



July 29, 2021

Fire Chief «First_name» «Last_Name»
«Department»
«Address»
«Town», «State» «Zip»

RE: Natural Gas Mapping and Safety Demonstration Offer

Dear Chief «Last_Name»,

Maine Natural Gas (MNG) now utilizes ArcGIS Online for its mapping. We have set up an ArcGIS account for your use to access the general location of our gas mains for emergency purposes. These maps can be viewed at www.arcgis.com or by using the ArcGIS Explorer application with the Username and Password provided. In the past, we printed paper maps for each fire department to have on hand. This option is available upon request.

Username: FireMNG
Password: BananaPepper44

MNG is currently scheduling Gas Demonstrations for 2021-2022. The Gas Demonstrations are optional to you but highly recommended and can be scheduled at your convenience, including day and/or evening sessions, to ensure that all your personnel have had the opportunity to attend. The total program, including questions and answers, is typically one and a half hours. The Gas demonstration covers the natural gas transportation system, the comparison of the properties of natural gas and propane, recognizing and responding to natural gas emergencies, and carbon monoxide. The properties compared are vapor density, heat content, ignition temperature and explosive limits.

This training is done as a public service and is designed to increase the awareness of public safety personnel that may be responding to natural gas emergencies. MNG looks forward to the opportunity to provide this training and respectfully requests that all members attend, including Chief Officers.

In addition to the training, we would be glad to meet with you to discuss any questions or comments you may have pertaining to, but not limited to, the following topics:

- Concerns about natural gas;
- Methods to increase public awareness of natural gas, and;
- MNG's response to incidents and our coordination with your Department.

To schedule your meeting and/or training session, or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 207-729-0420 ext. 107, or via email at jgauthier@mainenaturalgas.com.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph Gauthier". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joseph" and last name "Gauthier" clearly distinguishable.

Joseph Gauthier, P.E.
Supervisor - Gas Engineering