From: sendmail@washington-ucc.org Sent: Monday, March 19, 2018 2:40 PM To: wsdlsafetycommittee@gmail.com Subject: Complaint Form

Complaint Form Request

Requester Information

Name: Erika Hunter Company: Puget Sound Energy Company Phone: (425)456-2854 Company Email: erika.hunter@pse.com Company Address: PO Box 97034- EST04, Bellvue, 98009 Ticket Requested: no

Violation Information

Violation RCW: RCW 19.122.030

Violation Section: Violation: RCW 19.122.030 (1)(a), Failure to call for Locates **Violation Description:** On 11/13/2017 PSE's Damage Prevention Field Representative stopped at a job site where a landscaping crew for RIOS Brick Pavers GC LLC had excavated to install a new outdoor stair and walkway system. After checking <u>www.managetickets.com</u> it was determined that the crew had not obtained a valid locate ticket prior to excavation which is a violation of RCW 19.122.030 (1)(a). Bob asked the crew to stop work until they had requested and received locates for all the utilities in the work area. The crew did stop their work and called their boss, Flaco Rios, and gave Bob the phone. Bob explained that they were in violation and needed to call for locates prior to doing any more work. They later called the one call center for ticket <u>#17451063</u> at that address. **Violation Address:** <u>3409 167th Ave SE, Bellevue WA</u>

Violation Date: 11/13/2017

Alleged Violator

Violator Name: RIOS Brick Pavers GC LLC Violator Phone Number: (206)271-3447 Violator Email: unknown@unknown.com

riosfredd_35@yahoo.com

22824 NE Union Hill Road, Redmond WA 98053

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Other Information

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PSE Complaint #1

03/19/2018

Ana Graciela Moya Employee: Flaco Rios RIOS Brick Pavers GC LLC 22824 NE Union Hill Rd Redmond, WA 98053 206-271-3447

Date: 11/13/2017

Location:

3409 167th Ave SE, Bellevue WA

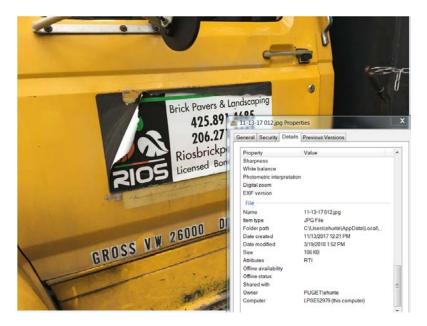
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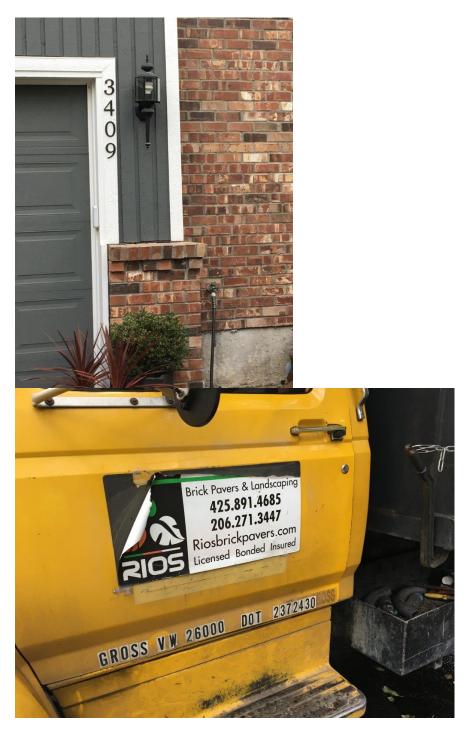
This contractor, working under a different business license but under the same ownership and business address, has damaged our facilities twice without locates. On 08/26/2016 they were grading a roadway and damaged a gas facility at 9674 50th Ave SW, Seattle. On 04/19/2017, they were installing irrigation at 3205 162nd PL SE, Bellevue and while excavating with a trencher damaged a gas facility and caused a fire. On that date, Bob Douglas contacted Freddy Rios and met him at the site. He discussed the requirements of the law, educated him about white marking, and gave him a full explanation of how the 811 system works, how utilities would be marked and how to read the ticket to know which utilities would respond to mark. Freddy agreed to call for locates at all future jobs. Prior to Bob's arrival at the site, our Gas First Response employee Terry Edwards also discussed with Rio's foreman Mauricio that locates were required for that type of work. The foreman was very argumentative and denied that he needed to call for locates- which is why Bob took a further step of contacting the owner.

