

AmeriGas Eagle Propane, L.P.

**Rules, Regulations, and Rate Schedules Governing the Sale
And/or Transportation of Propane in Piped Distribution Systems**

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TERRITORY SERVED

As of October 1, 2009

The territory served by AmeriGas Eagle Propane, L.P. in piped systems from a common tank(s), with the proper franchises agreements, consists of the following townships:

<u>TOWNSHIP</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>STATE</u>
Township of Big Rapids	Mecosta	Michigan
Township of Benona	Oceana	Michigan
Township of Cedar Creek	Muskegon	Michigan
Township of Dalton	Muskegon	Michigan
Township of Courtland	Kent	Michigan
Township of Egleston	Muskegon	Michigan
Township of Golden	Oceana	Michigan
Township of Hamlin	Mason	Michigan
Township of Hanover	Wexford	Michigan
Township of Hart	Oceana	Michigan
Township of Hayes	Charlevoix	Michigan
Township of Hayes	Otsego	Michigan
Township of Hebron	Cheboygan	Michigan
Township of Irving	Barry	Michigan
Township of Littlefield	Emmett	Michigan
Township of Mayfield	Grand Traverse	Michigan
Township of Orange	Kalkaska	Michigan
Township of Orangeville	Barry	Michigan
Township of Otsego Lake	Otsego	Michigan
Township of Peaine	Charlevoix	Michigan
Township of Shelby	Oceana	Michigan
Township of Solon	Kent	Michigan
Township of Solon	Leelanau	Michigan
Township of Suttons Bay	Leelanau	Michigan
Township of St. James	Charlevoix	Michigan
Township of Thornapple	Barry	Michigan
Township of Wayland	Allegan	Michigan
Township of Wexford	Wexford	Michigan
Township of Wilson	Charlevoix	Michigan
<u>Village</u>		
Village of Buckley	Wexford	Michigan

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TECHINCAL TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- a) **Heating Season** means the portion of the year in which space heating will actually occur, which in the case of price ceilings, runs from October 1 through March 31 of the following year.
- b) **Price Ceiling** means the maximum price that a customer can be charged within their particular price tier during a given heating season, established each year for that given heating season.
- c) **Price Tier** means the price a customer will pay for gas based on their customer type and annual usage.
- d) **Bulk Propane Customer** means a customer being supplied propane from tank on their property.
- e) **Annual Usage** means the amount of gas consumed in a 12 month period.
- f) **Service Lines** mean gas lines of one inch (1") and smaller connecting customers to the gas main.
- g) **Gas Mains** mean gas lines in sizes larger than one inch (1") used to connect more than one customer via a service line, to a common storage tank(s) or storage facility.
- h) **Main Extensions** mean gas lines larger than one inch (1") used to connect additional customers from an existing gas main.
- i) **Piped Distribution System** means a gas distribution system consisting of a gas main(s) with service lines connecting more than one metered gas customer to a common storage tank(s) or storage facility.
- j) **AmeriGas** means AmeriGas Eagle Propane, L.P.

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RATE SCHEDULE

AmeriGas will set a “Price Ceiling” for propane each year for the “Heating Season” as stated below. The actual price charged shall not exceed the “Price Ceiling” during the “Heating Season”. Our rate schedule is pursuant to Michigan Public Service Commission order in Case No. U-11814, U-11819 and any subsequent orders.

RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS, PRICE CEILING

<u>Annual Usage In Cubic Feet</u>	<u>Price per Cubic Foot</u>	<u>Price per Gallon</u>	<u>Heating Season Year</u>
0 and up	\$0.0757	\$2.949	2011-2012

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL PRICE CEILING

<u>Annual Usage In Cubic Feet</u>	<u>Price per Cubic Foot</u>	<u>Price per Gallon</u>	<u>Heating Season Year</u>
178,251 and up	\$0.0701	\$2.649	2011-2012
35,651 to 178,250	\$0.0715	\$2.699	2011-2012
0 to 35,650	\$0.0729	\$2.749	2011-2012

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GENERAL PROVISIONS

Rule 1. Application of rules.

