



**Technology Committee Meeting  
Monday, April 15– Colorado Springs, CO  
8:30 – 10:50 a.m. (Mountain)**

**TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE MISSION:** Drive the industry to develop and utilize innovative technology that will decrease the probability or consequences of excavation damage in support of CGA’s overall mission.

**MEETING OBJECTIVES:**

- Review 2024 goals and objectives
- Updates from task teams
- Discuss ideas for 2024 webinars and case studies

**CO-CHAIRS:**

- Nick Starke, UtiliQuest
- Jim Plasynski, KorTerra

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**1. Welcome, Introductions and Agenda Overview (Co-Chairs/CGA Staff) – 8:30 a.m.**

- CGA Antitrust Statement

**2. 2024 Committee Goal and Objectives (Nick Starke) – 8:35 a.m.**

- **Goal:** Drive the industry to develop, utilize and increase adoption of innovative technology that addresses the most critical challenges and top root causes of damages.
  - **Objective:** Publish at least one case study that addresses (or has the potential to address) each of the top six root causes on Technology Hub.
  - **Objective:** Educate the industry on the state of damage prevention technology with respect to critical challenges in damage prevention:
    - Quarterly webinars
    - Best Practices partnership

**3. Current Task Teams (Co-Chairs/Task Team Leads) – 8:45 a.m.**

*Note: Technology Submission Form has been updated to include a question on critical issues highlighted by CGA’s 50-in-5 challenge.*

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- Technology Case Studies (Adam Yunker, GPRS)
  - Case Studies under consideration:
    - GTI Energy (final draft under review)
    - Flyscan Systems Inc (draft)
    - KorTerra (draft)
    - Rod Radar (potential)
    - Plate Guard LLC (potential)
    - CM Labs Simulations (potential)
- Webinars (Jim Plasynski)
  - Topics/schedule
    - TC Energy – May 16, 2 p.m. Eastern/1 p.m. Central
      - Use of data and technologies to produce behavior changes and promote damage prevention and safety
- Best Practices Review Task Team (Thomas Young, SeeScan)
  - Subsurface Utility Engineering (SUE) team updates

### 4. Ideas for Discussion/Development – 10:00 a.m.

- New paint colors related to SUE (Monty Zimmerman)

### 5. Meeting Schedule 2024 – 10:30 a.m.

- **July 22-25** – Summer Committee Summit (Nashville, TN)
- **October 28-30** – Fall Committee Summit (Las Vegas, NV)

### 6. Today – 10:35 a.m.

- 11:00 a.m. – Best Practices Live!
- 12 noon – CGA Luncheon with Featured Speaker Shawn Lyon
  - The Journey to Yes – Navigating the Challenges of Transformative Change
- 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. – Education Sessions
- 3:45 p.m. – Exhibit Hall Grand Opening
- 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. – Exhibit Hall Reception

### 7. Adjourn (Co-Chairs) – 10:40 a.m.

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