PIPELINES ARE GOOD NEIGHBORS

Pipelines value the communities they operate in and strive to be good neighbors.

Safe and Getting Safer

Pipelines have a track record of safe operations. Operators use proactive inspections, preventive maintenance and 24/7 monitoring to keep their systems operating safely. Federal safety data agrees with liquids pipeline incidents rare and declining even further.

Partnership with the Public

In addition to pipeline operator activities to monitor and patrol their pipelines, the public is encouraged to report any potential problems they may see in the area of a pipeline. We all have the opportunity to watch over our community safety and react quickly to any problems.

Work with First Responders

Pipeline operators know that part of their obligation to stay safe is to be prepared for the rare case that something does happen. Operators work with local first responders to share information on the pipelines in the community and plan for quick action if any response is needed.

Required to Keep Pipelines Safe

Pipeline operators are good neighbors because of all the requirements on them to keep their pipelines safe. Federal law and regulations require constant monitoring, proactive inspection and preventive maintenance of pipelines. Pipeline operators are subject to federal penalties if they violate pipeline safety requirements.