



## COMMITMENT

Targa Resources (Targa) is a leading provider of midstream services and is one of the largest independent midstream infrastructure companies in North America. Targa owns and operates more than 33,500 miles of natural gas, crude oil, natural gas liquids, and refined products pipelines across 7 states.

Targa is committed to the protection of the public and the environment through the safe operation and maintenance of its pipeline systems. Qualified personnel are trained in emergency response activities and participate in drills and exercises reflecting various types of response levels and emergency scenarios.

Targa has committed the necessary resources to fully prepare and implement its emergency response plans and has obtained through contract the necessary private personnel and equipment to respond, to the maximum extent practicable, to a "worst case" discharge or substantial threat of such a discharge.

## COMMUNICATIONS

Targa 24-Hours Pipeline Control Centers located in Sulphur, Louisiana and Tulsa, Oklahoma are used as hubs for communications in all emergency situations. On-site communications are conducted via cell phone, and/or portable radios and land lines.

## EMERGENCY RESPONSE EQUIPMENT

Equipment and materials necessary for emergency response are kept at local Targa facilities. These materials may include: spill boom, sorbent materials, boats, motors, hand and power tools, pumps, hoses, personal protective equipment, first aid and miscellaneous supplies.

## OIL SPILL CONTRACTORS

Targa maintains agreements with Certified Oil Spill Response Organizations (OSROs). These groups can be relied upon for an appropriate level of response with spill response equipment and trained personnel.

## IF YOU ARE A PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICIAL ...

...you know to take whatever steps you deem necessary to safeguard the public in the event of a pipeline emergency. The following suggestions are offered as a guide:

- Secure the area around the leak to a safe distance. This could include the evacuation of people from homes, businesses, schools, and other locations, as well as the erection of barricades to control access to the emergency site and similar precautions.
- If the pipeline leak is not burning, take steps to prevent ignition. This could include prohibiting smoking, rerouting traffic, and shutting off the electricity and gas supply.
- If the pipeline leak is burning, try to prevent the spread of fire but do not attempt to extinguish it. Burning petroleum products: will not explode. If the fire is extinguished, gas or vapor will collect and could explode when reignited by secondary fires.
- Contact the pipeline company as quickly as possible. Pipeline marker signs show the pipeline company's name, emergency telephone number, and pipe-line contents.

## TARGA'S ACTIONS DURING AN EMERGENCY

We will immediately dispatch personnel to the site to help handle the emergency and to provide information to public safety officials to aid in the response to the emergency. We will also take the necessary operating actions starting

## EMERGENCY CONTACT:

1-800-483-9568

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## MISSISSIPPI COUNTIES OF OPERATION:

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

and stopping equipment, closing and opening valves, and similar steps to minimize the impact of the leak. Public safety personnel and others unfamiliar with the pipeline involved in the emergency should not attempt to operate any of the valves on the pipeline. Improper operation of the pipeline valves could make the situation worse and cause other accidents to happen.

## IF YOU OR YOUR COMPANY PERFORMS EXCAVATION WORK ...

... or if you are a homeowner or a farmer who occasionally digs on your property, we need your help in preventing pipeline emergencies. Records show that damage from excavation-related activities, particularly from equipment digging into pipelines, is the number one cause of pipeline accidents. Without proper coordination, excavation activities in the vicinity of underground pipelines can result in very dangerous situations.

## LOOK FOR PIPELINE MARKERS

To determine if there are pipelines in the area where excavation is planned, look for pipeline markers at nearby roads, railroads and fences. Don't try to guess the route or location of the pipeline from where the markers are placed. Call the pipeline company

collect at the telephone number shown on the marker at least 48 hours before you dig. Most states legally require excavators to call "One-Call." They will send a representative to mark the exact location, route and depth of the pipeline at no charge.

### WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE DIGGING AND DISTURB A PIPELINE

Even if you cause what seems to be only minor damage to the pipeline, notify the pipeline company immediately. A gouge, scrape, dents, or crease to the pipe or coating may cause a future break or leak. It is imperative that the pipeline owner inspects and repairs any damage to the line.

For more information on Targa's Pipeline Emergency Response Plan, please visit our corporate website or contact the following email address:  
[www.targaresources.com](http://www.targaresources.com) or  
[public-awareness@targaresources.com](mailto:public-awareness@targaresources.com)

### IF YOU LIVE OR WORK NEAR A PIPELINE, HOW CAN YOU TELL WHERE A PIPELINE IS LOCATED? LOOK FOR THESE SIGNS:



Located near roads, railroads and along pipeline right-of-ways

Painted metal or plastic posts

Pipeline casing vent

Marker for pipeline patrol plane

NOTE: Emergency phone numbers on signs.

