



WHO IS AMEREN ILLINOIS

Ameren Illinois is a regulated electric and gas delivery company based in Collinsville, Illinois. Our parent company is Ameren Corporation located in St. Louis, Missouri. As a delivery company, Ameren Illinois is in the business of energy distribution

We operate approximately 18,400 miles of natural gas transmission and distribution mains, 12 underground gas storage fields with a total capacity of 25 billion cubic feet.

Transmission, HPD, and regular distribution mains:

- Transmission: 1250 miles
- HPD: 3,300 miles
- Distribution: 13,800 miles

WHAT ARE THE SIGNS OF A NATURAL GAS PIPELINE LEAK?

- Blowing or hissing sound
- Dust blowing from a hole in the ground
- Continuous bubbling in wet or flooded areas
- Gaseous or hydrocarbon odor
- Dead or discolored vegetation in a green area
- Flames, if a leak has ignited

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I SUSPECT A PIPELINE LEAK?

Your personal safety should be your first concern:

- Evacuate the area and prevent anyone from entering
- Abandon any equipment being used near the area
- Avoid any open flames
- Avoid introducing any sources of ignition to the area (such as cell phones, pagers, 2-way radios)
- Do not start/turn off motor vehicles/ electrical equipment
- Call 911 or contact local fire or law enforcement
- Notify the pipeline company
- Do not attempt to extinguish a natural gas fire
- Do not attempt to operate any pipeline valves

PIPELINE SAFETY

System failures occur infrequently along the nation's network of interstate natural gas pipeline facilities, and many of these are caused by damage from others digging near the pipeline. We watch for unauthorized digging, but we request your help to notify us.

ALWAYS CALL 811 BEFORE YOU DIG!

PIPELINE LOCATION AND MARKERS

Pipeline markers are used to indicate the approximate location of a natural gas pipeline and to provide contact information. Aerial patrol planes also use the markers to identify the pipeline route. Markers should never be removed or relocated by anyone other than a pipeline operator.

You can also find out where other companies' pipelines are in your area by going to the National Pipeline Mapping System website at www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov.

EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANS

An Emergency Response Plan is developed for each pipeline facility to contain, control and mitigate the various types of emergency conditions/situations that could occur at one of our facilities. For more information regarding Ameren Illinois Pipelines emergency response plans and procedures, contact us directly.



**EMERGENCY CONTACT:
1-800-755-5000**

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**ILLINOIS
COUNTIES OF OPERATION:**

Adams	Marion
Bond	Marshall
Brown	McDonough
Bureau	Mercer
Champaign	Montgomery
Christian	Moultrie
Clay	Peoria
Clinton	Perry
Coles	Piatt
Douglas	Pike
DuPage	Putnam
Franklin	Randolph
Fulton	Sangamon
Henry	Schuyler
Jackson	Scott
Jefferson	Shelby
Johnson	St. Clair
Knox	Tazewell
La Salle	Vermilion
Logan	Warren
Macon	Washington
Macoupin	Williamson
Madison	

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

