

**PHMSA FY 2022 Natural Gas  
Distribution Infrastructure Safety and  
Modernization Grants**

*The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law appropriated \$1 billion to DOT-PHMSA for the agency's first-ever infrastructure grant for pipelines—aimed at mitigating safety risk from the highest-risk, legacy natural gas distribution pipes, particularly in underserved communities. Specifically, the statute provides \$200 million per year to be awarded to community- or municipally-owned gas distributional systems for the replacement, repair, or rehabilitation of high risk, leak-prone, legacy pipe. On Wednesday, April 5, 2023, PHMSA will announce it is awarding nearly \$196M in funding to modernize 270 miles of pipes in underserved and transportation-disadvantaged communities through 37 projects in 19 states (including grants for equipment to help pinpoint methane leaks for repair).*

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Amount of Award (\$)</b>
City of Holyoke Gas and Electric Department	MA	\$10,000,000
Westfield Gas and Electric Light Dept.	MA	\$10,000,000
Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department	MA	\$1,275,059