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National Fuel Announces Management Changes

(Sept. 5, 2018) WILLIAMSVILLE, N.Y. – National Fuel Gas Company (National Fuel or the Company) (NYSE: NFG) announced the following executive management changes, effective Aug. 1, 2018: **Michael P. Kasprzak** to President of National Fuel Gas Midstream Company, LLC, **Kevin D. House** to Vice President of National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation, **Amy L. Shiley** to Assistant Vice President of National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation, and **James C. Welch** to Assistant Vice President of National Fuel Gas Midstream Company, LLC.



Michael P. Kasprzak has been promoted to President of National Fuel Gas Midstream Company, LLC (Midstream). He is responsible for the day-to-day management of Midstream as well as the Company's timber business.

Kasprzak started his career at National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation (Supply) in 1981 as a Management Trainee in the Compression Operations and Engineering departments in Oil City, Pa. In 1989, he was promoted to Superintendent, overseeing the company's Compression Services Department, and in 1993 transferred to Erie, Pa., to assume responsibility for Supply's Engineering Department. In 2009, he was promoted to Assistant Vice President with continued oversight of compressor maintenance, compression engineering, automation, and electrical engineering as well as expansion project management for Supply, Midstream, and Empire Pipeline, Inc (Empire). He was promoted to Vice President of Midstream in 2017.

Kasprzak received his Bachelor of Science in agricultural engineering from Michigan State University. He resides in Erie, Pa., with his wife and has enjoyed a long affiliation with the Evans Scholar Foundation and the Therapeutic Riding Equestrian Center.



Kevin D. House has been promoted to Vice President of National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation (Distribution or the Utility). He is responsible for engineering support, plant asset management, and pipeline integrity for Distribution, Supply, and Empire – the Company's regulated subsidiaries.

House was hired in 1984 as a Management Trainee in Erie, Pa., in the Utility's Operations Department. Following 14 years of working in the field and customer service operations, House transferred to the Engineering Department. In 2002, he relocated to the Company's headquarters in Williamsville, becoming General Manager in 2007, with the merger of utility and pipeline engineering into a consolidated Engineering Services Department. House was subsequently promoted to Assistant Vice President in 2013.

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House earned a Bachelor of Science in chemical engineering from Grove City College and resides in Orchard Park, N.Y., with his wife and son.



Amy L. Shiley has been promoted to Assistant Vice President of National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation. She is responsible for the Human Resources and Payroll departments for the regulated subsidiaries in New York and Pennsylvania.

Shiley joined National Fuel in 1991 as a Management Trainee. In 1997, she was named Director of Diversity and Compliance and was quickly promoted to Manager of Diversity in 1999. In 2003, she was named Senior Manager. Shiley earned Manager in 2005 and, in 2008, was promoted to Assistant General Manager and General Manager in 2011.

In 2006, Shiley was honored by Business First's 40 Under Forty. She received a Bachelor of Arts in psychology from Syracuse University and a Master of Science in industrial psychology from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. Shiley is the mother of two and currently resides in Orchard Park, N.Y., with her husband.



James C. Welch has been promoted to Assistant Vice President of National Fuel Gas Midstream Company, LLC. He is responsible for the development of the Gathering Segment at National Fuel.

Welch began his career with National Fuel in 2002 as a Management Associate at the Main Office. Throughout his time at the Company, he's worked for various departments and divisions, holding positions such as Director of Investor Relations as well as Marketing Manager for the East Division of Seneca Resources Company, LLC. In 2017, he was promoted to General Manager of Midstream.

Welch earned a Bachelor of Science and a Master of Business Administration with concentrations in corporate finance and marketing from the University at Buffalo. He's a volunteer for UB's School of Management and an active member of his church. Jim currently resides in Clarence Center, N.Y., with his wife and two daughters.

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About the Company

National Fuel Gas Company is a diversified energy company headquartered in Western New York that operates an integrated collection of natural gas and oil assets across five business segments: Exploration and Production, Pipeline and Storage, Gathering, Utility, and Energy Marketing. Additional information about National Fuel is available at www.nationalfuelgas.com.

National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation is the Utility segment of National Fuel Gas Company, a diversified energy company that is engaged in a number of natural gas-related activities. The Utility provides natural gas service to approximately 740,000 customers in Western New York and northwestern Pennsylvania.

National Fuel Gas Midstream Company, LLC is the Gathering Segment of National Fuel Gas Company, which constructs, owns, and operates natural gas gathering pipelines and compression facilities in the Appalachian region.

National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation is part of the Pipeline and Storage segment of National Fuel Gas Company, specializing in transporting and storing natural gas and serving utilities, pipelines, marketers, and energy generators in the growing markets of the northeastern U.S.

Empire Pipeline, Inc. is an interstate pipeline system that generally transports natural gas from various receipt points in southern New York and at the Pennsylvania border to various local distribution companies, end-users, and other interstate pipelines in Western and Central New York and Canada.

Seneca Resources Company, LLC is the exploration and production segment of National Fuel Gas Company, headquartered in Houston, Texas, explores for, develops and produces natural gas and oil reserves in California and the Appalachian Region including the Marcellus and Utica Shales.