

## ABOUT MAX MIDSTREAM TEXAS

Max Midstream operates 65-miles of Crude Oil pipeline ranging from 8" to 16", with crude oil truck and marine terminals with 2,112,000 barrels of storage, four loading berths to service ships and barges and 286-miles of Natural Gas pipeline in Texas.

# WHAT ARE THE SIGNS OF A PIPELINE LEAK?

- **Sight:** Oily or rainbow sheen on water surface, water bubbling or being blown into the air, a pool of liquid on the ground, dead or discolored vegetation amongst healthy plants, and flames near a pipeline.
- **Sound:** Hissing or gurgling sound near a pipeline.
- Smell: A petroleum odor.

## WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I SUSPECT A PIPELINE LEAK?

- Turn off all equipment and eliminate any ignition sources without risking injury.
- Leave the area by foot immediately. Try to direct any other bystanders to leave the area. Attempt to stay upwind.
- From a safe location, notify Max Midstream immediately and call 911 or your local emergency response number. Max Midstream and the 911 operator will need your name, your phone number, a brief description of the incident, and the location so the proper response can be initiated.

## 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!



## PIPELINELOCATIONANDMARKERS

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.

#### **PRODUCT TRANSPORTED**

Product: Crude Oil

Leak Type: Liquid

**Vapors:** Initially heavier than air and spread along ground and collect in low or confined areas. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Explosion hazards indoors, outdoors or in sewers.

**Health Hazards:** Inhalation or contact with material may irritate or burn skin and eyes. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. Vapors may cause dizziness or suffocation. Runoff from fire control or dilution water may cause pollution

#### EMERGENCY CONTACT: 1-877-465-1788

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## TEXAS COUNTIES OF OPERATION:

Bee	
Calhoun	
DeWitt	
Fort Bend	
Jackson	

Karnes Matagorda Refugio Victoria Wharton

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

# HOW TO GET ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Max Midstream does have an Integrity Management Plan. The Emergency number is the main office number.

#### **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 Max Midstreams emergency response plans and procedures, contact us directly.