

## Canyon County UCC Meeting – 1/15/2025

Meeting Start – 11:05am

Safety Topic – Cold Weather

Review of November minutes

- Accepted by vote

Treasury Report - \$3,837.26

Old Business – none

New Business –

- Damage Prevention Board
  - Meeting January 16<sup>th</sup>
  - Proposing dig law amendments
    - Requiring pre-marking and/or positive response
    - The group asked if all members were required to participate in positive response and if all locates were completed early would that allow excavators to begin work early
- Idaho UCC
  - April 24<sup>th</sup> at Intermountain Gas office in Boise
    - Need door prizes from members
  - April 25<sup>th</sup> Damage Prevention Conference at the Idaho State campus on Chinden Blvd from 8am-4pm w/ breakfast and lunch
- Google Fiber
  - Google Fiber to attend Ada UCC meeting on Wednesday February 12<sup>th</sup> at the Meridian City Hall
  - The group discussed the impacts of micro trenching and the potential for other utilities to implement the installation method
- Canyon/Ada UCC Merger
  - Group discussed the merger and a vote was held
    - The Canyon UCC has voted to keep the councils separate
    - The group would like to hold joint meetings on a quarterly basis if the Ada UCC permits it

Company Reports –

- City of Caldwell – road projects
- Lumen – road projects
- Digline – 15% increase in locate requests this year in Canyon county
- ELM – training class for new locators
- DOPL – Members need to complete their DIRT reports
- ILB – Working on Franklin and 21<sup>st</sup>, and Ustick and Madison
- TDS – Continuing work on their fiber overbuild

- Ardurra – working on design maps for projects
- Sparklight – road projects
- Intermountain Gas – road projects and keeping up with growth in the area

The February meeting will be a joint meeting at the Meridian City Hall on February 12 at 11am.

Officer elections are coming up in March.

Meeting adjourned 12:30pm

