

January 24, 1974

Ms. Hazel Edwards
Office Manager
LEE HILL HOMES, INC.
ROSEWOOD HOMES, INC.
P.O. Box 672
Leesville, LA 71446

Dear Ms. Edwards:

A copy of your letter of January 2, 1974, to Mr. Rudy Langford, Director, Federal Housing Administration, was directed to this Office.

You raised a question about cathodic protection requirements for aboveground piping. Though there are no cathodic protection requirements for aboveground piping, the operator must comply with appropriate portions of Sections 192.479 and 192.481 of Subpart I of the Federal standards to protect against atmospheric corrosion.

In connection with underground copper piping, the operator must comply with Sections 192.455 and 192.457 as well as other pertinent sections. However, if in accordance with Section 192.455(c) the operator can demonstrate by tests, investigation, or experience that bare copper pipeline does not require corrosion control measures, then it is not required to provide them.

It is noted in your letter that the copper piping is under concrete foundations. Your attention is called to the requirement of Section 192.361(f) for the protection of service lines under buildings.

Thank you for your continued interest in pipeline safety.

Sincerely,

\signed\

Joseph C. Caldwell
Director
Office of Pipeline Safety

January 2, 1974

Mr. Rudy Langford, Director
Federal Housing Administration
425 Milam Street
Shreveport, Louisiana 71101

Shreveport I.O.
HMD: Malone

Re: New Cathodic Protection Req.
LEE HILL HOMES, INC.
ROSEWOOD HOMES, INC.

Gentlemen:

Each property under the above named projects has a separate meter for gas service.

All pipes servicing the Lee Hill Homes, Inc. properties are above ground.

All pipes servicing Rosewood Homes, Inc. properties are copper and under the concrete foundations.

Please let us know if there is any specific procedure that should be followed regarding the Cathodic Protection Requirements.

Yours very truly,

LEE HILL HOMES, INC.
ROSEWOOD HOMES, INC.

BY \SIGNED\
Hazel Edwards, Office Mgr.