

STARTING SPRING PROJECTS?

Call Before You Dig!

Before you tackle your list of spring projects, call 811, the nationwide on call system, or 800-DIG-RITE (800-344-7483), the Missouri One Call system and ask to have the underground utilities located.

This is a free service provided by Liberty Utilities and other local utilities. Simply call at least two full working days before you plan to dig.

The utilities will mark the location of underground facilities so you avoid them and stay safe.

This single call will allow you to avoid the possibility of a serious injury and the expense of repair costs for damaged utilities.

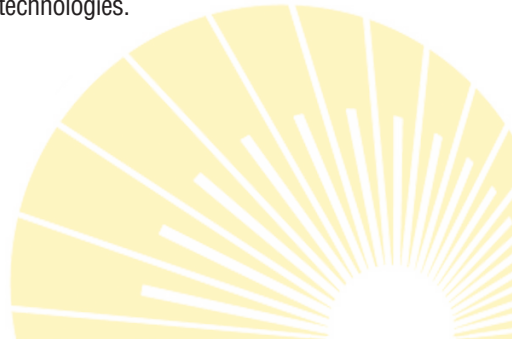


SAFE AND RELIABLE ENERGY

Natural gas is a safe, economical and reliable form of energy. Natural gas pipelines are the safest, most reliable and efficient manner to transport natural gas to your home or place of business. Pipelines play an important role in providing necessary energy to homes, businesses and our nations industries.

Liberty – Empire District works hard to maintain a safe and reliable pipeline system, however an occasional leak or damage may happen. In the event a natural gas pipeline is damaged, severe injury or death can occur as a result of ignition, an explosion or asphyxiation.

Liberty – Empire District is proactive to ensure the health, safety, and security of the communities and environment along our pipelines. These steps include, but are not limited to, routine monitoring and patrolling of our pipelines using various equipment and technologies.



Natural Gas from Liberty Utilities and Empire ...the natural choice.



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A New Look

You may notice a new look to our logo and name. We're proud to be a Liberty Utilities company. Liberty is a U.S. based utility

operating in 12 states and serving over 750,000 customers. To enhance collaboration and efficiency across our organization, we are aligning with the Liberty Utilities brand. To learn more about Liberty Utilities, visit www.libertyutilities.com. As a customer in the Empire District portion of our service area, you will continue to use www.empiredistrict.com to access MyAccount and other service related information.



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Sedalia Welcomes New Operations Manager as Hargrave Retires



JAKE JACOBSMEIER

David "Jake" Jacobsmeier is the new Manager of Operations for the Sedalia, Missouri area. Jake has 28 years of experience in the natural gas industry. Most recently, he was the Manager of Operations for Liberty's Keokuk and Canton, Iowa service area. Jake serves as President of the Iowa Pipeline Association (IPA) and is a member and past Chairman of the Southern Gas Association - Distribution, Construction and Maintenance Operating Committee. Please help us welcome Jake to the Sedalia area.

Congratulations to Jim Hargrave on his retirement. Jim began his career at Missouri Public Service Company, which later became Aquila, where he worked for 22 years. He joined Empire as Manager of Operations in Sedalia in 2006. Jim is a graduate of Iowa Lakes Community College and Northwest Missouri State University where he holds a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Technology. He is

a member of the Marshall Kiwanis Club, the Elks Lodge, and a Board Member of the Perris County Management Association.



JIM HARGRAVE

Rebates

Natural gas works efficiently to warm your home, heat your water, and cook your food faster and more economically than other energy sources. When it's time to replace appliances or make improvements, rely on natural gas and our available rebates for the best value.

- \$ Water Heaters
- \$ Energy Assessment & Improvements
- \$ Commercial Programs

Visit us at www.empiredistrict.com/energy/solutions to learn more.

Grilling with Natural Gas

Get grilling this summer with clean-burning natural gas. Extending your home's natural gas service to your outdoor grill is relatively easy and will make grilling more convenient than ever. Contact your local appliance or plumbing installation contractor to install the necessary connections.

- 🔥 **Clean.** No messy charcoal or fluid.
- 🔥 **Convenient.** No refills needed.
- 🔥 **Control.** Accurate temperature.
- 🔥 **Efficient.** Keeps the house cool.

