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

Natural gas costs are passed on to customers on a dollar-for-dollar basis. CEI South 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 South 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 South 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> 2024	Price per therm
August	\$0.3316
July	\$0.3312
June	\$0.3263
May	\$0.3078
April	\$0.1613
March	\$0.2239
February	\$0.2610
January	\$0.2742
2023 December November October September August July June May April March February January	\$0.2441 \$0.2659 \$0.3939 \$0.3953 \$0.4018 \$0.4729 \$0.4670 \$0.4281 \$0.4281 \$0.4306 \$0.5209 \$0.5611 \$0.7018

## 2022

2022	
December	\$0.7618
November October	\$0.6716 \$0.6959
September	\$0.8959 \$0.7704
August	\$0.7934
July	\$1.2661
June	\$1.2061
May	\$0.9895
April	\$0.6520
March	\$0.6287
February	\$0.5996
January	\$0.5793
2021	<b>©</b> 0.0400
December November	\$0.6180 \$0.7215
October	\$0.8211
September	\$0.9301
August	\$1.1274
July	\$0.5352
June	\$0.4808
May	\$0.4716
April	\$0.2992
March	\$0.3275
February	\$0.3171
January	\$0.2838
2020	¢0.0500
December November	\$0.2529 \$0.2953
October	\$0.2955 \$0.3912
September	\$0.4211
August	\$0.3899
July	\$0.3881
June	\$0.4078
May	\$0.4305
April	\$0.2257
March	\$0.2904
February	\$0.2790
January	\$0.2860
2019	
December	\$0.3031
November	\$0.3043
October	\$0.4498
September	\$0.4375
August	\$0.4590
July	\$0.4743
June	\$0.4900
May	\$0.4829
April	\$0.3516
March	\$0.3505
February	\$0.3600
January	\$0.3669
2018	
December	\$0.3793
November	\$0.3556
October	\$0.4987
September	\$0.4901
August	\$0.4956
July	\$0.5574
June	\$0.5474
May	\$0.5587
April	\$0.3970
March	\$0.4049
February January	\$0.4224 \$0.3864
January	ψ0.0004