## NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF ST. CROIX VALLEY NATURAL GAS COMPANY, INC.

St. Croix Valley Natural Gas Company, Inc. filed an application with the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin on April 14, 2016 for authority to increase its natural gas rates. Since the issuance of its last rate order (2011), the Company's cost of operations has increased. It has, therefore, become necessary to request a rate increase at this time.

The Company is requesting an overall increase in revenues of \$329,000 annually, or approximately 4.52%. The impact of the Company's proposal on a residential customer using 1000 therms annually would average approximately \$2.18 monthly, or \$26.14 per year. Final rates may vary from those proposed by the Company and will be determined by the Commission.

A hearing on the Company's application will be held on Tuesday, January 31, 2017 at 11:00AM. This will be a telephonic hearing conducted at two sites. The Company will provide a room for customer participation at the St. Croix Gas offices at 415 South Second Street, River Falls, Wisconsin. Customers can call the utility at (715) 425-6177 for further details about the location of the hearing room. Public Service Commission staff will participate from the second location, the Amnicon Falls Hearing Room on the first floor of the Public Service Commission Building, 610 N. Whitney Way, Madison, Wisconsin. Both locations are accessible to people in wheelchairs. Questions regarding this matter may be directed to the docket coordinator, Corey Singletary, at (608) 267-7778 or Corey.Singletary@wisconsin.gov.