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Safety perimeter reduced at TransGas Prud'homme Storage Cavern Facility – site now under control

TransGas has now completed an assessment of the new wellhead which was installed at Cavern #1 at the Prud'homme Storage Cavern Facility, located six kilometres south of Prud'homme, Saskatchewan. The wellhead, which was installed the evening of Friday, October 17, 2014, has been tested and is now performing to safety specifications.

This work has allowed TransGas to reduce the two-kilometre safety perimeter to a safety zone limited to its property at the Prud'homme facility. All residents have been allowed to return to their homes.

Now that the situation is under control, TransGas' ongoing work at the site will focus on recovery efforts, which include moving forward with the investigation into the cause of the natural gas release and corresponding fire on Saturday, October 11, 2014.

The remaining six caverns at the Prud'homme Storage Facility were not damaged and remain secure. Natural gas service to residential, business and industrial customers was not impacted by this incident.

TransGas wishes to thank area residents for their patience and understanding throughout this time period. TransGas also wishes to acknowledge the assistance of First Responders, landowners, the local rural municipality, and the many companies involved in providing additional equipment used throughout this process.

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