



Weaver-Gill FAQ

What Is the Purpose of This Project?

The project involves replacing two natural gas transmission pipelines, in operation since 1929 and 1940 respectively, with one pipeline that will be used for distribution.

This project will also comply with state and federal regulations to protect the environment and enhance service quality.

When Will Construction Begin and End?

Start Date: April 2025 | *End Date:* October 2025

MLGW anticipates completing the pipeline installation in October 2025. Restoration and stabilization of affected areas will occur progressively throughout the project, ensuring the impacted areas are returned to their original condition or made suitable for their intended use as construction advances. We expect full remediation to be completed some time in November.



What areas will be affected?

Construction will take place along the 5.4-mile pipeline route between Weaver Road and Gill Road. This route passes through residential neighborhoods and other developed areas, with potential impacts on local traffic and temporary road closures near impact areas.

Residents and businesses directly along the pipeline route will receive notifications detailing when construction will occur in their area. We will also provide updates on road closures and detours through our website and social media channels.

What can I expect during construction?

Noise: Customers may hear sounds from idling machines and construction equipment.

Materials: Equipment and materials may be temporarily staged near work zones.

Traffic: Some roads may have partial closures or delays near construction areas. Alternate routes will be communicated when possible.

Crews: You will see MLGW employees and contractors working along the route.

How will my property be affected?

MLGW has the legal right to work within the “Right of Way,” a defined area where utility infrastructure is located. The right-of-way may be in proximity of or intersect property, potentially affecting fencing, driveways and roads.

How will my property be restored after construction?

After pipeline installation, all impacted areas -- including fencing, driveways, sidewalks, wetlands and creeks —will be restored.

What is MLGW doing to protect the environment?

MLGW is committed to following strict environmental guidelines throughout the project. Measures include:

- Implementing stormwater pollution prevention (SWPPP) plans.
- Using erosion controls to protect streams and wetlands.
- Conducting twice-weekly inspections to ensure compliance with state and federal regulations.

These efforts are regulated by agencies such as the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Specific permits, including the Stormwater Construction General Permit (CGP) and the Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit (ARAP), guide the project to ensure environmental compliance.



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What safety measures are in place during construction?

Safety is our top priority. Construction zones will be marked with signs and barriers. We comply with all local, state, and federal safety standards to protect our workers and your community.

How will I be updated about this project?

We will provide updates through multiple channels to ensure you stay informed:

- *Social Media:* Follow MLGW on Facebook, X (formerly Twitter), Instagram, and Nextdoor for regular updates.
- *Website:* The FAQ and project updates will be available online.
- *Direct Communication:* Residents and businesses along the pipeline route can expect to receive door hangers and direct mail with important information about construction schedules and impacts.

We are committed to keeping you informed every step of the way.

Will there be disruptions to my gas service?

Customers should not expect any disruptions to their services. If any unforeseen issues arise, we will notify affected customers promptly.

What are the long-term benefits of this project?

This project replaces aging infrastructure with modern, durable materials, ensuring safer and more reliable natural gas services for years to come. It also helps MLGW meet state and federal environmental standards.

What is the Emergency Evacuation Plan if Something Goes Wrong?

MLGW is committed to ensuring the safety of residents and workers during this project. The flow of natural gas will be halted during the duration of this project. In an unlikely emergency, MLGW will coordinate closely with local emergency response teams to implement an evacuation plan. Specific protocols and notifications will be communicated directly to affected residents if necessary.

How can I ask more questions or share concerns?

For additional questions or concerns, you can: Call the MLGW Customer Care Center at 901-544-6549. Visit our website at mlgw.com/weavergill to track the project's progress.

