

Real Tips

Critical Risk #3: Work Over Live Lines

What's
STCKY
today?

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Work smart over live lines so you don't need a life line

Together our goal is to make sure everyone returns home safe at the end of every shift. One of the ways we can do this is to make sure we all understand the biggest risks on the project – AKA the **Stuff That Can Kill You (STCKY)**.

Today's Real Tip focuses on the dangers of **Work Over Live Lines**.

Why is Work Over Live Lines a Critical Risk?

Hazards don't sleep just because construction is complete! With the pipeline now buried, much of our work is taking place on ground above the completed pipeline, which has been commissioned. This means there is natural gas in the line.

Unintended contact with live lines can have significant consequences and pose serious risk to workers and the public.

Ensuring workplace safety and responsibility



Remember, even Indiana Jones wouldn't dare hit a live pipeline – he knows some treasures are best left untouched! Here are some safety tips to remember when working over live lines:

- Ensure you have authorization before starting work.
- Know your surroundings – look for signage and follow all posted instructions
- Identify hazards associated with activities over and in proximity to the live line.
- Follow procedures for ground disturbance activities including locates and crossing requirements.

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