

EAST CENTRAL ALABAMA GAS DISTRICT  
40717 Hwy 77  
Ashland, AL 36251  
256-354-2194 or 256-354-2195  
1-800-942-8071

APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT FOR  
NATURAL GAS SERVICE

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

ACCOUNT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

METER DEPOSIT \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ SPOUSE'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

STREET \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

RENTAL PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_ WHOSE RENTAL PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_ OWN \_\_\_\_\_

SOCIAL SECURITY NO. \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT \_\_\_\_\_ SPOUSE'S EMPLOYMENT \_\_\_\_\_

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WITNESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT

**SERVICE CONTRACT**

The applicant hereby requests East Central Alabama Gas District to supply gas service at the address designated subject to the rates, charges, rules and regulations of the Gas District.

Applicant agrees that all meters, pipes, regulators, and any kind of property placed on the premises by the Gas District shall not constitute a part of the real estate but shall remain personal property, title to which is retained by the Gas District, to keep in repair all appliances and piping of said premises (other than meters and regulators maintained by the Corporation). To report immediately to the Corporation any leaks discovered.

The Gas Company shall have the right to enter upon the premises at any reasonable time for the purpose of servicing its equipment, reading meters, discontinuing service, or for any other reason necessary and incidental to the conduct of its business as a gas distributor.

This deposit will be retained by the gas company as a meter deposit until such time that services are discontinued.

Upon failure of any user to pay for services rendered within forty (40) days after such account shall become due, the gas district will shut off the gas connection of such user and shall not furnish him or permit him to receive from the gas system further gas until all obligations owed by him on account of gas services shall have been paid in full. This covenant shall not, however, prevent the gas district from causing any service to be disconnected sooner. Within sixty (60) days after service has been disconnected, and the account has not been paid in full, the deposit shall be deducted from the amount owed and a claim filed on the unpaid balance in the appropriate court.

Applicant hereby agrees to pay all attorney's fees and court cost associated with collecting the past due account.

**— NOTICE —**

- East Central Alabama Gas District does not maintain customer piping beyond the natural gas meter.
- If the customer's piping is not maintained, it may be subject to potential hazards of corrosion and leakage.
- Customer's buried gas piping beyond the natural gas meter should be:
  - Periodically inspected for leaks;
  - Periodically inspected for corrosion if the piping is metallic;
  - Repaired if any unsafe condition is discovered.
- When excavating near buried gas piping, the piping should be located two (2) working days in advance, and the excavation done by hand.
- Local plumbers and heating contractors can assist in locating, inspection and repairing the customer's buried piping.