



**ABOUT COASTAL CAVERNS, INC.**

The pipeline is Operated under the name of Coastal Caverns, Inc. which is a subsidiary of Caliche Development Partners. Coastal Caverns, Inc. is a Houston based company focused on the development, construction, ownership, and operation of subsurface hydrocarbon storage assets and associated pipelines in Southeast Texas area. It currently owns and operates a 5 million barrel salt dome cavern and approximately 14 miles of 12" and 8" pipelines.

**PIPELINE PURPOSE AND RELIABILITY**

Coastal Caverns, Inc. operates an Ethylene system. According to National Transportation Safety Board statistics, pipelines are the safest and most efficient means of transporting products, and these pipelines transport over 700 million gallons of product per day in order to meet our energy needs.

**EMERGENCY RESPONDER ACTIONS IN A PIPELINE EMERGENCY**

The following guidelines are designed to ensure the safety of those in the area if a petroleum product pipeline leak is suspected or detected:

- Public safety and environmental protection are the top priorities in any pipeline emergency response.
- Secure the area around the leak to a safe distance. Because vapors from the products carried in pipelines can migrate great distances, it is important to remove all ignition sources from the area. If safe, evacuating people from homes, businesses, schools and other places of congregation, as well as controlling access to the site may be required in some incident scenarios. Sheltering in place may be the safest action if the circumstances make going outdoors dangerous.
- Establish a command center. Work with Coastal Caverns, Inc. representatives as you develop a plan to address the emergency. Coastal Caverns, Inc. will need to know:
- Your contact information and the

- location of the emergency
- Size, characteristics and behavior of the incident, and if there are any primary or secondary fires
- Any injuries or deaths
- The proximity of the incident to any structures, buildings, etc.
- Any environmental concerns such as bodies of water, grasslands, endangered wildlife and fish, etc.
- Evacuate or shelter in place. Depending on the quantity of product released, or other variables, it may be necessary to evacuate the public or have the public shelter in place. Evacuation route and the location of the incident will determine which procedure is required, but both may be necessary. Evacuate people upwind of the incident if necessary. Involving Coastal Caverns, Inc. may be important in making this decision.
- Coastal Caverns, Inc. will make their Emergency Spill Response Plan information available to Emergency Responders upon request.

**MAINTAINING SAFETY AND INTEGRITY OF PIPELINES**

Coastal Caverns, Inc. invests significant time and capital maintaining the quality and integrity of their system. Coastal Cavern's employees regularly communicate and meet with local emergency officials and emergency responders to discuss courses of action in the event of an emergency. When a notification of an incident or a leak is reported Coastal Caverns employees will be dispatched to assist emergency responders. Our employee's are trained to protect life, property, environment and facilities in the case of an emergency. Coastal Caverns will take steps necessary to minimize the impact to the surrounding community.

**HOW WOULD YOU KNOW WHERE THE PIPELINE IS?**

Most pipelines are underground, where they are more protected from the elements and minimize interference with surface uses. Even so, pipeline rights-of-way are clearly identified by

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(888) 214-5808**

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

pipeline markers along pipeline routes that identify the approximate—NOT EXACT—location of the pipeline. It also contains Coastal Caverns, Inc. company information, type of product transported, and the emergency contact number. Markers do not indicate pipeline burial depth, which will vary.



**WHAT DOES COASTAL CAVERNS, INC. DO IF A LEAK OCCURS?**

To prepare for the event of a leak, Coastal Caverns, Inc. personnel regularly communicate, plan and train with local emergency responders. In the unlikely event an incident or leak occurs, Coastal Caverns, Inc. will immediately dispatch trained personnel to assist emergency responders. Coastal Caverns, Inc. personnel and emergency responders are trained to protect life, property and facilities in the case of an emergency. Coastal Caverns, Inc. personnel will take steps to minimize the amount of gas that leaks out and to minimize the impact to the surrounding community. The safety of our neighbors is of the utmost importance to Coastal Caverns, Inc.