



CUSTOMER COUNTY BARN PRECINCT 3 ✓

ACCOUNT NUMBER 6401111506-6/830

Your account is past due.

SERVICE ADDRESS SEP 27 2023 25000 State Highway 35 S, Palacios, TX 77465-1920

DATE MAILED Sep 22, 2023

TOTAL DUE \$ 130.18

CenterPointEnergy.com

Gas leak or emergency Leave immediately, then call 888-876-5786, 24 hours a day

Customer service 800-427-7142 toll-free Monday - Friday, 7 am - 7 pm

Call before you dig Call 811 24 hours a day

Comments PO Box 2628 Houston, TX 77252-2628

Your usage in a glance

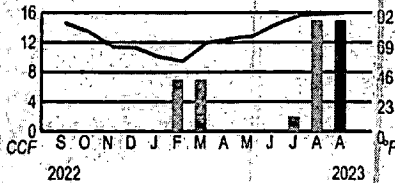


Table with 4 columns: Previous usage, Usage this month, 1 year ago, Last month, This month. Rows include Total CCF used, Average daily gas use (CCF), Average daily temperature, and Days in billing period.

To better understand your home energy usage and learn energy savings tips, visit CenterPointEnergy.com/myenergyanalyzer

Rates have been reduced due to a Tax Refund. For more information, please visit CenterPointEnergy.com/TXTaxReform.

RECEIVED SEP 27 2023

BY: [Signature]

FINAL BILL

To report gas leaks, carbon monoxide and other gas emergencies, please call 1-888-876-5786. We appreciate your understanding that billing inquiries cannot be answered on this line.

ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include Previous gas amount due (\$65.09), Payment (No payment received -0.00), Past due gas charges due immediately (pa 9-11-23 cl # 109832 \$65.09), Current gas charges due Oct 10, 2023 (Details on page 2) (+65.09), and Total amount due (\$130.18).

APPROVED COUNTY AUDITOR [Signature]

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How to pay your bill

Online Visit: CenterPointEnergy.com/paybill Pay immediately, schedule a payment or set up automatic monthly payments.

Phone Call 800-427-7142 and make a payment using your checking or savings account, or by debit or credit card.

In person To find a payment location, visit: CenterPointEnergy.com/paybill or call 800-427-7142.

Mail Return the payment stub below, with your check or money order, using the return envelope.

Please keep this portion for your records

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DEFINITIONS

CCF 1 CCF = 100 cubic feet of gas. This is how we measure your monthly usage.

Customer charge and base amount. Covers fixed costs for reading meters, issuing bills, maintaining facilities and gas lines, postage, etc. These costs occur even if you do not use gas during a billing period.

Gas Cost Adjustment (GCA) is the cost CenterPoint Energy pays for the gas it delivers to its customers.

Storage inventory charge allows the Company the opportunity to recover the regulated carrying cost of its investment in storage.

Reimbursement of local franchise fee is a fee paid to the city for the company's use of right-of-way in streets and alleys.

Reimbursement of state gross receipts tax is a tax imposed by the State of Texas on each utility company located in an incorporated city having a population of more than 1,000.

For a more detailed description of each of the terms used on your bill, please visit CenterPointEnergy.com/definitions or call Customer Support at 800-427-7142.

Current gas charges

Rate: GSS-2097-U-GRIP 2023@14.95 Pressure Base

Meter Number **Day Billing Period**
3731506736444 12

Billing Period	Current Reading	Previous Reading	Usage
08/18/23 - 08/30/23 ✓	597	582 ✓	15 CCF
Customer charge *			\$48.93
Storage inventory charge		15 CCF x \$ 0.00452	0.07
Base amount		15 CCF x \$ 0.16620	2.49
Gas cost adjustment		15 CCF x \$ 0.94139	14.12
Tax refund			- 0.52
Total current charges			\$ 65.09 ✓

The customer charge includes the current GRIP surcharge of \$7.51.

Your account, managed your way

Sign up at CenterPointEnergy.com/myaccount

- **24/7 online account access.** View and/or pay your bill, view usage history, sign up for account services and much more.
- **Go paperless.** Receive an email when your bill is ready to view and pay. Get convenience, get rid of clutter.

- **Pay automatically.** Set up AutoPay by signing and returning the form below with your check payment. It's that easy!
- **Even out the highs and lows of your monthly bills.** Enroll in Average Monthly Billing and spread your natural gas costs throughout the year.
- **Get bill reminders.** Choose text or email, up to five days before your bill is due.

- **Other services.** Report a payment made at a payment location, set up a payment extension and much more. View options from your online account or visit CenterPointEnergy.com/selfservice if you'd prefer not to register.
- **Moving?** Please call us at 800-427-7142 at least two weeks before you move, or complete the forms at CenterPointEnergy.com/selfservice

Mail payments to CenterPoint Energy, PO Box 4981, Houston, TX 77210-4981

Manage billing peaks



Get *Average Monthly Billing*.

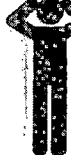





Cold weather typically means more natural gas used for heating. Combine that with forecasted increases in the cost of natural gas and you will likely see higher heating bills this year compared to last year.

With *Average Monthly Billing (AMB)*, you can smooth out those monthly billing peaks for more predictable bills that are easier on your budget.

To learn more, visit
CenterPointEnergy.com/AMB.

