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Remember to call 811 before you dig to have your underground utilities located.

Call 811 Before You Dig Kids' Art Contest



Benson, Grade 4
Sherrod Elementary, Mat-Su



Rose, Grade 5
Cook Inlet Academy, Soldotna



Toren, Grade 1
Bowman Elementary, Anchorage

CONGRATULATIONS

...to our winners, Rose, Toren and Benson, for showing us why calling 811 is so important!



**Know what's below.
Call before you dig.**

The artwork from elementary students across our service area shows that our kids understand the importance of calling 811. Do you? Whether you're uprooting trees or building a deck, every outdoor project that disturbs the earth requires that you call 811 at least two days before starting. By calling 811 for free utility locates, you follow Alaska law, avoid the potential of costly repairs to damaged utilities, and help keep you and your neighbors safe.

Please note...



Our Anchorage Customer Service Lobby and Administrative Offices have fully relocated to our new address:

**5151 Fairbanks Street
Anchorage, AK 99503**

The 3000 Spenard Road location is permanently closed.



Avoid the impact of seasonal highs & lows on your monthly bill

Budget Billing

Budget Billing is a great way to level out the highs and lows of seasonal bills and make your monthly natural gas bill more predictable. Enroll online between May 1st and July 31st each year.

How It Works:

To establish your Budget Billing amount, ENSTAR estimates your monthly gas charges based on the last three calendar years of consumption and divides this amount into 11 equal bills. Each month from August through June, your ENSTAR bill will be the Budget Billing amount. In addition, you will also be able to see the difference between your actual charges and what you have paid to date. July is the "settle up" month for Budget Billing.

On the July bill, ENSTAR takes the actual charges for the plan year and subtracts your total payments. If you used less gas than estimated, a credit will be applied to your July bill. If you used more gas, you will be charged the difference.

To sign up or get more information, go to: www.enstarnaturalgas.com/budget-billing/.

ENSTAR Files Gas Cost Adjustment (GCA) with the Regulatory Commission of Alaska (RCA)

On May 15, 2025, ENSTAR made its required annual filing with the Regulatory Commission of Alaska known as the Gas Cost Adjustment (GCA). The filing increases the current gas cost of \$0.90716/Ccf to \$1.01091/Ccf. ENSTAR estimates that customers will see an annualized increase of 9.7% which represents approximately \$12.02/month for average residential customers. If approved the change will be effective on July 2025 bills.



REMINDER

Never guess the depth of your buried gas lines. They may not be as deep as you think. Call 811 at least **TWO DAYS** before starting your project to get **FREE** locates of your underground utility lines.