La Porte to Gary Aetna Natural Gas Line Upgrade Project



NIPSCO will begin conducting the preliminary surveying and engineering work this year prior to embarking on a project to replace and upgrade roughly 29.5 miles of underground natural gas lines between La Porte and Gary—with construction expected to begin in early 2016. The project will provide safer and more reliable service to area residents and businesses in the future.

Underground Line Project Replacement Facts

- Replace 29.5 miles of the existing 22-inch natural gas transmission line with a 24-inch line
- · Work will be conducted in existing NIPSCO easements
- Construction will begin on the La Porte side of the route and move west toward Gary

Project Timeline

- Site Surveying and Engineering: February 2015
- Expected Start of Replacement Work: February 2016– December 2017
- Tentative Completion: December 2017
- Additional notification will be sent prior to the construction start date next year

Additional Details

- During the site surveying and engineering portion of the project, you may see markings, flaggings, etc., associated with the project please do not remove these.
- NIPSCO will work with residents directly to alleviate any issues within the path of the project that may represent a problem for construction.

About NIPSCO's Infrastructure Modernization Plan

Just like the country's focus on addressing the nation's aging roads, highways, bridges and transportation infrastructure, NIPSCO is working to modernize our natural gas and electric system in an effort to maintain safety, reliability and access to low-cost natural gas prices for the future.

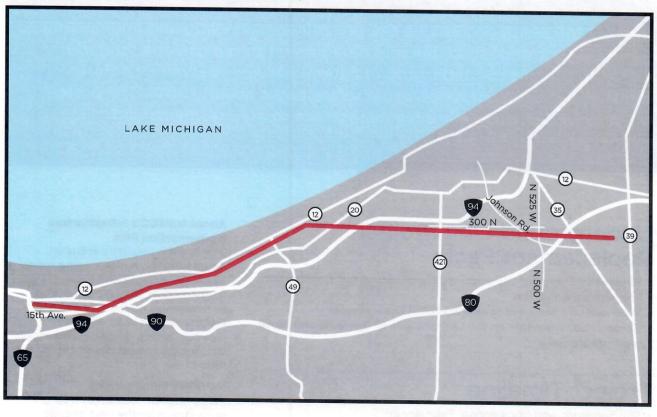
NIPSCO's Infrastructure
Modernization Plan takes a longterm look, over the next decade
and beyond, at the best approach
for prioritizing and identifying system
investments that will provide direct
benefits to homes and businesses in
northern Indiana.

More information can be found at NIPSCO.com/future.



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Project Area (Natural Gas Line Is Not to Scale)



Replacement/Upgrade of Existing Line (Final route subject to change)

