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CUSTOMER INSTALL CANOPY OR GENERATOR GROUND ROD 811 GROUND PENETRATION WAIVER

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Thank you for choosing Canton Chair Rental to provide a canopy or generator for your upcoming event. Canton Chair Rental is committed to the safety of our customers, your property, and your guests.

*Note for generator rentals: In order for a generator to function safely, they must be properly grounded with a copper rod inserted 6' to 8' into the ground.

With the increase in utilities being buried underground, the risk for personal injury and property damage becomes a concern with canopy and generator ground rod installations. Ohio Law (3718.25-32 of the Ohio Revised Code) requires that anyone penetrating the surface of the earth must have the utilities marked on their property before they "dig." Canton Chair Rental is providing you with the information you need to abide by this law.

You must call the Ohio Utilities Protection Service (OUPS) to arrange for the marking of all public underground utility lines before installing the canopy or generator ground rod.

This service is **free**.

HAVE PUBLIC UTILITIES MARKED:

Please contact the Ohio Utilities Protection Service (OUPS) at <u>811</u> or <u>1-800-362-2764</u>, at least 48 hours and no more than 10 days before installing the canopy or generator ground rod. 811 member utilities mark their underground facilities at the site with colored paint or flags within 48 hours excluding weekends and legal holidays. You will need the following information before calling:

- County and township or city where the canopy/generator ground rod will be installed
- Date of canopy/generator ground rod installation
- Where on your property the canopy/generator ground rod will be installed
- Equipment used to install canopy/generator ground rod (normally stakes/ground rod and sledgehammer)
- Nearest intersecting streets to your address
- Farthest distance from the street in front of your house to where the canopy/generator ground rod will be installed

Please be aware that someone will be on the property to mark the utilities, any pets should be restrained, and fenced areas will need to be made available.

MARKING PRIVATE UTILITIES:

Remember that there may also be private utilities buried on your property. OUPS **DOES NOT** mark private utilities. You are responsible for making sure any privately installed utilities are marked. These include, but are not limited to, sprinkler systems, electrical lighting wires, gas lines (i.e., propane), artesian wells, underground structures, septic systems, down spouts, leech beds, phone lines, cable lines, pool equipment, invisible fencing, etc.

CANOPY/GENERATOR GROUND ROD INSTALLATION:

Do not insert stakes to anchor the canopy or ground rod for generator within 18 inches on either side of any utility markings.

It is also very important to look **above the space** in which you intend to install the canopy/ground rod for any **above ground utility lines, tree limbs, or other obstructions!** Above ground utility lines can also be very dangerous!



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I have been informed of <u>my responsibility</u> to contact Ohio Utilities Protection Service to mark all public utilities, gas and oil wells, transmissions lines, and that I must mark all private underground utilities before installing the canopy or ground rod for generator. I understand and accept the responsibility for any above or below ground damage and/or injuries that may occur during installation.

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Print Name	