Public Announcement Release

Natural Gas Aggregation is on the November Ballot

On November 3rd, Ontario voters will have the option to vote for a Natural Gas Aggregation program. It will be run very much like the current Electric Aggregation Program.

The ballot issue is simply to authorize the city to create an opt-out aggregation group. If it passes, the city will hold two public hearings, obtain certification from the Public Utilities Commission and work with suppliers to negotiate rates, terms and conditions. Customers can opt-out at any time. There will be no early termination fees and only customer not under contract will be automatically included. Those already with a supplier can opt-in at the end of their term. Billing from Columbia Gas of Ohio will remain the same including Budget Billing.