

Please refer to this sample document which can be found within your BC One Call Information package to locate your BC One Call ticket number and the type of gas pipeline affected by your activity. This information is required in order to complete your permit application.



Ticket Number: 2016310974

Date: July 28, 2016

**Dear underground pipeline location information requestor:**

**Re: Oil and Gas Activities Act Requirements**

The OIL AND GAS ACTIVITIES ACT (SEC. 76) requires that written permission be obtained prior to commencing an activity within 30 metres of a high pressure pipeline. Based on the underground pipeline location information request provided by BC One Call, we have determined that the activity is near FortisBC (formerly Terasen Gas) Transmission Pressure pipeline(s) and Intermediate Pressure pipeline(s) and further instructions are required before the activity can proceed.

Please refer to the map provided. A **crosshatch feature** boundary indicating a zone extending thirty (30) metres on either side of our **Transmission Pressure** pipeline(s) and a **line feature** boundary indicating a zone extending thirty (30) metres on either **side of our Intermediate Pressure** pipeline(s) have been marked to allow you to determine whether additional actions are required prior to commencing the activity.

Locate the area where you will be working on the map provided. If the activity is:

- **Within 30 m** of a **Transmission Pressure (TP)** pipeline, you must not proceed with the activity until you have been contacted by FortisBC and obtained written permission for the activity from FortisBC.
- **Within 10 m** of a **Transmission Pressure (TP)** pipeline, you must obtain a permit. Call the FortisBC Permit Desk at 604-576-7021 or 1-877-599-0996.
- **Between 30 m and 10 m** from an **Intermediate Pressure** pipeline, this letter is your written permission to proceed with the activity subject to all other permissions required from other agencies having jurisdiction. This permission is valid provided the activity commences within 10 working days of the date of this letter. If the activity is delayed you must contact BC ONE CALL at 1-800-474-6886 and you must obtain updated information from FortisBC prior to commencing the activity.
- **Between 10 m and 2 m** from an **Intermediate Pressure** pipeline, you must call the FortisBC Public Underground Location Services Department at 1-888-822-6555 to request an on-site pipeline locate. Upon completion of an on-site pipeline locate by FortisBC, this letter is your written permission to proceed with the activity subject to all other permissions required from other agencies having jurisdiction. This permission is valid provided the activity commences within 10 working days of the date of this letter. If the activity is delayed you must contact BC ONE CALL at 1-800-474-6886 and you must obtain updated information from FORTISBC prior to commencing the activity.
- **Within 2 m** of an **Intermediate Pressure** pipeline OR crossing a pipeline, you must obtain a permit from FORTISBC. Please click on this link <http://www.FortisBC.com/RightOfWay> or call the FortisBC Permit Desk at 604-576-7021 or 1-877-599-0996.

If you have any questions, contact the Public Underground Location Services Department at 1-888-822-6555 for clarification.

If your activity is delayed and your excavation work has not started within 10 working days of receiving gas line location information from FortisBC, you must verify the location information through BC ONE CALL at **1-800-474-6886** before commencing the activity. The gas supply system changes constantly and line-location records can quickly become dated.

Visit us at <http://www.fortisbc.com/NaturalGas/GasSafety> to learn more natural gas safety.