

**LAFAYETTE
NATURAL GAS SYSTEM**
Service and Pride Since 1843

Natural Gas

The City of Lafayette's Natural Gas system provides service to approximately 2,000 customers. The Lafayette Gas Dept. operates and maintains over 78 miles of Distribution system pipelines.

Know What Natural Gas Smells Like?

Clean natural gas is odorless and invisible, so we add Mercaptan (a non-poisonous additive) to give it its distinctive "rotten egg" or sulfur-like smell. It is added to our product for your protection, so you can detect escaping gas, even in the smallest quantities, long before there is any danger. Whether or not you use Natural Gas, you need to be aware of keeping it safe.

Natural Gas is not Poisonous.....

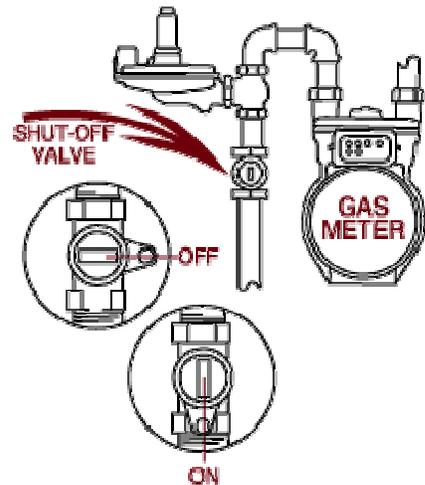
Natural Gas does not contain carbon-monoxide, the cause of so-called "Gas Poisoning". However, when burning Natural Gas or any fuel, carbon-monoxide can be produced by lack of air, improperly working appliances, or poor ventilation. As a basic precaution be sure that ventilation systems are always in perfect working order, unobstructed, and properly fitted.

All Gas customers need to have or install a Carbon- Monoxide detector.

**Your personal safety should be
Your first concern**

What should I do if I smell gas?

- *Do Not turn any lights on or off**
- *Do Not switch on anything electrical**
- *Extinguish any open flames**
- *Do Not use your phone**
- *Alert others and leave immediately**
- *Call (615) 666-4580 from your neighbor's house or a cell phone outside the building**
- *Tell us where you are so you can let us in your home when we arrive**
- *If you are able, shut off the gas valve at the meter. Do Not turn it on again. A qualified technician must turn your meter back on and relight your appliances.**



**Call the Lafayette Gas Dept.
24 hours a day 7 days a week**

615-666-4580 or (911)

**We are trained to recognize
the problem and Render it safe**

INCENTIVE REBATE PROGRAM.....

The City Of Lafayette Gas Dept. offers an incentive rebate program for gas customers. If you install a Gas Water Heater, Gas Cook Stove, or Gas Dryer, the city will reimburse you \$50.00. Come by City Hall during regular business hours and bring your receipt of purchase and we will come out and inspect your appliance. It is our way of saying Thank You for being a loyal customer of the City of Lafayette.