PRIVATELY-OWNED LINES CAN BE LOCATED FOR A FEE

Water, natural gas, and residential electric lines* are usually owned by the utility up to the meter. Some sewer districts own only the mains; others extend their ownership to laterals up to the property lines. The customer typically owns everything beyond these points.

Customer -owned lines usually include any that serve outbuildings, hot tubs, security lighting, pools, and natural gas grills.

The free locating service available through 811 applies **ONLY** to facilities owned by utilities. The diagram below shows a variety of utilities, some owned by the utility and some by the homeowner.

Utility LocatedPrivately Located

Those utilities marked by dotted lines, including propane gas lines, are typically owned by the homeowner. Private locating services will mark these for a fee.

Blue WATER Red ELECTRIC

Green SEWER Orange PHONE

Yellow GAS, OIL, Purple NON-DRINKING WATER

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DON'T FORGET!

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***** Some electric providers do not locate the line between the transformers and the meter.

Homeowner Property Line

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