

# 2018 OCC Hot Topics

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PAPEI has begin again  
3<sup>rd</sup> Round of Effectiveness were  
due for most June 20,2018.

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In reviewing print material

See too much where the parent company is the focus and not the actual operator of the facilities

Leads to confusion of the stakeholder

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If the actual operator is not listed in material the material must be distributed again—Have seen this

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LIASION with Emergency Officials

Include in your Liaison meetings Natural Gas may not be the only product you deal with

Mercaptan, Internal Corrosion Chemicals

Other chemicals

Have had Incidents that have dealt with things other than Natural Gas

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O&M Issues

Not following Procedures

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Hot works permits not documenting bell hole readings

Have a CGI for a reason

Have a Fire Extinguisher for a reason-1 man show call Fire Dept to assist

Post warnings signs for a reason

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WHEN IN EXCAVATED TRENCH  
& GASOUS ATMOSPHERE

SCBA

RESCUE HARNESS AND LINE



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USE ALL EQUIPMENT  
PROVIDED

TAG Grants are available to non-  
profit organizations like  
Municipals

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## Construction Practices

### Meet Code requirements

The failure to retire services at the service tee-leaving 5'-10' service line and not getting located therefore getting cut

## 192.740 Effective March 24, 2017

For Each Individual Service line connected to production, gathering, or transmission pipelines

Each pressure regulating or limiting device, relief device (except rupture discs), automatic shutoff device, and associated equipment must be inspected and tested at least once every 3 calendar years, not exceeding 39 months

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- (1) In good mechanical condition;
- (2) Adequate from the standpoint of capacity and reliability of operation for the service in which it is employed;
- (3) Set to control or relieve at the correct pressure consistent with the pressure limits of §192.197; and to limit the pressure on the inlet of the service regulator to 60 psi (414 kPa) gauge or less in case the upstream regulator fails to function properly; and
- (4) Properly installed and protected from dirt, liquids, or other conditions that might prevent proper operation.

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192.740(c)

(c) This section does not apply to equipment installed on service lines that **only** serve engines that power irrigation pumps.

Question—Does the meter for an irrigation meter only feed that irrigation asset or the dwelling also—an operator must know.

- PHMSA and NAPSRS developed a set of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) to support implementation of the new rule.
- These Farm Tap FAQs were posted, but were withdrawn for further review and will be posted in the future for public comment following discussions with Stakeholders and NAPSRS on implementation
- Farm Taps exist in many different scenarios
- FAQs seek to provide guidance for operators and regulators implementing the requirements of §192.740 and handling farm tap installations
- <https://primis.phmsa.dot.gov/dimp/farmtap.htm>

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Farm Taps are included in the regulatory reform initiative discussions.

AGA proposed the option of DIMP or §192.740 tasks

Interim tools to support safety (e.g. stay of enforcement) are being reviewed

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## DI MP

Inspectors will continue to review you're A/A's—risk reducing measures during standard inspections



# Transmission

Magnetism of Pipe after a MFL Type tool run

Have had Incidents contributed to it

Leads to Root bead cracking X-ray may not pick it up

# Transmission

HCA review-failed to substantiate if a Building Intended for Human Occupancy meets HCA status

Verification of NPMS miles and Annual report Miles

PHMSA will send you a notice if a discrepancy

Probably will get one from the OCC also

NPMS is suppose to go to a Google Earth Based Format

# Intrastate Pipeline Facilities Overview - Gas


<b>Transmission mileage:</b>	<b>6,229</b>
<b>Distribution mileage:</b>	<b>33,834</b>
<b>Master Meter mileage:</b>	<b>&lt;100</b>
<b>Number of Services:</b>	<b>1,236,251</b>
<b>Gathering Line Mileage:</b>	<b>801</b>
<b>Estimated Unregulated Gathering Line Mileage:</b>	<b>30,000-40,000</b>
<b>Gas Underground Storage Facilities:</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Total Number of Operators:</b>	<b>258</b>
<b>Master Meter Operators:</b>	<b>90</b>

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Portal Operator Update

<https://portal.phmsa.dot.gov/PHMSAPortal2>

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 PHMSA Home



## PHMSA Portal Home Page

### Announcements

Date Received	Message
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No announcements.

