

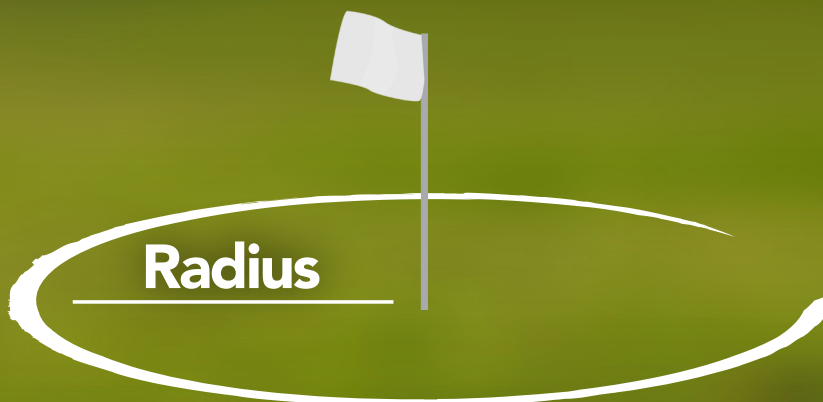


Thank you for your request for white flags from Nebraska811! We strongly encourage white lining whenever possible.

**White Lining** is the practice of outlining and labeling the proposed excavation areas using white paint or flags prior to arrival of the locator(s).

### How to White Line:

- Outline area or proposed path of excavation or,
- Place a single flag in the center of the proposed excavation site and clearly indicate the radius that needs to be located.

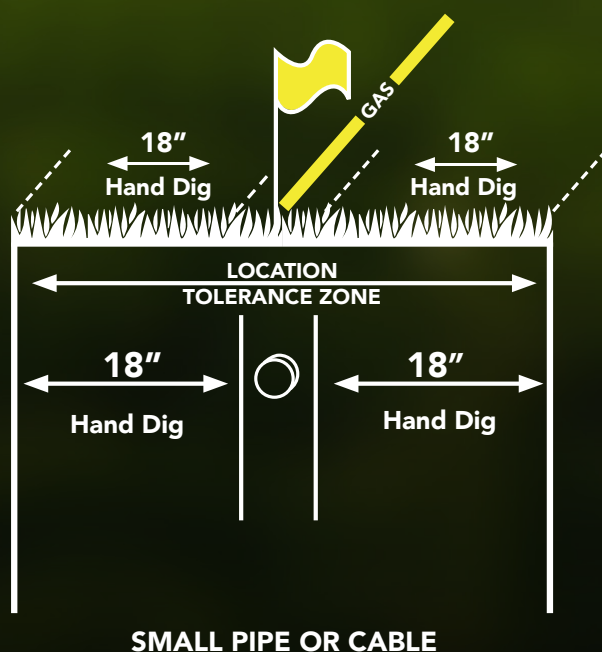


### Benefits of White Lining:

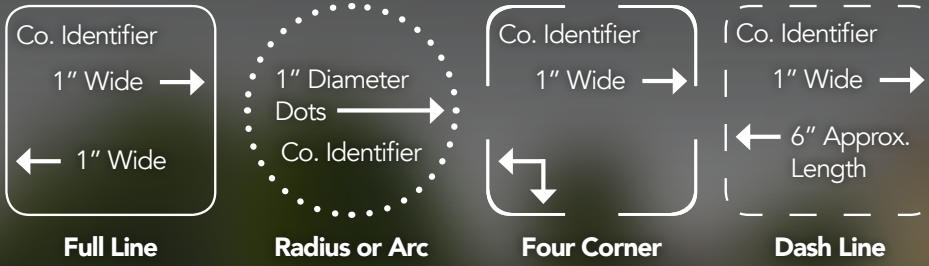
- Premarking allows the excavators to accurately communicate to facility owners/operators or their locator where excavation is to occur which saves the locators time and helps to avoid confusion and project delays.
- Excavation crews can identify the work area at the site.
- Excavation damages may be reduced or prevented due to more accurate utility markings.

### Excavator Responsibilities - Know The Basics:

- Call before you dig – at least 2 but not more than 10 business days.
- Check for accuracy of the information on your ticket including the map.
- Be sure all utilities on the ticket have responded by the start time.
- Hand or soft dig within the tolerance zone

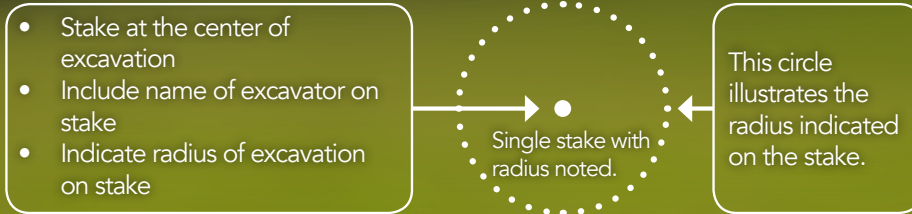


## 1. Single Area Excavation Marking

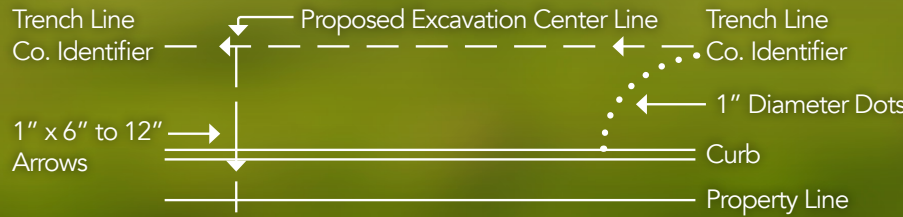


- Marks 12 - 18" long, 1" wide, 4 - 50' apart
- Outline or dot the extent of excavation
- Identify corners with solid angles
- Identify excavator name

## 2. Single Stake Marking Center Point of Excavation



## 3. Trenching, Boring, or Other Continuous Type Excavation

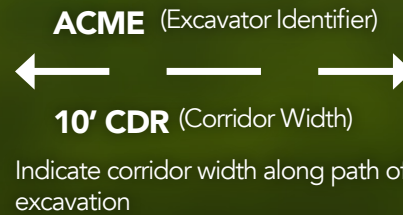


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## 4. Stakes, Flags, or Whiskers



## 5. Excavation Corridor



**WHITE** Area of Proposed Excavation

**PINK** Temporary Survey Markings

**RED** Electric

**YELLOW** Gas, Oil, Steam, Propane

**ORANGE** Communication, CATV, Fiber

**BLUE** Water

**PURPLE** Reclaimed Water, Irrigation

**GREEN** Sewer

Thank you for digging with care!

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