



NORTHWEST GAS

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OPERATOR OVERVIEW

Northwest Gas owns and operates 300 miles of gas distribution systems (primarily natural gas, some propane) serving 7300 customers. In addition to these company-owned systems, Northwest Gas contracts to operate and maintain 41.5 miles of transmission pipeline, and 110 miles of gas distribution pipeline (again, primarily natural gas with some propane) serving 1600 customers for municipal and state government owners as well as 50 miles of pipeline for large end-users. Northwest Gas built its first gas distribution system in 1964. Pressure and Diameter of pipe vary according to system. Please contact us for specific system information.

COMMITMENT TO SAFETY, HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT

Northwest Gas is committed to protecting people first then property.

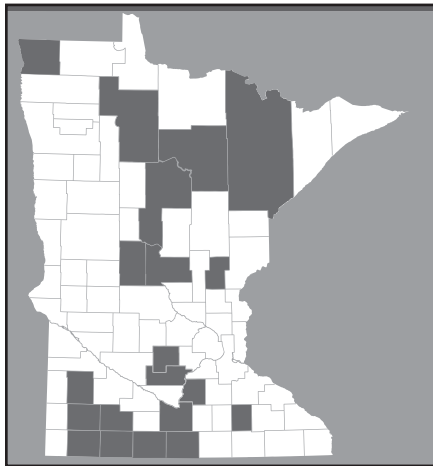
Emergency preparedness and planning measures are in place at Northwest Gas in the event that a gas emergency occurs. Company personnel are available 24/7 for emergency response in all areas of operation. The Company also works closely with emergency response organizations to provide education regarding its facilities and appropriate emergency response actions.

Pipelines are the safest, most efficient means by which to transport gas, easily outperforming railcars, barges and trucks. Pipelines reliably deliver gas to America's homes, businesses and heavy industry. Continuing improvements in equipment and operating practices have driven the industry's already-excellent safety performance higher year after year. Because of this situation serious accidents are rare even as gas use in the United States increases.

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PRODUCTS/DOT GUIDEBOOK ID#/GUIDE#:

Natural Gas	1971	115
Propane	1075/1978	115

**MINNESOTA
 COUNTIES OF OPERATION:**

North:

Beltrami	Morrison
Cass	St. Louis
Itasca	Todd
Kittson	

South:

Blue Earth	Lyon
Cottonwood	Martin
Dodge	McLeod
Faribault	Murray
Jackson	Nobles
Kanabec	Pine
Le Sueur	Sibley

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

