

Public Transparency of State/Provincial Pipeline Safety Agencies & PHMSA - website review

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	Finding agency web site	Contacts for agency staff	Access to statutes, regulations	what state/province regulates	Transmission pipeline maps	Pipeline company contact info	Enforce ment data	Incident data	Inspection records	Siting & routing info	Excavation damage data	Total (out of a possible 33 points)
Arkansas	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	32
Washington	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	32
PHMSA	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	1	1	2	27
Maine	3	3	2	3	3	3	2	2	1	2	2	26
South Dakota	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	1	0	2	25
Connecticut	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	1	0	2	24
Colorado	3	3	2	3	3	1	2	2	1	0	2	22
Minnesota	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	0	0	2	22
CA National Energy Board	3	2	3	1	1	1	3	1	3	2	1	21
Nevada	3	3	3	2	3	1	2	2	0	1	1	21
West Virginia	3	3	2	2	3	2	2	2	0	0	2	21
Kentucky	3	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	0	0	2	20
Mississippi	3	3	2	2	3	1	2	2	0	0	2	20
Texas	3	0	3	2	3	2	2	2	0	0	2	19
Louisiana	3	3	1	2	3	0	2	2	0	0	2	18
Oregon	3	3	3	2	0	1	2	2	0	0	2	18
New Hampshire	3	3	3	1	3	2	0	0	0	2	0	17
Ohio	2	1	3	2	0	1	2	2	0	2	2	17
Georgia	3	3	0	0	0	1	2	2	3	0	2	16
Illinois	2	1	3	3	3	1	2	0	1	0	0	16
Iowa	3	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	2	0	16
Missouri	3	0	2	0	3	2	2	2	0	0	2	16
Nebraska	3	2	1	2	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	16
Utah	2	3	3	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	16
British Columbia	2	3	2	3	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	15
Arizona	3	1	2	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	14
California Liquid*	3	3	3	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Indiana	3	3	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	14
Michigan	2	2	3	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	14
Rhode Island	3	2	1	0	3	2	2	0	0	0	1	14
South Carolina	3	1	1	2	3	1	0	2	1	0	0	14
Wisconsin	3	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	14
Alaska	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	13
North Carolina	3	3	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	13
North Dakota	2	3	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	13
Oklahoma	3	1	3	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	13
Florida	3	1	2	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	12
Idaho	3	3	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	12
Alberta	2	0	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	2	1	11
California Gas*	3	1	0	2	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	11
Massachusetts	3	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	11
Tennessee	3	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Alabama	2	3	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	10
Montana	3	3	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
Pennsylvania	2	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
Vermont	2	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	10
Maryland	2	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	9
New Mexico	2	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
New York	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	9
Wyoming	2	1	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	9
DC	0	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
Kansas	3	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	8
Virginia	3	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
New Brunswick	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Ontario	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	7
Nova Scotia	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Northwest Territories	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Saskatchewan	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Delaware	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Manitoba	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
New Jersey	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Hawaii	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quebec**												

0 = can't find 1 = difficult 2 = moderate 3 = easy to find

* California is the only state that has different agencies for natural gas and liquid pipelines

** We did not rate Quebec because of our inability with language issues