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Greetings,

With warmer weather approaching in May, America's Energy Link continues to put a focus on the importance of natural gas and how it affects everyone in the summer months. Since May is the time when schools in some regions finish their academic year, we have provided social graphics of the Powers family kids participating in summer activities. We have also provided copy for each social media channel to explain how natural gas contributes to making these activities possible. This infographic has been a great tool to educate and inform the public about the benefits of natural gas, and we will continue to promote it.

Thank you for your ongoing support of INGAA and our efforts to increase awareness for the America's Energy Link campaign. Remember to check INGAA's [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#) pages often, and feel free to share our America's Energy Link messages with your co-workers and friends!

All the best,

Cathy

SOCIAL CONTENT

Posting Suggestions

Please pay attention to relevant posting dates and times when sharing with your respective audiences.

Use the **#EnergyLink** hashtag as appropriate.

The following is a shortened link to the main campaign page:

Drafted Posts and Graphics

Powers Family - Sam

POST: 5/10



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IMAGE

Twitter

Sam can kick around his soccer ball this summer thanks to #natgas and petroleum by-products.
#EnergyLink <http://bit.ly/2kVmcua>

Facebook

When Sam and his friend play soccer, the ball they use is made from a synthetic rubber, which is created as a by-product of petroleum refining. #EnergyLink <http://bit.ly/2kVmcua>

LinkedIn

When Sam and his friend play soccer, the ball they use is made from a synthetic rubber, which is created as a by-product of petroleum refining. <http://bit.ly/2kVmcua>

National Infrastructure Week

POST: 5/15



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IMAGE

Twitter

Sufficient privately funded #natgas infrastructure is critical to ensuring reliable delivery of energy! <http://bit.ly/1T9v5K3> #EnergyLink

Facebook

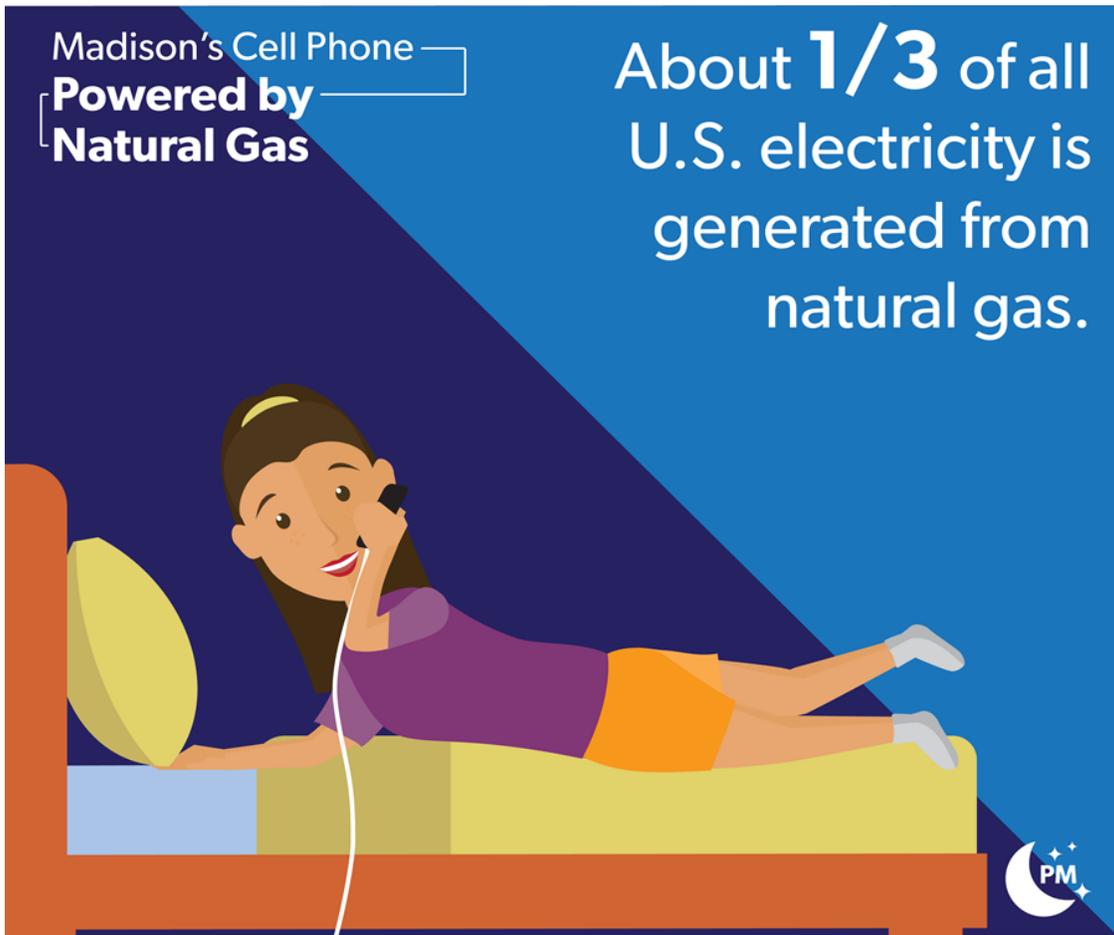
It's National Infrastructure Week! Increased privately funded pipeline infrastructure is needed to provide safe and dependable delivery of natural gas to consumers across the country. Learn more about the safety and integrity of natural gas pipelines: <http://bit.ly/1T9v5K3>

LinkedIn

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Powers Family - Madison

POST: 5/23



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IMAGE

Twitter

From its battery to the electricity used to charge it, Madison's cellphone is powered by #natgas. #EnergyLink <http://bit.ly/2kVmcua>

Facebook

Like most teens, Madison likes to spend her evenings talking to her friends. Natural gas provides the electricity and even the battery that makes this happen! #EnergyLink <http://bit.ly/2kVmcua>

LinkedIn

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IN THE NEWS

Northeast Needs More Gas Pipelines, Says New Report

[A new report out this week from the U.S. Chamber of Commerce](#) argues the northeastern United States needs more natural gas pipelines.

If no new pipelines were built, it could cost the region over 78,000 jobs and \$7.6 billion in GDP by the year 2020, the report finds. It is the fifth in a series of reports from the Chamber of Commerce, examining potential impacts of energy policies.

To read more, click [here](#).

First Battery-Natural Gas Power Plant Unveiled in California

Edison International's utility unit said it has completed the first-of-its kind battery storage and natural gas power systems in Southern California that will help the region backstop increasing amounts of renewable energy and cope with potential shortages after a historic gas leak.

Southern California Edison, General Electric Co. and Wellhead Power Solutions partnered to install 10-megawatt lithium-ion batteries at two of the utility's gas generators, Rosemead, California-based Edison said Monday in a statement. The plants are designed to fire up during

periods of peak demand. The batteries, which can provide instant power while gas turbines ramp up, are expected to reduce fuel use and lead to emission reductions of at least 60 percent, Edison said.

To read more, click [here](#).

NatGas, Oil Consumption Up As U.S. Energy-Related CO2 Drops 1.7% in 2016, EIA Says

Growth in natural [gas-fired power generation](#) was part of an overall reduction in U.S. energy-related carbon dioxide (CO2) emissions in 2016, the Energy Information Administration (EIA) said in a Monday note.

For 2016, U.S. energy-related CO2 emissions totaled 5,170 million metric tons, a 1.7% reduction from 2015 levels, EIA said. Before that, CO2 emissions had dropped 2.7% from 2014 to 2015.

To read more, click [here](#).