# ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF UNION GAS LIMITED AND ENBRIDGE GAS DISTRIBUTION INC.

Union Gas Limited and Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. have applied for approval of their respective conservation plans.

# Learn more. Have your say.

Union Gas Limited and Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. have applied for approval of their respective demand side management (conservation) plans for the years 2015 to 2020.

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) will hear both of these applications as part of a combined proceeding.

If its application is approved, the amount Union Gas Limited charges each month to the typical residential customer for demand side management (conservation) will be:

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	2020
Union South	\$0.68	\$1.58	\$1.60	\$1.81	\$1.86	\$1.92
Union North	\$0.76	\$1.80	\$1.83	\$2.07	\$2.13	\$2.20

If its application is approved, the amount Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. charges each month to the typical residential customer for demand side management (conservation) will be:

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	2017	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	2020
Enbridge	\$0.85	\$1.61	\$1.96	\$2.13	\$2.17	\$2.21

Other customers, including businesses, may also be affected.

#### THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The OEB will hold a combined public hearing to consider Union Gas Limited's and Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.'s requests. We will question the companies on their respective demand side management (conservation) plans. We will also hear arguments from individuals and from groups that represent Union Gas Limited's and Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.'s customers. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide whether the proposed demand side management (conservation) plans and the resulting rate impacts are reasonable.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

## **BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY**

You have the right to information regarding this combined proceeding and to be involved in the process.

# You can:

- review both Union Gas Limited's and Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.'s applications on the OEB's website now.
- file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.
- become an active participant (called an intervenor). Apply by May 5, 2015 or the hearing will go ahead without
  you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.
- at the end of the process, review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

#### I FARN MORE

Our file numbers for these applications are: **EB-2015-0029** (Union Gas Limited) and **EB-2015-0049** (Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.). To learn more about this combined hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case please select the file number **EB-2015-0029** (Union Gas Limited) or **EB-2015-0049** (Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc.) from the list on the OEB website: **www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice**. You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

### **ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS**

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. The OEB will determine at a later date whether to proceed by way of a written or oral hearing. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **May 5, 2015**.

## **PRIVACY**

If you write a letter of comment or sign up to observe the hearing, your name and the content of your letter or the documents you file with the OEB will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and e-mail address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.

This hearing will be held under section 36(1) of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).

