

All employees are to be cross-trained with a different department. Also, BVE trains all of its safety standby personnel to ensure that proper techniques are used at all times. BVE's safety plan for standby personnel consists of the following:

COPY FROM ABOVE

- Trench Safety (8 hours);
- Fall Protection (4 hours);
- Winter System Procedure Review (2 hours);
- Confined Space Safety (8 hours);
- Hot Stick Training (16 hours);
- Proper Tree Trimming (1 hour);
- AED Defibrillator Training (2 hours);
- CAD Welding (1 hour);
- Proper Fire Extinguisher Use (1 hour);
- DOT Alcohol and Drug Testing (1.5 hours);
- Proper Fork Lift Operation (3.5 hours);
- CPR (4 hours);
- First Aid Techniques (2 hours);
- Underground Service Alert (2 hours)
- Generator Station Operation (4 hours)
- Natural Gas Safety Training (2 hours)
- SEMS (Standardized Emergency Management System) Training (8 hours)
- Mountain Driving - Safe Practices (1 hour)
- Intermediate Rigging Training (8 hours) *

Standard 10

As a member of the California Utilities Emergency Association, BVE meets quarterly to discuss emergency planning and response issues and opportunities to support the respective organizations in an emergency. CUEA Mutual Aid meetings attended quarterly.

As a member of Mountain Mutual Aid, BVE has established ongoing coordinated communications with 37 county and private organizations to report and react to hazardous conditions affecting the Bear Valley service area and vicinity. Mountain Mutual Aid meetings attended bi-monthly.

BVE activated its EOC in June 2006 due to a valley wide power outage caused by equipment failure on SCE's system. BVE implemented its Emergency Plan and utilized the Bear Valley Plant to restore power.