

**CUSTOMER NOTICE OF INTERIM RATE ADJUSTMENT
AVISO AL CLIENTE SOBRE AJUSTE DE TARIFA
PROVISIONAL**

Pursuant to Texas Utilities Code Section 104.301, CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Entex and CenterPoint Energy Texas Gas (the “Company”), filed an application for an Interim Rate Adjustment/Gas Reliability Infrastructure Program (“GRIP”) with the Railroad Commission of Texas and with the cities in the Company’s Houston, South Texas, Texas Coast and Beaumont/East Texas geographic rate areas on Feb. 17, 2026. This proposed Interim Rate Adjustment applies to all standard sales service customers served by the Company in the cities and unincorporated areas listed below comprising the Company’s Houston, South Texas, Texas Coast and Beaumont/East Texas geographic rate areas and provides for the recovery of additional capital investment incurred from January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025. The request is for capital investment not included in any previous rate case or rates for service and is subject to refund.

Houston Geographic Rate Area: Bellaire, Bunker Hill Village, Conroe, Cut and Shoot, Deer Park, Galena Park, Hedwig Village, Hilshire Village, Houston, Humble, Hunters Creek Village, Jacinto City, Jersey Village, Magnolia, Meadows Place, Missouri City, Montgomery, Nassau Bay, New Caney, New Waverly, Oak Ridge North, Panorama Village, Pasadena, Piney Point Village, Porter, Roman Forest, Shenandoah, South Houston, Southside Place, Spring, Spring Valley Village, Stafford, Tomball, The Woodlands Township, West University Place, Willis and Woodbranch Village.

South Texas Geographic Rate Area: Agua Dulce, Alice, Aransas Pass, Austin, Banquete, Bastrop, Beeville, Bishop, Blessing, Bloomington, Bruni, Buda, Cibolo, Converse, Creedmoor, D’Hanis, Driscoll, Eagle Lake, Edna, Edroy, El Campo, Elgin, Falls City, Floresville, Freer, Ganado, Garden Ridge, Giddings, Goliad, Gregory, Hallettsville, Hebronville, Hondo, Inez, Ingleside, Ingleside on the Bay, Jourdanton, Karnes City, Kenedy, Kingsville, Kyle, LaCoste, La Grange, Laredo, Lolita, Louise, Marion, Markham, Mathis, McQueeney, Miranda City, New Braunfels, Niederwald, Nordheim, Odem, Oilton, Orange Grove, Palacios, Pettus, Placedo, Pleasanton, Point Comfort, Port Lavaca, Portland, Poteet, Poth, Premont, Refugio, Runge, San Diego, San Marcos, Sandy Oaks, Santa Clara, Schertz, Schulenburg, Seadrift, Seguin, Selma, Sinton, Skidmore, Smithville, Taft, Tuleta, Uhland, Universal City, Vanderbilt, Victoria, Weimar and Yorktown.

Texas Coast Geographic Rate Area: Alvin, Angleton, Arcola, Bacliff, Barrett, Baytown, Beach City, Beasley, Boling, Brookshire, Brookside Village, Channel

Area, Clear Lake Shores, Clute, Columbia Lakes, Crosby, Damon, Danbury, Dickinson, East Bernard, El Lago, Freeport, Friendswood, Fulshear, Glen Flora, Highlands, Hillcrest Village, Hitchcock, Hungerford, Iago, Iowa Colony, Jones Creek, Katy, Kemah, Kendleton, La Marque, La Porte, Lake Jackson, League City, Liverpool, Manvel, Mont Belvieu, Morgan's Point, Needville, New Gulf, Old Ocean, Orchard, Oyster Creek, Pearland, Pecan Grove, Pleak, Richmond, Richwood, Rosenberg, Rosharon, San Leon, Santa Fe, Seabrook, Shoreacres, Sienna Plantation, Simonton, Sugar Land, Taylor Lake Village, Teal Run, Texas City, Van Vleck, Wallis, Webster, West Columbia, Weston Lakes and Wharton.

Beaumont/East Texas Geographic Rate Area: Ames, Anahuac, Arp, Atlanta, Avinger, Beaumont, Beauxart Gardens, Beckville, Bevil Oaks, Big Sandy, Bloomburg, Bridge City, Bronson, Bullard, Buna, Carthage, Center, Central, Cheek, China, Clarksville City, Cleveland, Colmesneil, Corrigan, Crockett, Daingerfield, Dayton, De Berry, De Kalb, Diboll, Dodge, Douglassville, East Mountain, Eastham Farm, Edgewood, Elkhart, Ellis Ferguson Farm, Elysian Fields, Evadale, Fruitvale, Fuller Springs, Gilmer, Gladewater, Goodrich, Grand Saline, Grapeland, Groveton, Hallsville, Hawkins, Henderson, Hideaway, Hooks, Hudson, Hughes Springs, Huntsville, Jacksonville, Jasper, Jefferson, Jonesville, Kilgore, Kirbyville, Latexo, Leary, Leggett, Liberty, Lindale, Linden, Livingston, Lone Star, Longview, Lovelady, Lufkin, Lumberton, Marshall, Maud, Mauriceville, McLeod, Mineola, Mount Pleasant, Mount Vernon, Nacogdoches, Naples, Neches, Nederland, New Boston, New London, New Willard, Noonday, North Cleveland, Omaha, Orange, Orangefield, Ore City, Overton, Pine Forest, Pinehurst, Pittsburg, Port Arthur, Price, Queen City, Red Lick, Redland, Riverside, Rose City, Rose Hill Acres, Rusk, San Augustine, Saratoga, Scottsville, Shepherd, Silsbee, Sour Lake, Stowell, Swan, Sylvan-Harmony, Talco, Tatum, Tenaha, Timpson, Trinity, Troup, Tyler, Uncertain, Union Grove, Van, Victory Gardens, Vidor, Warren City, Waskom, West Orange, White Oak, Whitehouse, Wills Point, Winfield, Winnie and Winnsboro.

