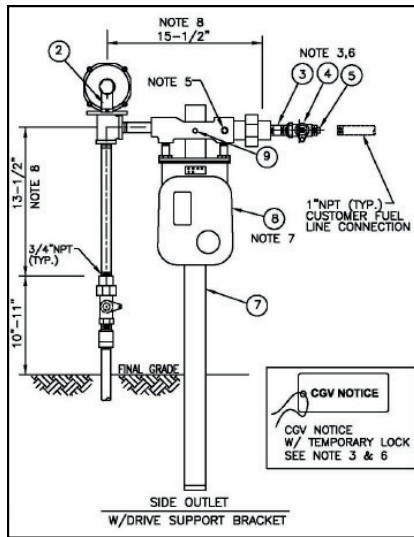


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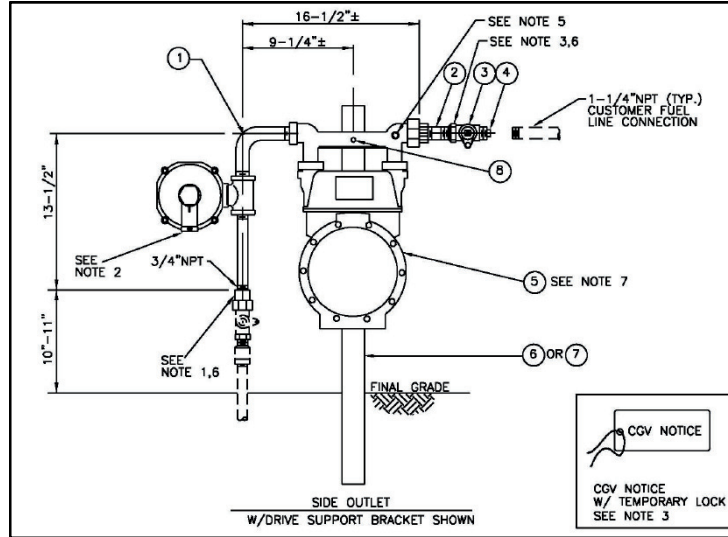


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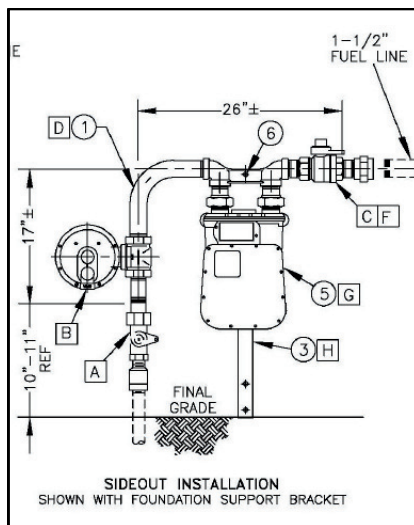
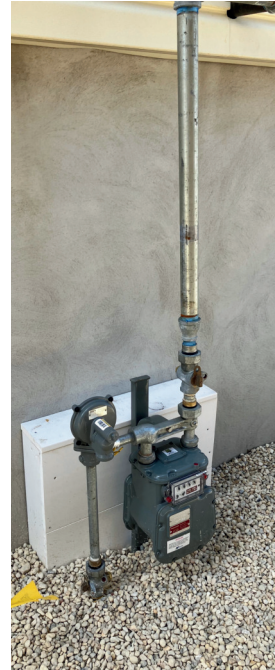
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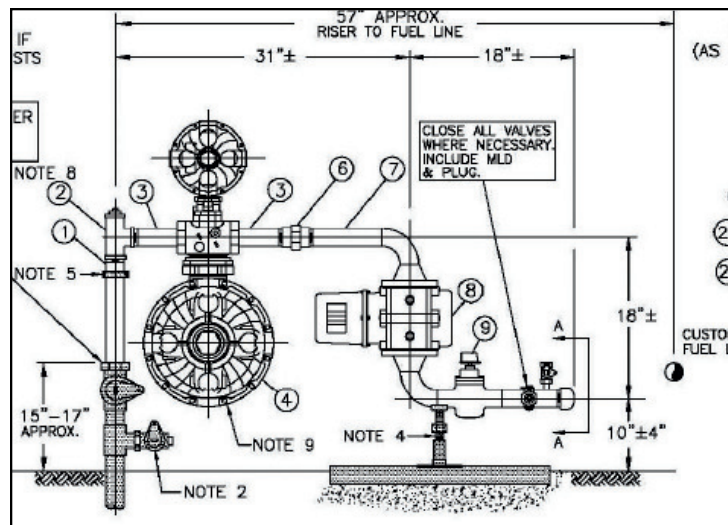
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Rated for up to 750 CFH capacity under standard operating conditions



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Rated for up to 1,700 CFH capacity under standard operating conditions



3M Roots

Rated for up to 3,000 CFH capacity under standard operating conditions




PLANNING A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT?

