

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~[omitted material]~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 455.133, 703.025, 704.260 and 704.280.

A REGULATION relating to subsurface installations; revising provisions governing the marking location of subsurface installations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 455.130 is hereby amended to read as follows:

455.130 *1.* Except *as otherwise provided in subsection 2 or* when otherwise agreed to by an operator and an excavator, an operator marking the approximate location of a subsurface installation that has been located and identified pursuant to the provisions of NAC 455.125 shall mark the approximate location of the subsurface installation using the ~~following colors for the~~ *markings:*

~~—1. Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 455.133, safety red must be used for electrical power, distribution and transmission installations, conduit for traffic signals and street lights and municipal electric installations.~~

~~—2. Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 455.133, high visibility safety yellow must be used for gas distribution and transmission installations, oil distribution and transmission installations, and installations containing or transporting dangerous materials, products or steam.~~

~~—3. Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 455.133, safety alert orange must be used for telephone and telegraph installations, police and fire communication installations and cable television installations.~~

~~—4. Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 455.133, safety precaution blue must be used for water installations and slurry pipelines.~~

~~—5. Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 455.133, safety green must be used for sewer and storm drain installations.~~

~~—6. Safety purple must be used for reclaimed water installations.~~

~~—7. Pink must be used for temporary survey markings.]~~ *Uniform Color Code and Marking Guidelines in the Common Ground Alliance, Best Practices Version 3.0, published in March 2006, which is hereby adopted by reference. A copy of this publication may be obtained free of charge at the Internet address <http://www.commongroundalliance.com/>.*

2. The marking location of a subsurface installation does not apply to an individual irrigation system for landscaping or to a playing field.