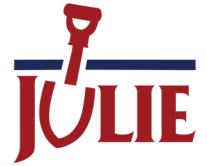


Large Projects



Large Projects Definition

A Large Project is a single excavation that exceeds the expiration of a normal request or involves a series of repetitive, related scope excavations.

Conditions/Specific Criteria for Large Project

An excavation is a Large Project if it meets ANY of the following criteria:

1. **LONG PERIOD:** Excavation where the project is widely recognized and expected to exceed the life of a normal request.
2. **LARGE AREA:** Excavation where the project will exceed one quarter of a contiguous mile within a municipality and one contiguous mile within any unincorporated area, which includes townships.
3. **COMPLEX:**
 - a. Excavation in a congested area requiring more work time to locate and mark the underground utility facilities than can be reasonably completed in 2 days.
 - b. An excavation that involves more work than can be described in a single normal notice request.
 - c. Any project designated as such by mutual agreement of stakeholders as a consequence of its complexity or potential to cause significant disruption to underground utility facilities and the public, including excavations that require scheduling locates over an extended time frame.

Examples of Large Projects Include, but are not limited to:

- Road Construction (new, reconstruction, bridge, lane widening, resurfacing, realigning etc.)
- Infrastructure Upgrades Railroad/Railway
- New Commercial/Industrial Development
- Residential Subdivision Infrastructure
- Utility Work
 - Power pole replacement/Pole inspections
 - Long distance gas and service main replacements/upgrades
 - Fiber optic long haul installation/buildouts
 - Pipeline installations/construction
- Wind Farms/Solar Array Farms
- Municipal Projects
 - Water/sewer replacements/installations
 - Sidewalk and Curb Removal/Replacement
 - Ditch cleaning/Installation of Pipe Culverts
 - Bike Trail Construction
 - Sign installation
 - Tree replacements/landscape planting in multiple locations
- Other
 - Project located in a congested municipal area over a long period of time that requires multiple contractors with multiple remark requests
 - Soil borings

To assist excavators and JULIE Members in managing large projects, JULIE offers the Planning/Design and Joint Meet Notifications.