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PSC to Hold Public Hearings on Proposed Natural Gasline Projects

Public Encouraged to Provide Comments

MADISON – The Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSC) will hold public hearings in De Pere and Fond du Lac on March 20th and 21st regarding applications from Wisconsin Public Service Corporation (WPSC), We Energies and Wisconsin Gas to build gas lines to connect their existing natural gas distribution systems to a proposed expansion of an interstate pipeline owned by Guardian Pipeline LLC (Guardian).

Guardian's proposed expansion must be approved by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) before construction can begin. If approved by FERC, WPSC, We Energies and Wisconsin Gas have asked for PSC authorization to build gas lines to attach to the pipeline expansion. The proposed gas lines would run through the counties of Fond du Lac, Sheboygan, Calumet, Brown, Outagamie, Dodge and Washington. Citizens are invited to provide testimony on the requests.

Public comments on the applications will be included in the record the Commission will review to make a decision regarding construction of the lateral pipelines. The Commission has the authority to approve, deny or modify the applications. Citizens are encouraged to attend one of the hearings, which are scheduled for:

Tuesday, March 20th
3:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
St. Norbert College
Bemis International Center-Room 20CD
100 Grant Street
De Pere, WI

Wednesday, March 21st
3:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
University of Wisconsin-Fond du Lac
University Center-LGI Room
400 University Drive
Fond du Lac, WI

If you cannot attend the public hearings, but would like to provide comments, you can do so on the PSC's website at <http://psc.wi.gov/> through March 21. Click on the Public Comments button and click on the case title. You can also mail written comments to the PSC at P.O. Box 7854, Madison, WI 53707-7854, postmarked no later than March 21.

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The hearing locations are accessible to people in wheelchairs. Any person who needs additional accommodations to participate should contact Docket Coordinator, Anne Vandervort at 608-266-5814. Documents associated with the applications can be viewed on the PSC's Electronic Regulatory Filing System at <http://psc.wi.gov/>. Type case numbers 6690-CG-160, 5-CG-103 and 6650-CG-220 in the boxes provided on the PSC homepage, or click on the Electronic Regulatory Filing System button.

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