

## Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission Pipeline Safety Division

#### 2010 Master Meter Operator Compliance Seminar November 4, 2010

## **Public Awareness**

For Master Meter Operators

# Baseline Messages

Pipeline Purpose & Reliability
Natural Gas, one of the world's cleanest & safest fuels

Awareness of Hazards

Dead vegetation, blowing, hissing. Use your senses: See, Hear, Smell

Damage Prevention Methods

Call (Indiana 811) 2 days before digging

# Baseline Messages Cont.

- Leak Recognition and Response Can I recognize? What do I do? What not to do?
- How to get Additional Information
  Visit safegasindiana.org or call your local gas supplier

### Requirements

- Must have a written procedure in your O & M describing YOUR Public Awareness plan
- Distribution = 2x a calendar year
   We would like to see them included with Move-in packets
   We recommend adequately spaced and timely
- Document the distribution dates

#### **Additional**

- Posted on bulletin boards, laundry rooms, recreation areas
- Periodic newsletters to residents
- Good to incorporate Carbon Monoxide Awareness