



Qualified Underground Line Locator

**This model form/template must be customized to meet your Agency’s needs.**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (name of individual) has been designated and assigned as a “qualified” underground locator by

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (name of employer) based on the individual’s training, experience, and demonstrated skills in the following:

Individuals are required to be trained and qualified by their employer per Cal/OSHA Standard 1541, and to be able to perform the locating of buried utilities per:

* Cal/OSHA Section 1509, Injury and Illness Prevention Program (IIPP)
* Common Ground Alliance (CGA) Best Practices, Version 3.0, March 2006
* National Utility Locating Contractors Association (NULCA), Standard 101: Professional Competence Standards for Locating Technicians, 2001, First Edition.

Training Requirements required by the employer:

* Initial training before assignment and authorization
* Recertification required every three years
* Additional refresher training based on performance, near-misses, or accidents

**Operator Evaluation Date Evaluated/Passed by**

Theory of Electromagnetic Locating \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Use of Equipment (Specific Transmitter/Receiver) \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Utility Mark Out Procedures \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Knowledge of Underground Facilities/Plans \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ Visual Observations Skills \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Requirements pertaining to “High Priority” Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Safe Work Practices, Customer Service, and Regulations \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Locate Ticket Request Procedures, Documentation, and Mapping \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Understanding of 811/One Call Law Notification \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Knowledgeable on Safe Dig Board and authority \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_

Locator equipment trained on: (list manufacturer, make, and model number):

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Evaluated and Designated by:

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of individual assigned as “Qualified” Underground Utility Locator:

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Title \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_