

Know what's below your job site



Location, location, location!

Will your job site include the use of star pickets, shovels, excavators or similar tools and machinery?

Whether you're working in town or in a remote community, locating underground services is the responsibility of the person in control of the work.

Before you start any groundwork contact Before You Dig Australia (BYDA).

Then, working with us and other asset owners, confirm the exact location of services onsite as directed. This may include using non-destructive methods e.g. potholing or hand digging.

Planning ahead will help you:

- keep workers and community members safe
- prevent damage to underground infrastructure
- avoid costly delays and repairs
- keep essential services connected to the community.

Before work begins

1. **Visit [Before You Dig Australia \(BYDA\)](#)**

Go to the BYDA website or download



the app.

BYDA is the **free**, national service that provides information about underground and overhead infrastructure at your job site.

2. **Create a free account**

Already have an account, log in and follow the prompts.

3. **Submit your request**

Tell BYDA where you plan to work and what work you're doing.

4. **Receive asset plans and information**

Asset owners will provide plans and information directly to your inbox.

Know what's below to keep you and your workmates safe and all services connected.