

# Working Together to Prevent Interference with SaskPower Lines & Equipment

If you plan to construct or excavate near power lines or other electrified equipment, call SaskPower first. We'll work with you to make sure your plans don't interfere with land designated for our lines and/or equipment.

If you interfere with our land for line or equipment, there are serious consequences. You could be responsible for:

- Putting your life and the lives of others at risk
- Paying to fix the situation
- Causing preventable power outages for you and your neighbours

SaskPower equipment, such as overhead or underground power lines, transformers or pedestals, is electrified. By calling SaskPower before working near our lines or equipment, we'll have the opportunity to safely assess the situation, to identify any issues and to work with you to find solutions. Here are some examples of when to call SaskPower:

- Before moving a home
- Before setting up a grain bin
- Before building a shop, house, fence or other temporary or permanent structure
- Before planting new or trimming existing trees, shrubs or other vegetation
- Before digging holes, trenches or dug-outs
- Before storing stacks of lumber, debris, dirt piles or filling the area with dirt
- Before starting any other project near power lines or electrified equipment

The land under and around SaskPower lines and equipment is for our use, and there are factors to consider when working nearby. When you call SaskPower, we'll work with you to:

- Ensure the safety of the public and of SaskPower employees
- Ensure SaskPower structures and pole foundations aren't compromised
- Ensure underground power cables aren't hit
- Ensure there is room to operate and maintain SaskPower lines and equipment
- Consider the impact on future plans for the power system
- Minimize the impact to your project cost and schedule

Call SaskPower at **1-888-757-6937** when you're planning to construct or excavate near our lines and equipment. A customer service representative will connect you with an operational employee near you.

Thank you for helping us ensure the safety and reliability of power in Saskatchewan.



*Grain bins located under overhead lines are a serious safety concern, and encroach on SaskPower's right-of-way, which landowners are required to keep clear.*