

Protect your
community from
disaster-related
gas pipeline leaks.



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Fires can damage natural gas pipelines and lead to gas leaks. So can high winds, flooding and heavy winter storms.

- ▶ **Flames and heat** from structure fires can compromise aboveground gas piping and its connections.
- ▶ **Wind-uprooted trees** can wrench or puncture nearby pipelines.
- ▶ **Fast-flowing flood waters** can expose buried pipelines, rip them from the ground and dislodge gas service lines.
- ▶ **Heavy ice and snow** accumulation can damage aboveground natural gas meters and piping.
- ▶ **Ice expanding underground** in sustained subfreezing conditions can heave up soil and crack buried pipelines.



Do not attempt to repair a leaking pipeline, and **NEVER** operate underground pipeline valves. Evacuate the area, eliminate ignition hazards and report the damage to National Grid.

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Smell Gas. Act Fast. Be the one to call 911.

If you suspect a natural gas leak, call 911 and National Grid immediately.

Massachusetts

911 and 1-800-233-5325

New York

Long Island and the Rockaways:

911 and 1-800-490-0045

Metro New York: 911 and 1-718-643-4050

Upstate New York: 911 and 1-800-892-2345

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