

# SAFETY NOW!



**IT'S THE LAW**

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## ***Safety above***

Always keep at least 10 feet clear of power lines. The minimum clearance increases for power lines above 50,000 volts.



## ***Safety before beginning work***

Determine if the job will bring any worker, tool or machine near a power line, then make a plan to keep at least 10 feet clear.



## ***Safety always***

Treat power lines as if they are always energized until the utility company indicates otherwise. Contact with power lines can cause serious injury or death.



## ***Safety for everyone***

Make arrangements with your local electric utility company so that everyone can take proper safety precautions before performing work near power lines.

**Call CenterPoint Energy at 713-207-2222**

For information on electrical safety programs for your company, call CenterPoint Energy's Public Safety Department at 713-945-6707.