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## CenterPoint Energy to replace gas line at Valley Creek Trail in Afton

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.

**Project description:** For approximately two weeks beginning June 8, CenterPoint Energy's authorized contractors will perform work in Afton for approximately 1,000 feet on Valley Creek Trail between Neal Avenue S. and Trading Post Trail S.

Michels Corporation will replace the natural gas main. Q3 Contracting will restore the areas affected by Michels Corporation's construction.

**Installing replacement gas mains:** According to [the Governor of Minnesota's order](#), gas main replacement is an essential work function. This allows for the modernization of related gas facilities. The gas main work requires excavations in various locations in the right-of-way (front yard) to facilitate the installation work.

**Traffic impacts:** The crews will close Valley Creek Trail and detour traffic to Trading Post Trail S., 30<sup>th</sup> Street S. and Neal Avenue S. This closure is necessary to keep both the public and the construction personnel safe.

**How can I contact CenterPoint Energy?** For more information or to sign up for updates, please visit CenterPoint Energy's Construction Zone website at [CenterPointEnergy.com/Construction](https://www.centerpointenergy.com/construction). In addition, you can contact one of the following CenterPoint Energy resources. Please reference the **Afton – Valley Creek Trail project** or the number **93407541**:

- Communications Specialist, Hannah Gullickson, at 612-321-5546
- Information Hotline at [csv.constructionservices@centerpointenergy.com](mailto:csv.constructionservices@centerpointenergy.com)
- Restoration Questions at [csv.restoration@centerpointenergy.com](mailto:csv.restoration@centerpointenergy.com) or 612-321-5477

We appreciate your patience as we continue to upgrade our natural gas system. 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 at [CenterPointEnergy.com/BeSafe](https://www.CenterPointEnergy.com/BeSafe). We appreciate your business and look forward to continuing to serve you.