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In the Matter of the Application of Suburban Natural Gas Company for Approval of an Infrastructure Replacement Plan and Related Matters

Case No. 09-573-GA-UNC

## COMMENTS OF SUBURBAN NATURAL GAS COMPANY

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Pursuant to the Entry dated July 29, 2009, in the above captioned proceeding, the Suburban Natural Gas Company ("Suburban") now files these comments to the Staff Report of Investigation ("Staff Report") pertaining to Suburban's plan for the accelerated replacement of aging pipelines, a plan for the timely replacement of prone-to-fail risers, and a plan for the assumption of responsibilities associated with the installation, repair, replacement and maintenance of customer service lines.

## **Comment Number 1**:

Suburban generally agrees with the findings set forth in the Staff Report. Suburban therefore requests that the Commission issue a finding and order in accordance with the Staff's recommendations and findings. Suburban does not waive its right to raise objections to Staff Report if they should arise in the future.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing *Comments of Suburban Natural Gas Company* was served upon the following parties of record or as a courtesy, via U.S. Mail postage prepaid, on August 21, 2009.

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