

SAFETY WALKAROUND CHECKLIST UNDERGROUND SERVICE ALERT

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Date Prepared:	By:
Project Name/No:	Location:
Check the box if the statement is true.	
Citations in brackets are from Title 8 of the California Administrative Code.	
NOTIFICATION AND MARKING	NOTES
☐ The telephone number for USA is properly filed or displayed in the job office.	
☐ All supervisors understand the USA process and how to request USA.	
☐ All areas on the job site where digging can or will take place have been identified. [1541(b)(1)]	
☐ USA has been notified of all these areas, marked. [1541(b)(2)]	and areas are properly
WORKER TRAINING	
☐ All employees who operate digging equipment are familiar with the various USA paint colors and the utilities they represent.	
☐ Operators are aware that utility lines ma	y be found at any depth.
☐ Workers are instructed on how close to an mechanical excavation should stop and ha	_
WORK PRACTICES	
☐ While an excavation is open, underground utility installations are protected, supported, or removed as necessary. [1541(b)(4)]	
☐ Workers know what to do if utilities are damaged while working in USA marked areas.	