water wellhead and any drain tiles or sprinkler/irrigation heads or piping that may interfere with the proposed service line.

**PRIVATE FACILITIES:
WHAT DOES NOT GET MARKED**

Private underground facilities, such as private utility lines and private distribution networks, do not get marked by facility operators. When a property owner or tenant has any type of private underground facility, they are responsible to locate those facilities or hire someone to locate them.

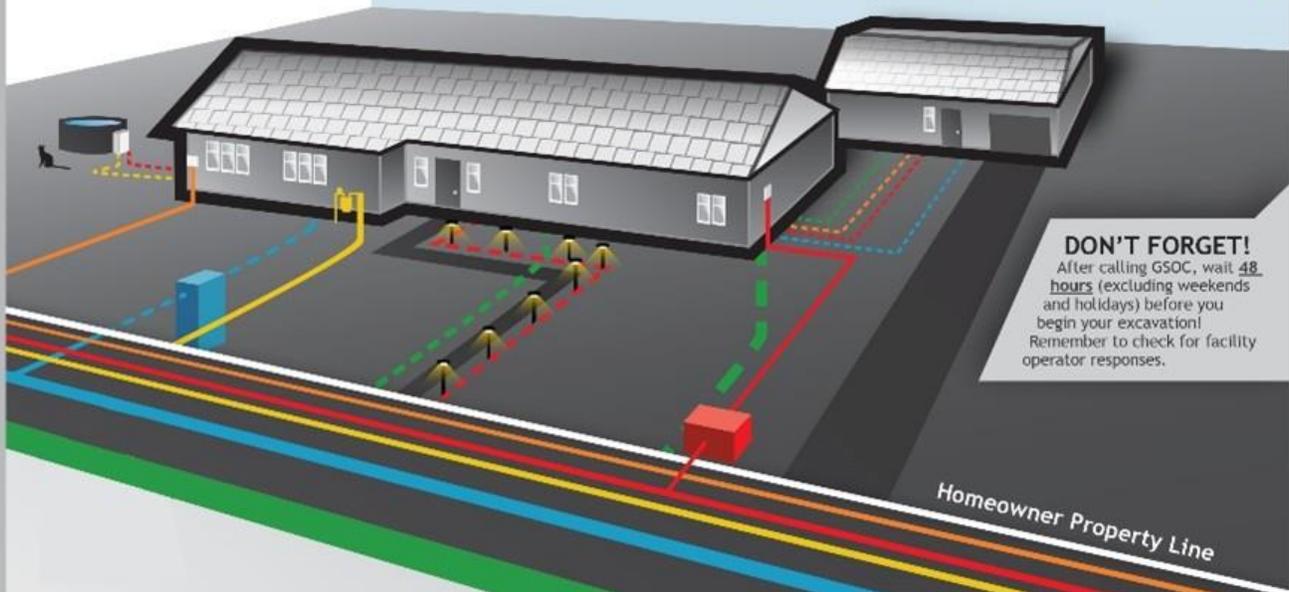
- ELECTRIC
- GAS, OIL, AND PROPANE
- PHONE AND CABLE
- WATER
- SEWER

Customer-owned lines usually include any that serve outbuildings, hot tubs, security lighting, pools, and natural gas grills.

The free locating service available through Gopher State One Call (GSOC) applies **ONLY** to public facility operators. The diagram below shows a variety of utilities, some owned by the utility and some by the homeowner.

Those utilities marked by dotted lines are typically owned by the property owner. Those lines will **NOT** be marked by contacting GSOC. Private locating services will mark these for a fee.

For information on private locating companies
www.gopherstateonecall.org/about-gsoc/industry-directory



DON'T FORGET!
After calling GSOC, wait **48 hours** (excluding weekends and holidays) before you begin your excavation! Remember to check for facility operator responses.

GMG, or their contractor, are not responsible for damage to any customer-owned or private facilities.



**GREATER MINNESOTA
GAS**

Questions?

We are here to help.

(888) 931-3411