

## News Release

January 25, 2022

### NOTICE OF DECISION

The Public Utilities Board (Board) approved the application of Centra Gas Manitoba Inc. (Centra) to decrease the current Primary Gas rate from \$0.1916/m<sup>3</sup> to \$0.1343/m<sup>3</sup> effective February 1, 2022. Primary Gas is a pass-through cost for Centra, meaning that Centra charges customers only what Centra pays for Primary Gas and does not make a profit on its sale.

The new rate is projected to decrease the bill for a typical residential customer by approximately 14.2% or \$121/year. Primary Gas rates will be reviewed again May 1, 2022.

Primary Gas rates for customers that have signed fixed-term fixed-price contracts, with either Centra or a private broker, are not affected.

The Board is an impartial tribunal and regulator, at arm's length from government, that acts in the public interest.

Board Order 6/22, contains additional information on Centra's Application and the Board's decision. The Order is available on the Board's website at [www.pubmanitoba.ca](http://www.pubmanitoba.ca), or through the Board's Office.

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