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Operator: 7065 - HARDESTY MUNICIPAL SYSTEM, TOWN OF

- Compliance Officers**
- Compliance Assistants
- Inspections
- Emergency Situations
- Senior Executive Official
- NPMS Submissions
- Drug & Alcohol
- User Fee
- HQ Address & Phone Num

**Operator contact overseeing compliance with 49 CFR Parts 191 - 199, i.e, the primary contact for regulatory issues:**

**This is a required contact for all operators. If you need to remove the person currently listed, you must first add a new contact. Please add the new contact, by clicking on the "Add new" button, completing the required fields, and then you will have the ability to remove the previous contact.**

- Create/Add New
- Update
- Remove

Go

**Name:**

Last Name:  First Name:  MI:

Title:

**Address:**

- Domestic  International

Street/P.O.Box:

City:

State/Territory:  Zip Code:

Phone:  Email:  Re-enter Email:

Last Updated By:  Updated Date:  Update Reason:

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24/7 Operator contact for emergency situations (natural disasters, natural emergencies, security threats, extreme weather events, etc.):

- Create/Add New
- Update
- Remove

Go

Name:

Last Name: Frantz First Name: Tye MI:   
Title: systems operator

Address:

Domestic  International  
Street/P.O.Box: P.O. BOX 126  
City: Hardesty  
State/Territory: OKLAHOMA  
Zip Code: 73944  
Phone: (580)524-1754  
Cell Phone: (580)524-1754  
Last Updated By: kbeckwith

Email: town2@ptsi.net  
Fax:

Updated Date: 28-Feb-2014 11:02:43 AM Update Reason:

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**Operator's Senior Executive Official:**

This is a required contact for all operators.  
**Enter the most senior pipeline operating company official. Normally this is the President or Chief Executive Officer; not the Vice President or compliance manager.**  
**If you need to remove the person currently listed, you must first add a new contact. Please add the new contact by clicking on the "Add new" button, completing the required fields, and then you will have the ability to remove the previous contact.**

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**Address:**  
 Domestic  International

Street/P.O. Box:   
  
 City:   
 State/Territory:   
 Zip Code:   
 Phone:

Email:   
 Last Updated By: System Updated Date: 25-Apr-2013 12:00:00 AM Update Reason:



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Compliance Officers Compliance Assistants Inspections Emergency Situations Senior Executive Official **NPMS Submissions** Drug & Alcohol User Fee HQ Ad

**Operator contact for information pertaining to NPMS submissions:**

Create/Add New  
 Update  
 Remove

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Contact information is not currently on file. Please click the "Add New" button to add a new contact.

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Sub Standard POLY

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CHAPTER 20 COMMISSION RULES CHANGES

NOT OFFICIAL—PROPOSED CHANGES

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ONE EVERY OPERATOR WILL LOVE

THE \$5000.00 MAY BE GONE

VARIOUS VERBAGE CHANGES—  
OWNER/OPERATOR REQUIREMENTS

1 HOUR REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF  
FEDERAL REPORTABLE

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TELEPHONIC NOTICE OF EVACUATION OF A  
BUILDING

RESTRICTIONS ON CONNECTIONS TO  
CONSUMERS

THE 5001 NOTICE OF CONSTRUCTION HAS BEEN  
MODIFIED PLEASE USE—ON OUR WEBSITE

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Added the requirement to notify excavator of size of pipe and material—IE Steel, Poly etc

Telephonic/Electronic Reporting of damages caused by excavator-NOTIFY PLS within 1 hr

Semiannual Written Report of damages caused by excavation

Mechanism to file complaints of failure to follow Underground Damage Prevention Act

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## OQ Span of Control

1:0—qualified observing Non qualified  
Steel Welding, Plastic Fusion,

Tapping-192.627 requires qualified crew

NDT-visual inspection of welds—192.241 requires  
training per 1104 Section 9

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CBD OIL be careful, may still contain THC and might test positive

Medical Marijuana—Legal in the state, Not by Feds



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**CERTIFICATES**

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QUESTIONS