



# New Jersey Natural Gas Advantage

*For Your Home*

## One Less Thing to Worry About with



Life got you busy? ZipCheck, our convenient and FREE automatic bill payment service, gives you peace of mind without the hassle of writing or mailing a check and you'll never have to worry about a missed or late payment.

Each month, NJNG will mail you a bill that indicates the amount due and the date payment will be deducted from a designated bank account. It's easy. Just visit My Account at njng.com or call to register by phone at 800-221-0051. If you prefer, just fill out the enrollment form below and mail it to us at the address indicated. *(To ensure that ZipCheck is processed in a timely fashion, please do not enclose the form in your payment envelope.)*



## Meter Safety Alert

At NJNG, we are scheduled to read natural gas meters on a monthly basis. For meter reading and other safety purposes, we are required to have unhindered access to the meter at all times. As spring brings new growth and plantings, be sure to keep the area surrounding your meter free of overgrown plants and other obstructions.

Be cautious when mowing your lawn or operating other equipment around your meter. Do not lean ladders or metal objects against the meter. And never tie anything – including a dog leash, guy wire or ground wire – to a meter or its piping as this may cause a hazardous condition.

Help us prevent a potentially dangerous situation and notify us if you have a dog in your yard. For our employees' safety, call us so we can make a note on your account about any dogs on your property or if you have an invisible fence. This will alert our employees to take proper precaution when reading your meter. Following this advice will give our meter readers and other technicians easy access to your natural gas meter, especially in case of an emergency. If you feel your natural gas meter is in an unsafe location, such as too close to a driveway or under a deck, call us at 800-221-0051 for an assessment.

## Celebrating 10 Years of FREE Family Fun!



### Hold the Date for a Bunch of Fun!

Neither rain nor wind nor Superstorm Sandy can deter us from the wonderment of Ocean Fun Days. We may be getting off to a later start this year as Island Beach State Park and Sandy Hook recover from the effects of Superstorm Sandy, but this year's event is sure to be a blast. In fact, this year marks the 10th anniversary of Ocean Fun Days! We hope you can celebrate with us.

**Saturday, June 8, Seaside Park  
Island Beach State Park**      **Sunday, June 9, Sandy Hook  
NJ Sea Grant Consortium**  
11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Rain or shine both days.

**ZIPCHECK AUTHORIZATION**

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Customer Name (as it appears on your bill)

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Service Address

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City, State, Zip

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Phone Number

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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NJNG Account Number

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Bank or Financial Institution Name

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Bank Account Type (checking or savings)\*

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Bank Routing Number

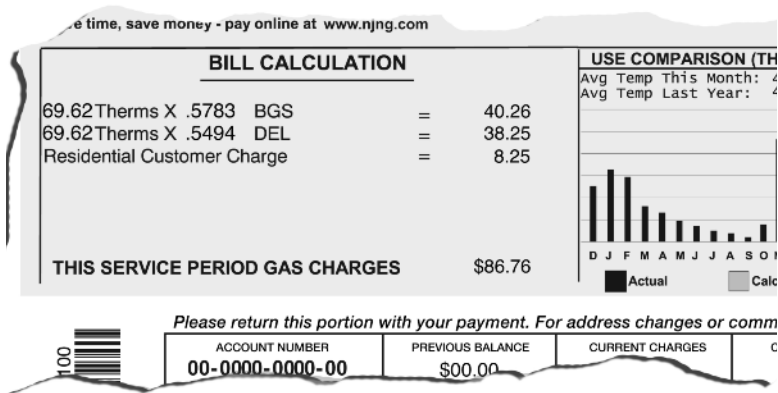
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Bank Account Number

\*Please check with your bank or financial institution about federal regulations regarding transaction limitations on certain types of accounts.

Please complete this form, cut along the dotted line and return in a separate envelope to:

**ZipCheck**  
New Jersey Natural Gas Processing Department  
P.O. Box 1464, Wall, NJ 07719-9970



## Understanding the Monthly Cost of Your Natural Gas Service

The price of your natural gas service is reflected in the Bill Calculation section of your NJNG bill.

**BGS (Basic Gas Supply)** - This charge is for the cost of natural gas supply to those customers who have not chosen a third-party supplier. The cost of the natural gas is directly passed on to our customers. NJNG makes no profit on the BGS charge. For residential and small commercial customers, this price represents the "price to compare" to third-party supplier offers.

If you have chosen to purchase your natural gas from a third-party supplier, their charges are shown as GAS on the bill.

**DEL (Delivery)** - This charge is for the delivery of natural gas to your home or business and the maintenance of the distribution system. It also includes other costs, such as charges for societal benefits programs related to environmental and energy-efficiency initiatives.



This year the famous Chicken is on hiatus. But that doesn't mean the fun stops there. Join NJNG and the BlueClaws for family fun night at FirstEnergy Park with the Fur Circus - a group of Fur-tastic circus mascots that are sure to delight - when the BlueClaws take on the Delmarva Shorebirds. Members of NJNG's The SAVEGREEN Project® will be on hand to show you and your family how to hit a home run for the environment and save money on your energy bills.

**MONDAY, JULY 15, 2013 7:05 P.M.**

**FIRSTENERGY PARK, LAKEWOOD**

Need tickets? Call 732-901-7000 or visit [www.blueclaws.com](http://www.blueclaws.com).



## High-efficiency rebates and savings

[www.savegreenproject.com](http://www.savegreenproject.com)

HURRICANE SANDY



## New Jersey RELIEF FUND

### Help Restore the Shore.

It's been more than six months since Superstorm Sandy made its way to the Jersey Shore and many in our communities still face a long road to recovery. Here's your chance to help those who need it most with a donation to the Hurricane Sandy New Jersey Relief Fund - a 501(c)3 organization created by Governor Christie and First Lady Mary Pat Christie.

It's easy to contribute. To donate \$10, text JERSEY to 20222. Or make an online donation at [sandynjrelieffund.org](http://sandynjrelieffund.org). You can also make a donation when you sign on to My Account and pay your NJNG bill online by check, credit or debit card.

Thanks for supporting those who need it most.



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

Spring is here, the birds are chirping and it's time to dust off your gardening or power tools and begin those outdoor projects. But before you start digging, NJNG wants you to play it safe and call 811 to have all your buried utility lines marked - it's FREE and it's the law.

Keep in mind that careless digging can affect an entire community. In fact, nearly 60 percent of all incidents involving natural gas distribution pipelines are the result of damage from digging, according to the American Gas Association. So whether you are rebuilding after Superstorm Sandy, building a patio or deck, installing a fence or sprinkler system, landscaping or putting in a mail box plan ahead and call 811! And thanks for helping us keep our communities safe.

### How To Reach Us

Call us:

Toll-free: 800-221-0051

People with hearing and speech impairments (TTY/TDD): 800-223-0024

Report a natural gas leak: 800-GAS-LEAK (800-427-5325)

Call before you dig: 811 or 800-272-1000

E-mail us: [customerservice@njng.com](mailto:customerservice@njng.com)

Visit our Web site: [www.njng.com](http://www.njng.com)

Write to us: New Jersey Natural Gas, 1415 Wyckoff Road, P.O. Box 1464, Wall, NJ 07719