



United Way of Anchorage

# WALK 4 WARMTH

A "virtual walk" fundraiser to help struggling Anchorage families stay warm and housed this winter.

Join us in supporting **United Way's Walk for Warmth** to **help raise rent and utility assistance** for our Anchorage neighbors.

This virtual event takes place March 1st - 14th. You can **support the effort by sharing videos and photos of how you get outside during the winter.**

Join us or donate at: <https://www.liveunitedanc.org/walk-4-warmth/>



## Hot Water Safety

**Children's sensitive skin burns easily. Help keep your kids safe by following these three rules:**

- 1** Never put a child into the tub while the water is still running.
- 2** Always stay with a child while they are in the tub. Children can turn on the hot water in a flash and it only takes seconds to burn or drown.
- 3** Water coming out of the faucet should never be hotter than 120 degrees. If your water heater is set too high, turn it down or have your plumber do it for you.

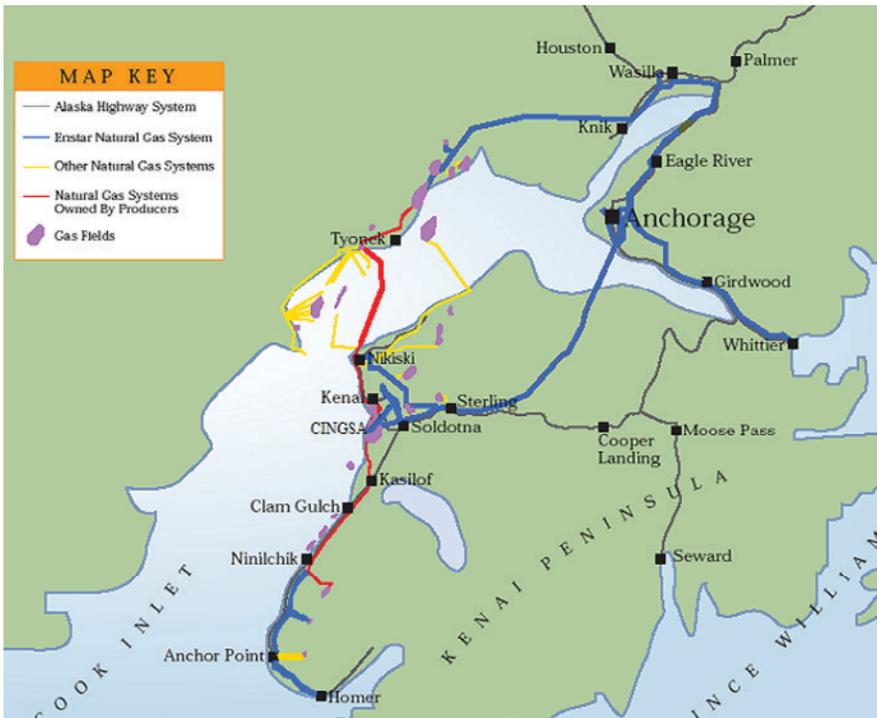
When filling the tub, put your hand all the way into the water. Spread your fingers and move your hand back and forth the full length of the tub to check for hot spots.

**REMEMBER!** The most painful burn is one that could have been prevented.

# ENSTAR Transmission Lines:

## The Lifelines of Southcentral Alaska's Gas Distribution System

ENSTAR owns and operates over 400 miles of high-pressure natural gas transmission pipelines in Southcentral Alaska. These pipelines transport natural gas from Cook Inlet gas fields and producer owned pipelines to ENSTAR's residential and industrial customers.



Buried in rights-of-way, these transmission pipelines range from 2" to 20" in diameter and are made of high strength steel. They operate at pressures from 270 to over 1,000 pounds per square inch (PSI).

To better understand how pipelines work, imagine a car tire with a PSI of 35. This means there should be 35 pounds of pressure per square inch in order for the tire to operate correctly. Too much pressure and the tire could burst from the inside. Too little and the tire would be flat. Our pipelines are also designed to operate up to a maximum PSI. Too much pressure would be unsafe and could damage

the pipe. Too little pressure and the gas wouldn't reach the end destination.

The pipelines are designed and maintained to stringent safety standards and are protected to prevent corrosion. ENSTAR performs annual leak surveys with highly sensitive instruments that are capable of detecting even the smallest gas leaks. Aircraft fly pipeline routes on a regular basis to look for abnormal right-of-way conditions. The safe operation of our facilities is ENSTAR's number one priority.



**Know what's below.  
Call before you dig.**

### NUMBERS TO KNOW!

Always call 811 two days before starting any digging project to get locates of your underground utility lines.

If you suspect a gas leak, call 1-844-SMELL GAS (1-844-763-5542) to report it.

