



TO: RESIDENTS OF PALISADE TOWERS
FROM: MIKE SPANO, MAYOR, CITY OF YONKERS
WILSON KIMBALL, CEO/PRESIDENT, YONKERS HOUSING AUTHORITY
RE: EMERGENCY GAS OUTAGE
DATE: AUGUST 28, 2024

Earlier today, Con Edison alerted the Yonkers Housing Authority (YHA) of several gas leaks in systems servicing Palisade Towers. As a result, Con Edison has cut gas service to the 415 units located at the Palisade Towers for safety precautions. This will result in the loss of hot water and cooking gas for all residents for an undetermined amount of time.

To help mitigate this emergency, the City of Yonkers and the YHA will make electric hot plates and additional microwaves available to residents starting Friday, August 30. Temporary boilers have been secured and will supply units with hot water by Tuesday, September 3. Yonkers Emergency Services personnel will be on site to assist with the distribution of hot plates, microwaves and other items.

While we understand this emergency is disruptive and an inconvenience to our families, please know the City and MHACY are working diligently to resolve this issue. We have been in continuous contact with Governor Hochul, along with our State Elected Officials, County Executive and City Council to ensure all possible resources are explored.

We will continue to keep you updated on the progress of the repairs as they become available. In the meantime, please contact YHA's helpline at 914-476-5800 with questions and concerns.

Thank you,

MIKE SPANO

Mayor

WILSON KIMBALL

CEO/President, MHACY