



Village of Bittern Lake

Notice of Increase to the Franchise Fee on Natural Gas Billings

Municipality is proposing to increase the natural gas distribution franchise fee which it charges ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. for the exclusive right to deliver natural gas to the residents of the Village of Bittern Lake and for use of municipal lands for its natural gas lines, effective January 1st 2025. The franchise fee applies to all customers that receive gas services in the Village of Bittern Lake and is required to be billed as a separate charge on gas billings.

The current franchise fee is set at 7% of ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd. delivery revenues and will increase to 8% effective January 1, 2025. For an average residential customer using 105 GJs per year, this will result in an average monthly increase of approximately \$0.52. The franchise fee is anticipated to account for approximately \$4.13 of the average monthly residential bill in 2025.

For questions or concerns please contact:

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