

Natural Gas Rate Increase

On February 24, 2026, SoCalGas filed Advice letter 6605-G (pending CPUC approval) to revise its gas transportation rates. As a result, SoCalGas’s bundled residential average gas rates (which includes gas transportation, Public Purpose Program surcharge and gas commodity costs)¹ will increase by approximately 1 cent/therm or 0.5%, in March compared to January, increasing from \$2.09/therm to \$2.10/therm.²

Estimated Residential Bill Impacts³				
All Approved Gas Rate Changes Effective March 1, 2026				
Customer	January 2026 Average Monthly Bill⁴	March 2026 Bill Increase	March 2026 Average Monthly Bill	% Bill Increase
Non-CARE	\$71.98	\$0.41	\$72.39	0.6%
CARE*	\$41.15	\$0.25	\$41.40	0.6%

*Customers enrolled in the CARE (California Alternate Rates for Energy) program receive a 20% discount on their bill.

Primary drivers for this transportation rate change include the following:

- Increased Incremental revenue to recover costs related to SoCalGas’s Distribution Integrity Management Program Balancing Account (DIMPBA).⁵
- Recovery of costs authorized in Resolution E-5405 which pertain to San Diego Gas & Electric’s (SDG&E) 2024 General Rate Case (GRC). Since SoCalGas and SDG&E use system-wide average rates, this change also affects SoCalGas customers.

Additional details regarding this rate change are available in Advice Letter [6605-G](#).

Customers can find Ways to Save tools, energy savings tips, assistance programs, and billing options to help save energy and manage monthly bills year-round on the SoCalGas website, learn more at socalgas.com.

¹ Natural Gas Transportation Service transports gas from “City Gate to meter.” The Backbone Transportation Service (BTS) is for service from Receipt Point to City Gate. Public Purpose surcharge pays for public goods programs. Commodity charges are the gas of cost and changes monthly.

² Core procurement rates are established monthly and may be higher or lower.

³ The \$36.06 per household climate credit for 2026 will be included in April bills and is not included as part of the average bills included in the table.

⁴ Non-CARE bill estimate based on a typical Non-Care customer average monthly usage of 35 therms per month. CARE bill estimate based on a typical CARE customer average monthly usage of 26 therms per month. Usage in colder months, like January, typically exceeds the average monthly usage, which would result in higher bills for those months than reflected.

⁵ The DIMP is a proactive safety program to inspect and upgrade pipelines to support the safe and reliable delivery of natural gas.