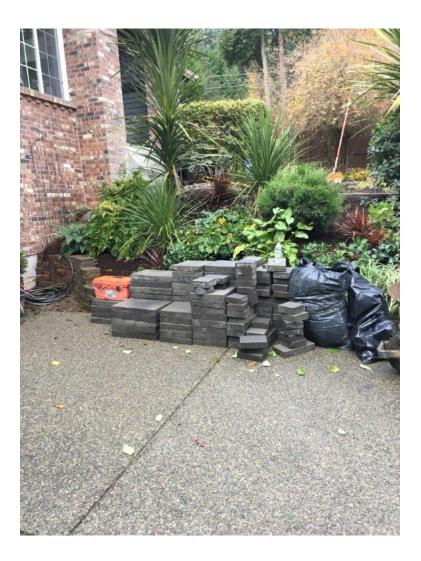
In 2017 and 2018- RIOS has only called in 13 total locates- including the locate called in at the address where the violation occurred on the date Bob found them out of compliance. That ticked was called in by Mauricio Rocha on 11/13/2017, whom we've already had previous contact with. It is also apparent that they are aware of the requirements of RCW 19.122 because their Accident Prevention Program, posted on their website <u>www.riosbrickpavers.com</u> explicitly details that when excavation occurs they must ensure that all utilities are properly located before work begins.



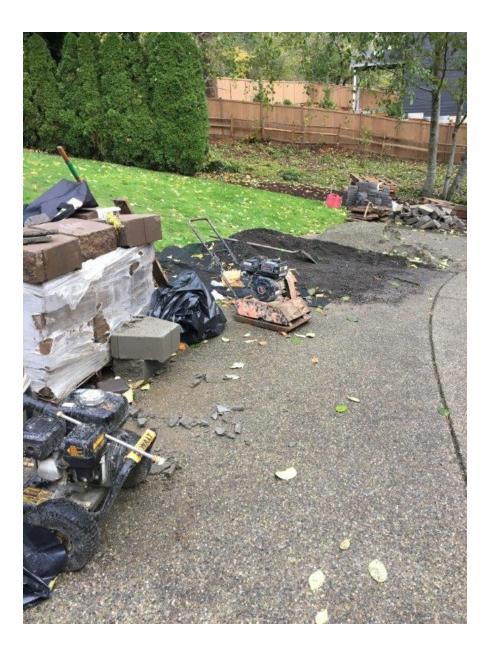
Evidence of Excavation of date photos were taken:

Evidence of Excavation without locates:











Evidence of Locate Request History:

	1 - 13 of 13 Results Go to Record # Go						
Ticket#	Type	Call Date	Excavator Company	Addr	Street	City	
17124041	Phone	04/19/17 17:39:04	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	3052	NE 89TH ST	SEATTLE	
17135245	Phone	04/26/17 15:16:52	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	211	150TH ST SE	LYNNWOOD	
17212085	Phone	06/12/17 10:55:03	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	10310	45TH AVE NE	SEATTLE	
17227599	Phone	06/20/17 17:45:23	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	16013	NE 51ST ST	REDMOND	
17248699	Phone	07/05/17 12:18:57	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	3043	NE 90TH ST	SEATTLE	
17259207	Phone	07/11/17 12:47:07	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	5166	S GRAHAM ST	SEATTLE	
17285301	Phone	07/26/17 09:41:06	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	3611	201ST PL SW	LYNNWOOD	
17296034	Phone	08/01/17 17:07:30	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	1410	STH PL S	EDMONDS	
17401560	Phone	10/03/17 14:49:08	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	3045	NE 89TH ST	SEATTLE	
17433592	Phone	10/30/17 12:59:04	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	4680	174TH AVE SE	BELLEVUE	
17451063	Phone	11/13/17 12:40:21	RIOS BRICK PAVERS/LANDSCAPE	3409	167TH AVE SE	BELLEVUE	
18082344	Phone	03/07/18 09:58:51	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	2008	211TH AVE NE	SAMMAMISH	
18082368	Phone	03:07/18 10:15:43	RIOS BRICK PAVERS	1771	14TH LN NE	ISSAQUAH	