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ABOUT CITY OF PIEDMONT UTILITIES

City of Piedmont Utilities operates natural gas distribution pipelines within Calhoun County Alabama. These pipeline systems transport natural gas from The Anniston area of Calhoun County to the City of Piedmont where natural gas is distributed to end users such as natural gas residential and industrial users.

PRODUCTS TRANSPORTED

Product	Leak Type	Description
Natural Gas	Gas	<p>Vapor: Lighter than air. Very flammable and a white vapor cloud may be visible near the site of a leak.</p> <p>Health Hazards: Extremely high concentrations may cause irritation or asphyxiation. Possible presence of H₂S, a toxic gas.</p> <p>Fire Hazards: Extremely flammable and easily ignited by heat, sparks or flames.</p>
Propane, Butane or Highly Volatile Liquids (HVLs)- Natural Gas Liquids, Ethane, Gasolines, Diesel, etc.	Liquid/Gas	<p>Vapor: Heavier than air If there is a leak in a CO₂ pipeline, the product will become very cold when contact with the outside atmosphere is made. The area around the leak may look frozen or covered in frost. In wet areas, bubbling water or a muddy looking area may indicate a leak.</p> <p>Health Hazards: Vapors may cause dizziness or asphyxiation without warning. Contact with CO₂ may cause burns, severe injury and/or frostbite.</p> <p>Fire Hazards: A nonflammable gas that is heavier than air. Containers of CO₂ may explode when heated and ruptured cylinders may rocket.</p>
Crude Oil	Liquid	<p>Vapor: Heavier than air Can be flammable. Dark brown spots on the ground, dead vegetation or an oily sheen on top of the ground or floating on the surface of a body of water may indicate the presence of a leak in a crude oil pipeline system.</p> <p>Health Hazards: Irritation of the eyes and skin may occur with exposure. Vapors may cause central nervous system effects. Possible presence of H₂S, a toxic gas.</p> <p>Fire Hazards: Crude oil is an extremely flammable liquid or vapor that is heavier than air. May accumulate in low areas, and may travel considerable distances to an ignition source.</p>
Anhydrous Ammonia	Vapor	<p>Vapor: Heavier than air.</p> <p>Health Hazards: Fatal if inhaled, ingested or absorbed through the skin. Contact causes burns, server injury, and/or frostbite.</p> <p>Fire Hazards: May burn, but will not ignite readily. May react violently with water.</p>

EMERGENCY CONTACT:

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Natural Gas 1971 115

ALABAMA COUNTIES OF OPERATION:

Calhoun

Changes may occur. Contact the operator to discuss their pipeline systems and areas of operation.

CAUTION
GAS
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BEFORE DIGGING
IN THIS AREA
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OR 256-447-6656
WATER WORKS,
GAS & SEWARD BOARD
CITY OF PIEDMONT, AL