Your cooperation and site readiness are important to integrate natural gas service into your project efficiently and quickly so you can stay in scope and on time. This checklist for contractors and builders outlines steps and requirements for obtaining and installing natural gas service for new construction projects. Reference the steps below to ensure your site is ready for the installation of natural gas.

NATURAL GAS SERVICE CHECKLIST

Before we begin installation, the following conditions **must be met**:

- ✓ Block, lot, and address clearly posted in front of premises
- ✓ The lot property must be leveled and clear to within **6 inches** of final grade along the path of service.
- ✓ Sewer, water, septic tanks and electric laterals must be installed and backfilled and all existing customer-owned underground facilities must be located and marked out.
- ✓ The location of all utilities must be clearly marked and indicators maintained.
 - ➔ Verify the meter location and final grade are **clearly marked** with a horizontal line on the foundation. 
- ✓ The entire edge of the meter facility must be located at a **minimum of (3) feet** from any ignition sources, windows, doors, vents and other building openings to ensure safety and accessibility.
- ✓ The natural gas main must have a **clear, unobstructed path from the street to the building**. If the main is behind the curb and across the street from the property, **check for any obstacles** — such as a transformer, driveway apron or other structure — in its path. **These must be either relocated or approved for an offset before your installation order can be released.**



CALL TO HAVE YOUR METER SET: 848-206-8340

METER SET REQUIREMENTS

Before the meter can be set and turned on, ensure **all the requirements below are met** to avoid delays in service activation.



Note: NJNG will set the meter as long as the natural gas service line — or multiple meter manifold, if required — is installed.

- Ensure the house line/fuel line is securely connected to the meter bar at the **customer gas valve (CGV)**. This is the customer’s responsibility.
- Fuel lines at multiple meter installations **must be clearly marked** by a metal tag or other permanent means and tied into the meter bar. An inspection of the premises is required to verify plugged fuel lines and natural gas is properly flowing in accordance with the National Fuel Gas Code:
 - ➔ “All fuel lines shall be marked by metal tag or other permanent means attached by the installing agency designing the building or the part of the building supplied with gas.”
- **Failure to meet the criteria below will result in the meter remaining off at the CGV, tagged and locked.**
 - ⊗ The municipal plumbing inspection sticker is visible from the outside of the premises.
 - ⊗ There is access to the premises and the natural gas appliance(s) to perform a **onetime** courtesy inspection.
 - ⊗ The customer-owned natural gas piping or equipment has passed a “lock-in” or “shut-in” test.



General Questions or Status Updates?

Call: 732-938-1280

THINGS TO KNOW/REMINDERS

Before finalizing your natural gas meter installation, review these key reminders to ensure safety, compliance, and a smooth inspection process.

- The natural gas pipe must be capped — and not necessarily valved — for all missing natural gas appliances. The individual municipal inspector determines this.
- **DO NOT** locate meter sets directly under the following:
 - ⊗ Air intake.
 - ⊗ Staircase or fire escape.
 - ⊗ Porches, patios and decks.
 - ⊗ In or near a crawl space.
 - ⊗ Windows that may be used for egress or as an emergency fire exit.
- Avoid locating the meter set where it may be vulnerable to vehicular traffic, between or next to garage doors, low overhangs or along driveways.
- The front side of the meter **MUST be within 12 inches of a foundation wall or solid backing for the bracket**. If not, the builder or homeowner must modify the existing foundation, footing, overpour or grade beam **OR** build out the width of the extension to support the meter bracket — at 3 feet wide by 2 feet high **OR** install an NJNG-approved wing wall.
- The meter location should never be positioned under an air conditioning condenser platform. The entire outer edge of the meter facility must be **at least three (3) feet away** from the outer edge of the condenser support.



IN CASE OF EMERGENCY/LEAK: CALL 1-800-GAS-LEAK