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NOTICE OF SECOND COMMUNITY HEARING Natural Gas Safety

Following the Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia's (Commission) Open Meeting on **Wednesday, May 15, 2019** at 2:00 PM, the Commission will conduct a follow-up Community Hearing to allow Washington Gas Light Company (Company or WGL) to update the public on its recent actions and future plans to address the community concerns articulated during the Commission's February 6, 2019, Community Hearing on natural gas leaks (<u>Formal Case No. 977</u>). In addition to WGL, the Office of the People's Counsel (OPC), Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (ANCs), and interested persons are invited to make oral presentations.

WGL is requested to address issues such as:

- What communication channels has the Company established to communicate gas safety information to the public and to receive feedback?
- What is the Company's plan for addressing the community concerns related to prompt communication with the public regarding neighborhood gas leaks and gas safety?
- What actions should the public take or avoid in the event of a gas odor or when the Company is addressing a gas leak?

The OPC, ANCs and other commenters are asked to address issues such as:

- What concerns do you have about WGL's recent actions and future plans to address gas leaks or gas safety?
- What recommendations do you have to improve WGL's dissemination of gas leak and gas safety information within the affected neighborhoods?

Those who wish to testify should contact the Commission Secretary **by 5:30 PM on May 10. 2019**, at: psc-commissionsecretary@dc.gov or 202-626-5150. Representatives of organizations shall be permitted a maximum of five (5) minutes for oral presentations. Individuals shall be permitted a maximum of three (3) minutes for oral presentations. If an



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organization or an individual is unable to offer comments at the community hearing, written statements may be submitted to the Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia, 1325 G Street, NW, Suite 800, Washington D.C. 20005 <u>until May 24, 2019</u>.

Individuals who need special accommodations, interpretation and/or translation services should inform the Office of the Commission Secretary at least three (3) days prior to the hearing at 202-626-5150.

The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia is an independent agency established by Congress in 1913 to regulate electric, natural gas, and telecommunications companies in the District of Columbia.