#### Springfield Gas System



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#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Springfield Gas Department is responsible for the purchase and distribution of natural gas to more than seven thousand (7,000) customers in Springfield and Robertson County. A team of twenty-four (24) employees is responsible for the construction, maintenance, operation and safety inspection of the system. The Tennessee Regulatory Authority conducts periodic inspections of the system and provides written reports to the department. The City of Springfield has a contract with the Tennessee Energy Acquisition Corporation for the purchase, transportation and storage of natural gas.

#### Cedar Hill Orlinda Cross Plains



Coopertown Springfield



# PIPELINE AWARENESS HOW DO YOU KNOW?

Because natural gas pipelines are underground, the public is often unaware of their presence. Pipelines may be in your neighborhood, or even on your property. How do you know?

One of the easiest ways to locate a pipeline is to recognize pipeline markers. The Springfield Gas
Department paints these markers with high-visibility yellow, and installs the markers at road crossings, railroads and other points along the pipeline right-of-way. The markers identify the pipeline company and include telephone numbers to call to reach a company representative.

If a pipeline is on your property, the agreement gives the pipeline company the right of access to build, operate and maintain the pipeline. Please remember, if a pipeline is on your property, the rightof-way should be clear of structures and trees. These restrictions are necessary for safety reasons. Please contact the Springfield Gas Department for additional information.

- When you call Tennessee One Call at 1-800-351-1111 or 811, they will locate all buried utility lines on your property, so you can safely dig and prevent a potentially hazardous condition.
- P In 2004 the Federal Office of Pipeline Safety recorded 48 cases of third party excavation damage to distribution lines nationwide resulting in more than \$10 million dollars worth of property damage and four injuries. Calling before you dig can prevent a costly or even deadly mistake.

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## **EMERGENCY CONTACT:** 1-615-384-0008

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### TENNESSEE COUNTIES OF OPERATION:

Robertson

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





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