

Staple or nail this card where the meter is to be located

GAS METER LOCATION



Gas meters shall be located in ventilated spaces readily visible and accessible for examination, reading, replacement and maintenance. Must be located in the front of the house or the front one-third of either side.

- A. Not be located in living quarters, garages, carports, boiler rooms, under decks, or in unventilated or inaccessible places.
- B. Not be located in areas accessible by vehicles, such as autos, trailers, motor homes, boats, etc., unless permanently protected by 4" bollards not more than 48" apart, 48" tall, and buried 36" deep. Note: A temporary concrete barrier can be used during the construction process. All commercial meter sets are required to have Bollard protection.
- C. Not be located closer than 36" horizontally to or 72" vertically under an operable window, door or wall opening.
- D. Not be located closer than 36" horizontally to any ignition source including electric meter assemblies, electrical receptacles, switches, etc.
- E. No grounding conductor will be installed on ENSTAR's meter set assembly.
- F. No grounding electrode (rod) or bare underground grounding conductor will be installed within 36" of gas riser and underground service line.
- G. Not be located within 36" horizontally or infinitely vertically under appliance venting terminations to the entirety of the meter set, unless the manufacture requires further clearances.
- H. Not be located in areas subject to water, ice, and snow damage. Structures with metal roofing must have meters installed on gabled end.
- I. All meters must be installed on gabled end in Whittier or Girdwood, regardless of roofing material.
- J. In the State of Alaska, Per IMC, meters must be located at least 10' away from mechanical air intake. **Within the MOA: 6' for residential**
- K. Not be located within 3' horizontally under hose bibs or water scuppers/discharges from storm, roof drainage, etc.
- L. If you have any questions about anything shown in this diagram, please contact your ENSTAR marketing representative at 907-334-7770.

Street Ad	dress:		
Lot:	Block:	Subdivision:	

A. To have service installed:

The service line can be installed any time after the foundation is complete and backfilled to within 6" of finished grade for new construction or to an existing structure. The Service Address must be posted and meter location marked.

B. To have meter bar installed:

ENSTAR will generally install the meter bar when the service line is installed. Licensed plumbers may pick up a single meter bar at any ENSTAR office and install it before the meter is set. This will allow the house piping to be tied in. The meter bar must be secured solidly to a stud wall and installed at the proper height in accordance with the requirements in the diagram to the right. For meter bars with two or more meters, call ENSTAR Customer Service at 1-877-907-9767.

C. Meter Set and Unlock

You must have the following before a permanent meter can be set and gas service turned on:

- An air-pressure test on your house piping. (Anchorage and Palmer locations must be inspected and receive a Green Tag by a city inspector) Piping must be tagged by a licensed plumber/gas fitter with an air test record and their license number or an ENSTAR service technician must witness the air test.
- House piping must be connected to a meter bar and a service line must be installed.
- A <u>major gas appliance</u> must be connected to the house piping and be ready to fire.
- The address must be displayed on the dwelling.
- When you are ready, call ENSTAR Customer Service at 1-877-907-9767. You
 must have your address and name as it appears on the service line application.
- If any of the above are not completed when a service technician arrives to install and unlock a meter, a one hour service charge will be billed to your account.

D. Call before you dig

Before starting any excavation work (post holes, decks, shrubs, etc..), please call 811 for <u>free</u> underground utility locates. Remember to hand dig with 2' of all locate marks.

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