



GENERAL MANAGER'S MESSAGE

This past summer marked a special milestone for Emera New Brunswick, our 10-year anniversary of safe Brunswick Pipeline operations.

From day one, safety has always been our top priority – and that hasn't changed. As part of our regulatory requirements, Emera New Brunswick and first responders hold a full-scale mock emergency exercise each year, rotating between urban and rural locations along the pipeline route. This exercise is one of many safety-focused drills and activities we perform during the year. Our annual Click or Call Before You Dig campaign, which promotes awareness of safe excavation and work practices in close proximity to the pipeline, runs during prime construction and home improvement seasons and is supported by radio and bus ads. Ensuring the safety of the public, landowners, contractors or anyone else who might have a need to work near our pipeline is a responsibility we take very seriously. In addition, physical and cyber security programs ensure safe and reliable operation of our pipeline.

Regular and proactive maintenance is another way that we ensure safety and protect the environment. Earlier this year we ran an internal cleaning tool to inform us of any debris or corrosion products present inside of our pipeline. We are pleased to report that no issues were discovered. Next year, as we do every few years, we will run another internal investigation tool outfitted with electronic sensors and known as a

smart tool, through the full length of the Brunswick Pipeline. This device provides detailed information about the condition of the pipeline. These types of scans are considered best practice in the industry and by regulators.

During construction of the Brunswick Pipeline, we committed our support to the communities along the pipeline right-of-way. We are incredibly proud of our involvement since then. Over the last decade we have contributed over \$3 million to the communities of southwestern New Brunswick in support of disadvantaged youth, safety, the environment, wellness and active lifestyles. I encourage you to read through the rest of this newsletter to see a small sample of some of the programs and events that we supported over the past year.

A lot has changed since we first began operations 10 years ago and although the market for natural gas has not developed as anticipated, we are grateful to our customers, Repsol and Canaport, for their commitment, and we look forward to new opportunities in the future.

Thank you for your continued interest in Emera New Brunswick. On behalf of our entire team, I would like to extend our warmest greetings to you and your family this holiday season.

Rob Belliveau

General Manager, Emera New Brunswick

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AREA 506

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FAIR

...and more!

ATV & SNOWMOBILE USE ON PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY

ATVs and snowmobiles have the potential to reduce pipeline groundcover and even damage the pipeline itself. Brunswick Pipeline is about 1 meter (3 feet) deep in most areas, but this can be compromised by ATV and snowmobile traffic eroding that depth of cover. It's also important to know that a large portion of Brunswick Pipeline's right-of-way is on privately-owned land. If you observe any unusual or suspicious activity near our pipeline facilities, or in the unlikely event an emergency occurs, please call us immediately at 1-888-410-2220.

SUCCESSFUL MOCK EMERGENCY EXERCISE

Mock exercises are routine and provide emergency responders and our employees the opportunity to test our emergency response plans and inter-agency communications practices in a simulated emergency scenario.

Emera New Brunswick held its annual mock emergency exercise for 2019 this past October. The location for the mock exercise was approximately 12 kilometers northeast of St. George along our pipeline right-of-way.

Along with Emera New Brunswick personnel, members of the St. George Fire Department, Eastern Charlotte Fire Department, Bonny River Fire Department, Black's Harbour Fire Department, the RCMP's Operational Readiness Unit and the New Brunswick Emergency Measures Organization participated in the exercise. Our sincere thanks to everyone for taking part!



CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF SAFE PIPELINE OPERATIONS

In July, hundreds of people joined us at Rockwood Park in Saint John to celebrate 10 years of safe pipeline operations. It's a significant milestone and the Emera New Brunswick team was thrilled that so many people came out to celebrate with us. When we built the pipeline, we committed our support to the communities in which we operate and we're proud of our involvement. Being involved in the community is just as important to us now as it was when we were building the Brunswick Pipeline.

COMMUNITY EVENTS – SAINT JOHN

AREA 506

Emera New Brunswick is committed to safety and this year we wanted to align our focus on safety with our sponsorship of AREA 506. This year, we were pleased to provide safe transportation to and from the concert grounds in uptown Saint John. We are happy to report that 500 concert-goers arrived safely back to the west side of the city using the shuttle sponsored by Emera New Brunswick.

SOAP BOX DERBY

Emera New Brunswick was once again happy to support the Soap Box Derby in support of Partners Assisting Local Schools (PALS). The event took place on Cranston Avenue in Saint John outside of Princess Elizabeth School, and raised money to allow students throughout the City of Saint John to take part in recreation activities in Rockwood Park. The Emera New Brunswick car was skillfully driven by a client of the Teen Resource Centre.

COMMUNITY EVENTS – CHARLOTTE COUNTY

CHARLOTTE COUNTY FALL FAIR

In 2019, we were happy to sponsor a number of activities in southwestern New Brunswick. They included Musquash Community Day, St. Stephen Fall Fair, Lumber Jack Challenge, Ganong Nature Park and the St. George Summer Festival.

