We are CenterPoint Energy... Always There®

CenterPoint Energy has been a trusted provider of affordable, reliable, environmentally-friendly natural gas and other energy services since 1870. CenterPoint Energy, Inc., headquartered in Houston, is one of the nation’s largest publicly-traded domestic energy delivery businesses. The company serves more than 5 million metered electric and natural gas customers in six states, with more than 8,000 employees across the country.

CenterPoint Energy’s vision is to lead the nation in delivering energy, service and value. We know that reliable energy is not a luxury. It’s up to us to keep the lights on and to provide clean natural gas for homes, factories and businesses. Our long tradition of dedication and hard work adds up to a company of people who are always there for our customers and neighbors; for our employees and their families; and for our shareholders.

For more information, visit CenterPointEnergy.com.
Over a century of trusted service

If your club, organization, business or civic association is looking for timely, relevant and informative presentations on a variety of energy-related topics, turn to CenterPoint Energy and the experienced members of our speakers’ bureau. Presentations are available at no charge to groups throughout the communities we serve in the Greater Houston Metropolitan Area.

Speech topics

CenterPoint Energy provides information on how to use both electricity and gas safely and efficiently. Our presentations are updated regularly to ensure the latest information is included.

Request a speaker

To secure a CenterPoint Energy speaker, contact Geoffrey Castro at least three weeks in advance at Geoffrey.Castro@CenterPointEnergy.com or call 713-207-6923. We offer presentations six days a week, Monday-Saturday.

A limited number of Spanish-speaking speakers are available. If you need a Spanish presentation, please provide as much advance notice as possible.

Electrical Safety

Introduces audiences to common electrical hazards and how to keep safe in various situations. This presentation is suitable for civic groups, senior citizens, as well as business audiences. Many organizations schedule this speech to satisfy OSHA safety meeting requirements.

Natural Gas Safety

This presentation covers a wide range of topics related to natural gas, including important safety tips, such as the detection of and response to gas leaks, flammable vapors, carbon monoxide and energy conservation.

Energy Conservation

The presentation provides practical tips for conserving energy, and in turn, taking control of your energy costs. The speaker discusses and makes recommendations for energy-saving tips throughout the home. This presentation focuses on individual property-owners rather than commercial operations.

Hurricane Preparedness

This presentation provides a comprehensive guideline to preparing for a major hurricane in advance, as well as what to do during and after a storm. It covers the emergency supplies to have on hand, tips on what to do during extended power outages and explains CenterPoint Energy’s restoration processes once the storm has passed.

Right Tree/Right Place

This presentation discusses how trees and foliage can impact power outages and gas lines and covers CenterPoint Energy’s tree trimming program. It also provides details to help property owners select the right landscaping to help reduce energy consumption and minimize future problems.

Reliability Issues

The presentation examines issues related to the distribution of power and what causes temporary outages. The speech works well for property owners association meetings, chamber of commerce committees and other civic organizations. We also try to include a service consultant from the local service center whenever possible.

Smart Grid/Smart Meter

The next few years will bring dramatic change to the electric distribution system, and Houston is on the cutting edge. Learn more about the future of the city’s electric grid and what improvements are in store for customers as a result. Audience members will learn about the new smart meters that have been deployed in the Houston area and how they help monitor energy usage and consumption.