

Empire North – Landowner Letter - Farmington

Date

Name

«Address»

«City», «State» «Zip»

Dear «Suffix» «Last»:

Empire Pipeline, Inc. (Empire), a subsidiary of National Fuel Gas Company, plans to file an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) for the Empire North Project. If approved, the proposed natural gas infrastructure project will transport regionally produced natural gas into the interstate natural gas pipeline system to provide reliable supplies of energy to local Western New York gas distribution utilities and market centers in the northeastern United States via the North American Pipeline grid.

The project includes construction and operation of a 32,000 HP electric motor-driven compressor station in Farmington, N.Y. The station will be located off Hook Road on a 92.4 acre parcel directly adjacent to the existing Rochester Gas & Electric substation and existing utility power lines and rights of way, and the New York State Thruway.

We plan to submit a formal application to FERC in January 2018 with a target in-service date of November 2019.

You are being contacted because your property is located within a half-mile of the construction area for the proposed Farmington Compressor Station. We want to provide you with as much information as possible about the project and your rights as a landowner. To that end, we'd like to invite you to attend an information session where Empire representatives will be present to answer questions, give a project and company overview, explain community benefits including annual taxes and enhanced electric reliability as well as environmental commitments to safety, lighting, noise and aesthetics while providing detailed maps of the proposed project.

Thursday, Nov. 9, 2017

Farmington Town Hall

1000 County Road 8

Farmington, N.Y.

Presentation to begin at 6:30 p.m.

Doors open with displays at 5:30 p.m.

To RSVP for the information session, please email me at corpcomm@natfuel.com or contact me at 1-800-634-5440, Ext. 7654. We look forward to working with you on this project.

Sincerely,

Karen L. Merkel
Assistant General Manager
Corporate Communications