

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF KENTUCKY

IN THE MATTER OF:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION INTO

COMPLIANCE WITH EXCAVATOR LOCATE

CASE NO. 2022-00363

REQUESTS PURSUANT TO KRS 367.4909 AND

KRS 367.4917(7)

RESPONSE

East Casey County Water District, as a non-municipal utility, files this response to the Kentucky Public Service Commission Case Number 2022-00363, the District states as follows:

- A. Since January 1, 2022, East Casey County Water District has received 827 locate requests.
- B. Since January 1, 2022, East Casey County Water District has received 33 requests for the same location.
- C. Since January 1, 2022, East Casey County Water District responded to all locate requests within the allotted time. The average response time was 24 hours and were marked with either blue flags or paint.
- D. Since January 1, 2022, there has been no need to reach an agreement with an excavator to complete a locate request outside of the statutory limits.
- E. Since January 1, 2022, all locate request have been performed by the East Casey County Water District personnel.
- F. Since January 1, 2022, no records were kept showing the number of accurately versus inaccurately located facilities. East Casey County Water District has implemented locate work orders.
- G. The method to determine whether an underground facility has been located accurately versus inaccurately is to use as built maps.
- H. To help prevent inaccurately located lines, East Casey County Water District requests as much information as possible when locate request is called in to the office, including the exact location, type of work being done, date work will begin, and name and phone number of the caller. New installs are equipped with tracer wire. This will help to prevent any inaccurately located facilities in the future.

East Casey County Water District



Andy Greynolds, Manager

Date

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