

Arkansas 811

Member Fees 2019

Members of Arkansas 811 pay fees to finance the cost of providing the statewide system to process notices from excavators of their intention to dig, drill or blast and to promote digging safely. The fees fall into two categories — basic monthly fees and call fees.

Member Types

Arkansas One-Call members fall into one of three categories:

Public Authority Membership	A Public Authority Member is limited to owners or operators of utility systems which are governmental entities or otherwise political subdivisions of the State of Arkansas or the United States, such as municipalities, counties, improvement districts, rural water associations, and similar bodies and organizations.
Premium Membership	A Premium Member includes any member whose facilities are primarily engaged in interstate transmission or whose facilities are not connected directly to end users other than themselves.
Regular Membership	All other owners and operators of underground facilities.

Member Categories

Members fall into one of 12 categories based on the total number of notices during the previous year:

Category	Minimum Notices	Maximum Notices	Annual Notices Included
A	0	150	150
B	151	360	240
C	361	750	0
D	751	1,500	0
E	1,501	3,000	0
F	3,001	6,000	0
G	6,001	15,000	0
H	15,001	30,000	0
I	30,001	75,000	0
J	75,001	150,000	0
K	150,001	300,000	0
L	300,001	500,000	0

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Basic Fees

The Basic Fee covers the cost of servicing the member with record-keeping, information, mailings, screening of locates not in a member's territory, and the statewide education and damage prevention program. It also covers the cost of the notices included in the basic fee.

Monthly Basic Fees			
Category	Regular Members	Public Authority	Premium Member
A	19.50	11.40	29.28
B	34.80	24.36	52.20
C	46.50	32.58	69.78
D	69.00	48.30	103.50
E	114.00	79.80	171.00
F	204.00	142.80	306.00
G	474.00	331.80	711.00
H	924.00	646.80	1,386.00
I	2,274.00	1,591.80	3,411.00
J	4,524.00	3,166.80	6,786.00
K	9,024.00	6,316.80	13,536.00
L	15,024.00	10,516.80	22,536.00

Call Fees

Call fees cover the cost of receiving the locate requests in the center, processing to determine which members need to be notified, and transmitting the notices to the appropriate members. Call fees are billed on a monthly basis after the free notices included in the basic fees have been used:

Type Notice	Cost Per Ticket
Data Transmission (modem/internet/FTP)	.95
Facsimile	1.40
Voice	3.00

Billing — Members are invoiced for both basic fees and call fees (should they exceed the number of “free” notices included) on a monthly basis. Invoices are due and payable within 20 days of the date of invoice. A late charge of 3% is assessed if the invoice is not paid within 30 days.

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