These rules apply to metered customers serviced through a piped distribution system from a common tank(s) provided by AmeriGas.

Rule 2. Discrimination prohibited.

AmeriGas shall not discriminate against or penalize a customer for exercising any right granted by these rules.

Rule 3. Bill Information Rule.

The Michigan Public Service Commission's customer complaint phone number(s) shall be placed on each customer's bill that is serviced by a piped distribution system that is attached to a common storage system.

BILLING AND PAYMENT STANDARDS

Rule 4. Residential Billing Practices.

Rules R 460.101 through R 460.169 of the Michigan Administrative Code, **The Consumer Standards and Billing Practices – Electrical and Gas Residential Customer Service**, apply as practically possible to all residential customers serviced through a piped distribution system. AmeriGas shall make copies of these rules available to any residential customers upon request.

Rule 4.01 Residential Deposits/Termination

AmeriGas reserves the right to charge a deposit as published in the AmeriGas Current Schedule of Fees for new and /or previously existing PDS customers. AmeriGas reserves the right to suspend and /or terminate service if an account balance is greater than 60 days past due. Payments are due upon statement receipt.

Rule 5. Billing Practices Applicable to Non-Residential Electric and Gas Customers.

R 460.1601 through R 460.1640 of the Michigan Administrative Code, **Billing Practices Applicable to Commercial and Industrial Gas Customers**, apply as practically possible to all commercial and industrial customers serviced through a piped distribution system. AmeriGas shall make copies of the rules available to any commercial or industrial customer upon request.

Rule 5.01 Commercial Deposits/Termination

AmeriGas reserves the right to charge a deposit as published in the AmeriGas Current Schedule of Fees for new and /or previously existing PDS customers. AmeriGas reserves the right to suspend and /or terminate service if an account balance is greater than 60 days past due. Payments are due upon statement receipt.

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SCHEDULE OF OTHER CHARGES
FOR RESIDENTIAL PIPED SYSTEMS FOR COMMON TANKS

Rule 6. Mains & Main Extensions

- a) Two (2) inch and smaller gas mains built to Michigan Gas Safety Standards and industry standards may be installed at a rate of: **\$ 5.00 per foot.**
- b) Four (4) inch gas mains built to Michigan Gas Safety Standards and industry standards may be installed at a rate of: **\$ 10.00 per foot.**
- c) Gas mains larger than four (4") inch requirements may be based on the actual cost of the installation.

Rule 7. Credits for Mains & Main Extensions

- a) Locations that would normally require a 500 gallon on site storage tank equals a credit of: **\$ 1,100.00 per hookup.**
- b) Locations that would normally require a 1000 gallon on site storage tank equals a credit of: **\$ 1,950.00 per hookup.**

Rule 8. Services

- a) One (1) inch or smaller services lines, including up to the first fifty (50) feet of service line, a regulator, a meter, and all appropriate appurtenances may be installed at a rate of: **\$ 200.00 per hookup.**
- b) **\$ 4.00 per foot** charge for each foot in excess of 50 feet to 150 feet.
- c) A **\$ 1.00 per foot** for all footage in excess of 150 feet.
- d) Larger sized service lines that may be required may be based on the actual cost of each installation.

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Technical Standards for Gas Services

Rule 9. Technical Standards for Gas Services

The Technical Standards of Gas Service, being Rule R460.2301 through Rule R460.2383 of the Michigan Administrative Code, are adopted by reference where appropriate by AmeriGas.

Rule 10. Inspection of Meters

The inspection and accuracy of all propane vapor meters fall under the jurisdiction of the Michigan Department of Agriculture, Weights & Measures Unit. Any customer justified complaint on meter accuracy will cause AmeriGas to remove the suspect meter and have it tested and proved in accordance with the procedure established with the Department of Agriculture, Weights & Measures Unit. A new meter will be put in place of the suspect meter during this testing period and the results of the testing will be given to the customer in writing and kept on file for seven (7) years.

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