



MEDIA ADVISORY

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May 30, 2013

Commissioner Brian Kalk,

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CHAIRMAN KALK TO HOST NEWS EVENT TO PROMOTE SAFE DIGGING

Public Service Commission Chairman Brian Kalk will be joining with leaders in the utility industry to promote awareness and use of the state's Call Before You Dig program at a news conferences in Grand Forks on Friday, May 31, 2013 at 2:00 p.m.

At the news conference, Commissioner Kalk and utility leaders will:

1. Outline how individuals and businesses can use Call Before You Dig to avoid significant damages and public dangers of striking underground infrastructure.
2. Describe the large increase in demand and importance of the program.
3. Highlight recent legislative changes to the program including increased fines for failing to call.

Friday, May 31, 2013

Grand Forks

2:00 p.m.

Nodak Electric Cooperative

4000 32nd Ave S

Participants:

Commissioner Kalk, Nodak Electric, Polar Communications, Minnkota Power, Xcel Energy

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