

**Elizabethtown Gas Company  
Notice of Public Hearings**

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:

On August 8, 2018, Elizabethtown Gas Company (“the Company”) filed a petition with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (“Board” or “BPU”) in BPU Docket No. GR18080860 to increase the Energy Efficiency Program (“EEP”) Rider rate from a credit of \$0.0007 per therm to \$0.0051 per therm, inclusive of applicable taxes, effective October 1, 2018. The proposed rate is designed to recover the Company’s energy efficiency program costs amounting to \$2.1 million. The proposed rate is subject to Board approval and may be higher or lower depending on the Board’s final determination and the date on which such rate is made effective. A comparison of the Company’s current rate to the proposed rate is as follows:

	<b><u>Current Rate</u></b> <b><u>Per Therm</u></b>	<b><u>Proposed Rate</u></b> <b><u>Per Therm</u></b>
<b>EEP</b>	(\$0.0007)	\$0.0051

The effect of the Company's filing to a typical residential customer using an average of 100 therms per month is as follows as compared to rates in effect as of August 1, 2018:

Consumption in Therms	Present Bill	Proposed Bill	Proposed Change	Percent Change
100	\$91.40	\$91.98	\$0.58	0.6%

Any assistance required by customers in ascertaining the impact of the proposed rate increase will be furnished by the Company upon request.

Copies of the Petition are available for inspection at the Company’s offices located at 520 Green Lane, Union, New Jersey, online at Elizabethtown’s website: [www.elizabethtowngas.com/rates-and-tariff](http://www.elizabethtowngas.com/rates-and-tariff) under regulatory information, and at the Board of Public Utilities, 44 South Clinton Avenue, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Trenton, New Jersey.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that Public Hearings have been scheduled on the above-mentioned Petition at the following times and places:

September 20, 2018 at 4:30 pm and 5:30 pm  
Hunterdon County Complex, Route 12, Building #1, Flemington, New Jersey 08822

September 24, 2018 at 4:30 pm and 5:30 pm  
Liberty Hall Corporate Center, 1085 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey 07083

The public is invited to attend and interested persons will be permitted to make a statement of their views on the proposed increase. Information provided at the public hearings will become part of the record of this case and will be considered by the Board in making its decision. In order to encourage full participation in this opportunity for public comment, please submit requests for needed accommodations, including an interpreter, listening devices and/or mobility assistance, 48 hours prior to these hearings. In addition, members of the public may submit written comments concerning the Petition to the Board regardless of whether they attend the hearing by addressing them to: Office of the Secretary, Board of Public Utilities, 44 South Clinton Avenue, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Suite 314, P.O. Box 350, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0350.

**Elizabethtown Gas Company  
Brian MacLean – President and Chief Operating Officer**