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MEDIA ADVISORY

Synthetic Natural Gas (SNG) Distribution System Update

The Town of Inuvik is now running on synthetic natural gas (SNG), working collaboratively with the local and chief gas inspectors. This will help preserve the remaining natural gas reserves at Ikhil.

Inuvik Gas Customer Service representatives have completed a first pass through town as part of testing and implementing the SNG distribution system. However, we recognize not everyone was home.

Our Customer Service representatives continue to inspect natural gas appliances and check electrical panels. Our immediate goal is to finish testing every natural gas appliance in customers' homes and businesses (such as furnaces, water tanks and stoves) on the SNG system. We also want to check electrical panels to help us determine possible additional requirements for winter. For the convenience of our customers, we are available seven days a week to complete these appliance tests.

If customers have not yet had appliances tested, they can contact Inuvik Gas and leave a message at 620-0557 to suggest a convenient appointment time, including Saturday and Sunday. Or call Inuvik Gas' general number at 777-3422 for more information.

In preparation for winter, we have completed our survey of all external gas meters and pipes.

Natural gas and SNG are both odorized. If customers smell gas, they should call Inuvik Gas' Emergency Line right away at no charge 24 hours a day at 777-4427.

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