



2026 Great Lakes

Damage Prevention Conference & Expo

A CGA REGIONAL PARTNER EVENT
PRESENTED BY MISS DIG 811



Darren Muljo

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Making Safety Personal in Utility Damage Prevention



Wed. 2/4



10:00 a.m.



Banquet Rooms 5 & 6

Darren P. Muljo is a Certified Safety & Health Technician with decades of hands-on experience in utility construction, roadway excavation, and underground infrastructure. A former Co-Chair of the Wisconsin Common Ground Alliance, he is a dedicated advocate for 811 and shared responsibility in damage prevention.

In his presentation, *Making Safety Personal in Utility Damage Prevention*, Darren explores the Human Factor—how communication, assumptions, leadership behaviors, and individual choices shape safety outcomes. His commitment to safety is deeply personal, inspired by the legacy of Ransom E. Cundy, a watchman lost aboard the S.S. *Edmund Fitzgerald*. That legacy shapes his belief that protecting infrastructure ultimately protects lives, families, and communities.

Darren is currently authoring two books: *Making Safety Personal*, focused on safety leadership, and *The Edmund Fitzgerald: Life & Legacy—A Watchman Lost and a Daughter's Promise to Protect a Sacred Gravesite*, scheduled for release in 2026. Through speaking and consulting, Darren connects real-world lessons to actionable strategies that prevent damage before it occurs.