The Company proposes to increase the customer charge used to calculate the customer's monthly bill by the amount listed below. The proposed Interim Rate Adjustment effective date is April 18, 2026.

TABLE 1 - Houston and Texas Coast Geographic Rate Areas

Rate Schedule	Current Customer Charge	Proposed 2026 Interim Rate Adjustment	Adjusted Charge	Increase Per Bill
R-2099-I-GRIP 2026; R-2099-U-GRIP 2026 Residential	\$22.36 per customer per month	\$2.47 per customer per month	\$24.83 per customer per month	\$2.47 per customer per month
GSS-2099-I-GRIP 2026; GSS-2099-U-GRIP 2026 General Service Small	\$35.12 per customer per month	\$4.18 per customer per month	\$39.30 per customer per month	\$4.18 per customer per month
GSLV-630-I-GRIP 2026; GSLV-630-U-GRIP 2026 General Service Large Volume	\$450.89 per customer per month	\$55.23 per customer per month	\$506.12 per customer per month	\$55.23 per customer per month

TABLE 2 – South Texas and Beaumont/East Texas Geographic Rate Areas

Rate Schedule	Current Customer Charge	Proposed 2026 Interim Rate Adjustment	Adjusted Charge	Increase Per Bill
R-2099-I-GRIP 2026; R-2099-U-GRIP 2026 Residential	\$27.86 per customer per month	\$2.47 per customer per month	\$30.33 per customer per month	\$2.47 per customer per month
GSS-2099-I-GRIP 2026; GSS-2099-U-GRIP 2026 General Service Small	\$53.12 per customer per month	\$4.18 per customer per month	\$57.30 per customer per month	\$4.18 per customer per month
GSLV-630-I-GRIP 2026; GSLV-630-U-GRIP 2026 General Service Large Volume	\$290.89 per customer per month	\$55.23 per customer per month	\$346.12 per customer per month	\$55.23 per customer per month

Persons with questions or who want more information about this filing may contact the Company at 800-752-8036. A copy of the filing will be available for inspection during normal business hours at the Company's office at 1111 Louisiana, Houston, Texas 77002 or on the Company's website at CenterPointEnergy.com/texasgrip.

Any affected person within the environs may file written comments or a protest concerning this proposed Interim Rate Adjustment with Gas Services, Market Oversight Section, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967. Please reference Case No. 00030599 in your written comment or

protest. Any affected person within an incorporated area may contact his or her city council.

De acuerdo con la Sección 104.301 del Código de Servicios Públicos de Texas, CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Entex y CenterPoint Energy Texas Gas (la “Compañía”), presentó una solicitud de un ajuste provisional de tarifas/confiabilidad del gas Programa de Infraestructura (“GRIP”) con la Comisión de Ferrocarriles de Texas (*Railroad Commission of Texas*) y con las ciudades en las áreas tarifarias geográficas de la Compañía, incluyendo a Houston, el sur de Texas, costa de Texas y Beaumont/Este de Texas, el 17 de febrero de 2026. Este ajuste de tarifas propuesto se aplica a todos los servicios de ventas estándar. Clientes atendidos por la Compañía en las ciudades y áreas no incorporadas que se enumeran a continuación que incluyen Houston, el sur de Texas y costa de Texas de la empresa y áreas tarifarias geográficas de Beaumont/Este de Texas prevé la recuperación de capital adicional inversión incurrida desde el 1 de enero de 2025 hasta el 31 de diciembre de 2025. La solicitud es para inversión de capital no incluido en cualquier caso de tarifas anterior o tarifas para servicio, y está sujeto a reembolso.

La Compañía propone aumentar el cargo al cliente utilizado para calcular la factura mensual del cliente en el monto que se indica a continuación. La fecha de entrada en vigor propuesta para el ajuste de tarifas provisional es el 18 de abril de 2026.

Las personas con preguntas o que quieren más información sobre esta solicitud pueden contactar a la Compañía al 800-752-8036. Una copia de la solicitud estará disponible para revisar durante el horario laboral normal en las oficinas de la Compañía en 1111 Louisiana, Houston, Texas 77002 o en el sitio web de la Compañía en CenterPointEnergy.com/texasgrip.

Cualquier persona afectada dentro de los alrededores puede presentar comentarios por escrito o una protesta sobre este ajuste de tarifas provisional propuesto ante los servicios de gas, Sección de Supervisión del Mercado, *Railroad Commission of Texas*, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967. Por favor haga referencia al número de caso 00030599 en su comentario escrito o protesta. Cualquier persona afectada en el área incorporada puede contactar al consejo municipal de su ciudad.