

CITY OF BETHANY MUNICIPAL GAS SYSTEM RESPONSE TO REVISION (12)(S)1.B.

ATTACHMENT A

A.1. No

A.2. No

A.3. No

B. Specific.1.. We have not been refused entry to premises yet through the pandemic. The only reason for this amendment to this code I could see the need for would be for Hospitals, Nursing Homes, etc. We haven't had an issue with it yet.

B.Specific.2. If a residential customer has an illness or serious health conditions then maybe do a waiver or amendment.

B.Specific.3. I do not see it affecting us fiscally.

ATTACHMENT B  
PUBLIC LEAK DATA

1. A. Yes

B. We notify City Hall and the (911) Dispatch where the leak is located and when it will be repaired. (Usually repaired within 24 hours or less) We notify both after repairs are made also. We try to notify the person that called in the leak also to let them know it has been repaired.

2. No

3. We would have a gas investigation order sheet if there was an underground leak in that area. ( Also use memory)!

4. A.b.c. City Hall and (911) dispatch are notified about the leak and the location. We don't monitor active leaks for very long here. We usually repair them the same day or within 24 hours once they have been pinpointed and an emergency locate request has been called in. We fill out a gas investigation order sheet with the date, location on the leak and what we found. We only adjust our digital mapping if we cut something loose or make a change in pipe, size, route, etc.

5.a.b.c. We don't other than Dispatch and City Hall. They are notified so they can tell customers if they inquire about the leak and for emergency personnel, transportation, etc. We take pictures of faulty fittings or 3rd party damages, or poor workmanship and store them on our phones and computer.

6. I suppose the information would be more readily available for the general public if it was posted online maybe.

7. I feel sometimes it is better that some people don't know about non-hazardous leaks as some people overreact. These people could get more customers stirred up and draw unwanted press for us gas operators. Especially online, social media, etc...

8. Probably weekly.

Bethany Municipal Gas System  
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