## CenterPoint Energy Indiana – North Current & Historical Natural Gas Costs

Natural gas costs are passed on to customers on a dollar-for-dollar basis. CEI North cannot profit from, nor mark up the price of, natural gas. These costs are passed on to customers through the quarterly Gas Cost Adjustment (GCA) approved by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission and are listed on the bill as "Gas Cost Charge."

CEI North purchases gas on behalf of its customers using a portfolio approach of long-term, intermediateterm and short-term purchases, as well as utilization of its various storage fields throughout Indiana. This portfolio approach to gas purchasing is intended to mitigate the spikes that often come with the market price; it does not always guarantee the lowest price, however, given the market price can fluctuate daily with changes in supply and demand. The blended price that emerges from the portfolio approach also includes costs to transport the gas to the CEI North pipeline system in Indiana, as well as storage costs and taxes. Please note: Because billing cycles vary, the gas costs on your bill will often be the product of GCAs for two different months. i.e. If your meter is read on June 14 and reflects 30 days of service, you will be paying 14 days of the June GCA rate and 16 days of the May GCA rate.

The GCA is a periodic rate adjustment that allows natural gas utilities to account for changes in the price of natural gas they purchase on the competitive wholesale market. Natural gas utilities have been using the GCA process since the early 1980s.

<u>Date</u> <b>2024</b>	Price per therm
May	\$0.3014
April	\$0.2874
March	\$0.4060
February	\$0.3965
January	\$0.3903
2023	
December	\$0.3812
November	\$0.4158
October	\$0.3656
September	\$0.3850
August	\$0.4914
July	\$0.5059
June	\$0.5253
May	\$0.3078
April	\$0.3138
March	\$0.4835
February	\$0.6127 \$0.6143
January	φυ.0143
2022	<b>#0.7004</b>
December	\$0.7004
November	\$0.7409
October	\$0.6314
September	\$0.7162 \$1.2466
August July	\$1.3466 \$1.2492
June	\$1.3510
May	\$0.8402
April	\$0.7179
March	\$0.6903
February	\$0.6676
January	\$0.6112
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2021 December November October September August July June May April March February January	\$0.6316 \$0.7251 \$0.7798 \$0.9045 \$0.6885 \$0.6799 \$0.6345 \$0.4148 \$0.3670 \$0.3870 \$0.3227 \$0.3055
2020 December November October September August July June May April March February January	\$0.3024 \$0.4300 \$0.3607 \$0.4181 \$0.5790 \$0.5542 \$0.5651 \$0.3401 \$0.2862 \$0.3417 \$0.2863 \$0.3025
2019 December November October September August July June May April March February January	\$0.3199 \$0.3863 \$0.3716 \$0.3717 \$0.6035 \$0.5998 \$0.6208 \$0.3631 \$0.3820 \$0.3879 \$0.3466 \$0.3717
2018 December November October September August July June May April March February January	\$0.4053 \$0.4196 \$0.4209 \$0.4207 \$0.6394 \$0.6429 \$0.4390 \$0.4033 \$0.4462 \$0.4103 \$0.3770