

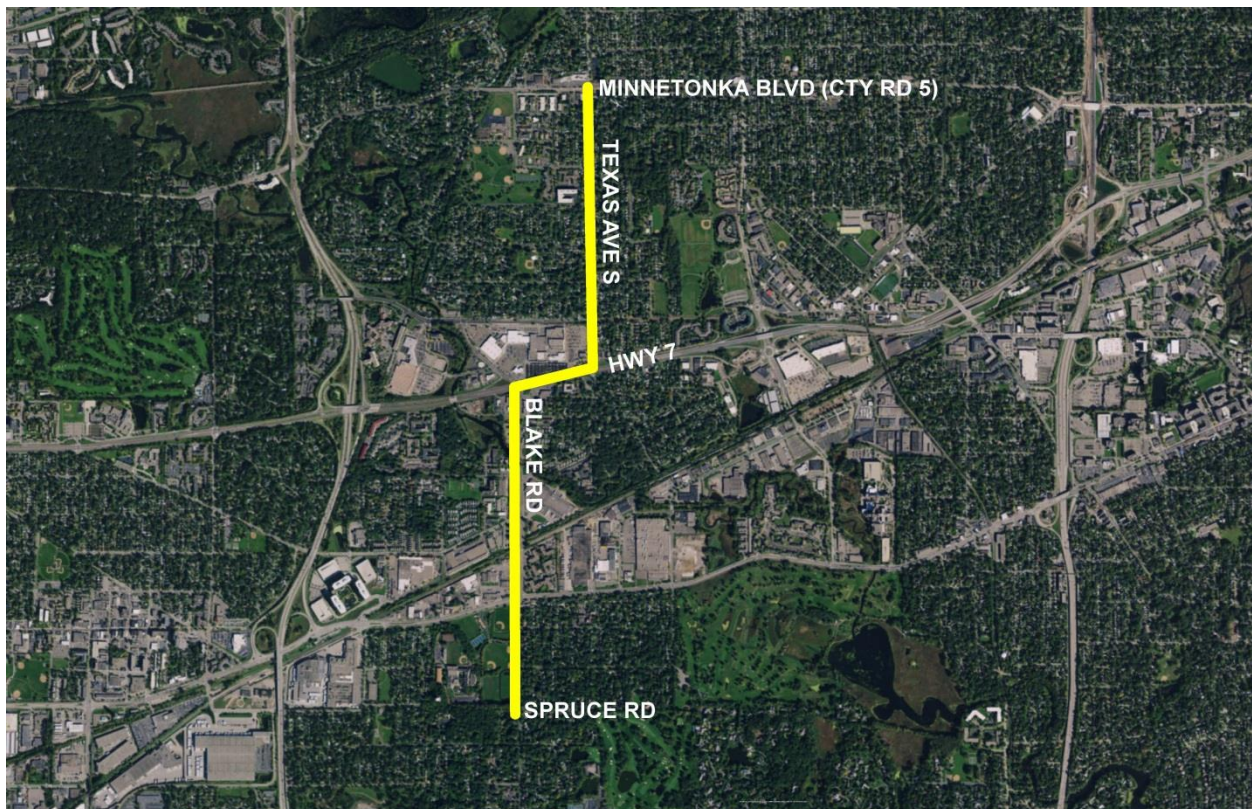


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NOTICE: CenterPoint Energy to upgrade natural gas pipelines in your neighborhood April 18 – October 2017

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- As a system upgrade project, CenterPoint Energy will be replacing natural gas pipeline in the St. Louis Park and Hopkins neighborhoods along Texas Avenue S. and Blake Road from Minnetonka Boulevard (County Road 5) to Spruce Road.
- CenterPoint Energy's construction is expected to begin on Tuesday, April 18, and will last until October 2017.
- Construction will take place in the areas highlighted below. There will be lane shifts in the yellow-highlighted areas, but two-way traffic will be maintained. The lane closures will occur as pipeline construction progresses to keep both the public and construction personnel safe.
- **More details on lane closures and approximate dates will be posted to CenterPoint Energy's website at CenterPointEnergy.com/Construction.**





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April 12, 2017

Dear Property Owner,

At CenterPoint Energy, we are committed to providing timely and relevant information to our customers and the general public to minimize inconvenience or disruption due to our construction activities.

An open house is scheduled for April 25 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Eisenhower Community Center on 1001 MN Highway 7 in Hopkins. The open house will be held in Room 209. Representatives from CenterPoint Energy will discuss details of the project and will then invite questions or comments from the public. Officials from the City of Hopkins will also participate in the meeting.

Crews from CenterPoint Energy will begin replacing an existing natural gas pipeline on Tuesday, April 18, starting in St. Louis Park and progressing toward Hopkins. The entire project construction is expected to last until October 2017. Minnesota Limited, an authorized CenterPoint Energy contractor, will begin installing natural gas main along Texas Avenue S. from Minnetonka Boulevard to Highway 7 (approx. April to June), then on Highway 7 Frontage Road (south) to Blake Road, and then on Blake Road from Highway 7 to Spruce Road (approx. June to October). (See map on opposite page.) There will be lane shifts in the yellow-highlighted areas, but two-way traffic will be maintained when possible. Lane and parking restrictions on Texas Avenue S. and Blake Road are required when construction activity is occurring on the roadway and is necessary to keep the public and construction personnel safe. **To learn more about this project or to sign up for weekly construction updates, please visit our Construction Zone website at CenterPointEnergy.com/Construction.**

CenterPoint Energy has provided safe, clean and efficient natural gas service to Minnesota communities for more than 145 years. We are proud of this record and strive to improve it by educating the public about the benefits of natural gas and how to use it safely and efficiently. CenterPoint Energy provides information for you at CenterPointEnergy.com/BeSafe. In addition, you can contact us directly by calling CenterPoint Energy's Information Hotline at 612-321-5369 or our Communications Specialist, Hannah Gullickson, at 612-321-5546. **Please reference the Blake Road construction project or the project number 75656758 when calling the Information Hotline.** We appreciate your business and look forward to continuing to serve you.

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