

# The Benefits of Alaska's Natural Gas

One of the largest supplies of natural gas in the world is located on Alaska's North Slope. But the infrastructure to bring it to market does not exist so the gas is stranded. The Alaska LNG project is designed to unlock the value of Alaska's North Slope natural gas for the benefit of Alaskans.

## **CLEANER ENVIRONMENT:**

During the winter, areas of interior Alaska have the worst air quality in the country. Replacing high-emissions fuels, such as wood and diesel, with natural gas will improve air quality and help Alaskans. Pollution knows no borders, so major Asian markets that use natural gas to alleviate air pollution will reduce pollutants impacting Alaska's environment. Alaska is the closest major North American natural gas source for large and growing Asian markets.

### LOWER ENERGY COSTS:

Alaska has some of the steepest residential and commercial energy costs in the nation. Access to our North Slope gas can lower energy bills for many Alaskans.

### JOBS FOR ALASKANS:

Alaska LNG can create thousands of high-paying operations and construction jobs.

## **NEW SOURCE OF REVENUE:**

The Alaska LNG project can generate a recurring new source of state revenue to pay for government services such as teachers, police and fire services, improved roads, and other community needs.

## **RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT:**

Alaska LNG can provide a plentiful supply

of natural gas to energy-starved parts of the state, unleashing new infrastructure investment and economic development, including in energy and natural resources, transportation, tourism, and fisheries.

## YOUR VOICE COUNTS:

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) is leading the federal permitting process for Alaska LNG and is providing a 90-day comment period, from June 28, 2019 to October 3, 2019, for Alaskans to participate. If you'd like to comment go to FERC.gov.

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The Alaska Gasline Development Corporation (AGDC) was created by the State of Alaska to develop the infrastructure necessary to deliver Alaska's enormous but stranded North Slope natural gas supply to markets in Alaska and abroad.

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