

# Distribution Construction Workshop

## Hilton St. Louis at the Ballpark, St. Louis MO\*\*\*Apr 20, 2010



<b>7:30- 8:30 AM Registration</b>			
<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Welcome/Opening Remarks</b>		
	Alan Mayberry	Deputy Associate Administrator for Field Operations	PHMSA - Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS)
	Michael Thompson	Chairman	National Association of Pipeline Safety Representatives (NAPSR)
		Chief, Pipeline Safety	Oregon Public Utility Commission
	Christina Sames	Vice President, Operations & Engineering Services	American Gas Association (AGA)
	John Erickson	Vice President, Operations	American Public Gas Association (APGA)
	Zach Barrett	Director, State Programs	PHMSA - Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS)
<b>STEEL MATERIALS</b>			
<b>9:20 AM NAPSR Distribution New Construction Inspection Findings Related to Steel Materials</b>			
	Jim Gorman	Gas Pipeline Safety Inspector	Kansas Corporation Commission
<b>10:05 – 10:15 AM Break</b>			
<b>10:15 AM Industry Perspectives on Installation of Steel Materials</b>			
	Scott Meierotto	Superintendent of Standards and Testing	Laclede Gas
<b>PLASTIC MATERIALS</b>			
<b>11:00 AM Distribution New Construction Issues Specific to Plastic Materials&amp;Personnel Qualification</b>			
	Richard Sanders	Director, Training and Qualifications	PHMSA - Office of Pipeline Safety (OPS)
<b>11:45 – 1:00 PM Lunch (on your own)</b>			
<b>1:00 PM NAPSR Distribution New Construction Inspection findings related to Plastic Materials</b>			
	Don Ledversis	Program Manager - Gas Safety Engineer	Rhode Island Division Public Utilities Commission
<b>Industry Perspectives on Installation of Plastic Materials</b>			
<b>1:30 PM</b>	Jerry Gann	Manager of Operations Compliance	CenterPoint Energy
<b>2:00 PM</b>	Ed Newton	Team Leader, Gas Materials and Quality Systems	Southern California Gas Company
<b>2:45 – 3:00 PM Break</b>			
<b>PERSONNEL QUALIFICATION AND CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION</b>			
<b>3:00 PM Qualification of Personnel Performing New Construction Tasks and Ensuring the Quality of Installation</b>			
	Danny McGriff	Director, Pipeline Safety	Georgia Public Service Commission
	Michael Gruenberg	Manager, Operations Staff	Southwest Gas
	Charles Rayot	Supervising Engineer	Ameren- Illinois Utilities
<b>4:45 – 5:00 PM Closing Remarks</b>			