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Know the signs of CARBON MONOXIDE (CO) exposure

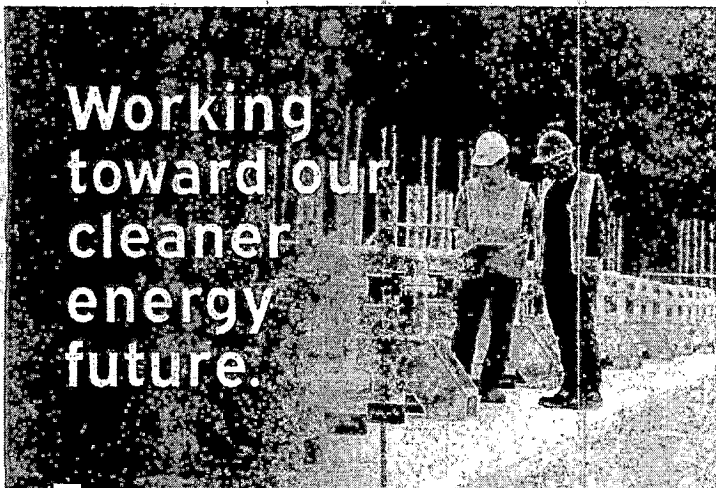
 Headaches	 Nausea	 Breathlessness
 Dizziness	 Collapse	 Loss of consciousness

CO is a colorless, odorless, tasteless gas that, when inhaled, is dangerous and potentially poisonous.

- Common sources: poorly maintained, improperly vented furnaces, space heaters and stoves
- Treatment: breathing fresh air or oxygen, but severe exposure requires medical attention

CenterPointEnergy.com/COSafety

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**Working
toward our
cleaner
energy
future.**

CenterPoint Energy is working toward the goal of a cleaner energy future by investing in renewable energy, modernizing our infrastructure and exploring innovative and new technologies.

We recognize our responsibility to operate in a socially responsible manner and to help minimize our impact on the environment.

Learn more about how we are transitioning our communities to a cleaner energy future:
Sustainability.CenterPointEnergy.com

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For a hard copy of any of these messages, mail us at CenterPoint Energy, P.O. Box 1700, Marketing Floor 33, Houston, TX, 77002.



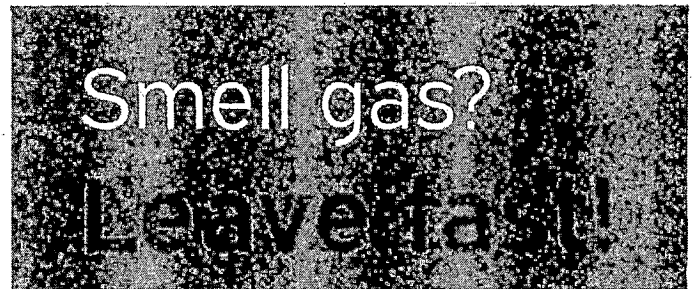
**Stay safe,
connected and
informed this
storm season
with Storm
Center**

CenterPoint Energy is committed to the safety and well-being of the communities we share, and we want to make sure you and your loved ones are prepared for storm season.

Check out essential tips that can help you stay safe before, during and after a storm:

CenterPointEnergy.com/StormCenter

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Notice a suspicious odor in your home? If it smells like rotten eggs, it could be a gas leak. Follow these steps to stay safe:



Leave immediately on foot.

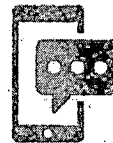
DO NOT

ON



OFF

Do not use your telephone or appliances, light a match or turn light switches on or off. Sparks could ignite natural gas.



Call CenterPoint Energy or 911 from a safe distance. Do not assume someone else has already called. The gas leak will be investigated at no charge.



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Scan the QR code to learn more.

Escanee aquí para obtener más información sobre la seguridad del gas natural.

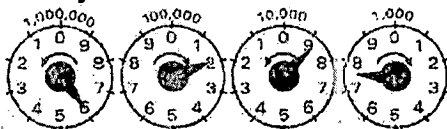
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A safety message from CenterPoint Energy

If you smell natural gas, leave immediately. Call our Gas Leak Hotline at 800-296-9815. Do not use or store flammable products such as gasoline in the same room or area near the water heater or any other gas appliance.

Si percibes un olor a gas natural, sal inmediatamente. Llama a nuestra línea telefónica para fugas de gas a uno de los números de teléfono que aparecen arriba. No use ni almacene productos inflamables tales como gasolina en la misma habitación o en áreas cercanas a un calentador de agua u otro tipo de aparato a gas.

How to read your meter



The following is an example of how to read a typical meter index.

Look at the four dials with their curved arrows. Read from right to left as follows:

1. Read the "thousand-foot" dial as 7, the last number that the pointer passed. Note that the curved arrow on the dial shows a clockwise movement of the pointer.
2. Read the next dial, the "10-thousand" dial. The curved arrow on the dial above shows a

counterclockwise direction. The pointer is near the 9, but to be sure whether to read it as that number or the lower number 8, the previously mentioned "same or lower number rule" must be applied. Since the pointer in the "thousand-foot" dial to the right is nearer the 8 and the pointer has not reached the 0, the "10-thousand" dial should be read as 8.

3. Read the "100-thousand" dial, it seems to point to 2. Double-check by using the rule above. Since the pointer of the "10-thousand" dial is between 8 and 9, take the lower reading number, 1, for the "100-thousand" dial.

4. Read the left-most dial, the "million-foot" dial. The pointer is near the 6. Using the "same or lower number rule", we find the pointer on the dial to the right is between 1 and 2, so we read the "million-foot" dial exactly as the number it is on or near, 6.

The entire meter reading is 6187.