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SoCalGas Declares Preferred Dividends

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15, 2017 /PRNewswire/ -- The board of directors of <u>Southern California Gas Co.</u> (SoCalGas) has declared regular quarterly dividends for the preferred series stock of the company as follows:

SoCalGas:

Preferred Stock \$0.375 per share Preferred Stock, Series A \$0.375 per share

The dividends are payable on October 15, 2017, to shareholders of record on September 10, 2017.

About SoCalGas

Headquartered in Los Angeles, <u>SoCalGas</u>[®] is the <u>largest natural gas distribution utility</u> in the United States, providing clean, safe, affordable and reliable natural gas service to 21.7 million customers in Central and Southern California. Its service territory spans <u>22,000 square miles</u> from Fresno to the Mexican border, reaching more than <u>550 communities</u> through 5.9 million meters and 101,000 miles of pipeline. More than 90 percent of Southern California single-family home residents use natural gas for home heat and hot water. In addition, natural gas plays a key role in providing electricity to Californians—about <u>60 percent of electric power generated</u> in the state comes from gas-fired power plants.

SoCalGas has served communities in California for 150 years and is committed to being a leader in the region's clean energy future. The company has committed to spending \$6 billion over the next five years to modernize and upgrade its gas infrastructure, while also reducing methane emissions. SoCalGas is working to accelerate the use of renewable natural gas, a carbon-neutral or carbon-negative fuel created by capturing and conditioning greenhouse gas emissions from farms, landfills and wastewater treatment plants. The company is a subsidiary of Sempra Energy (NYSE: SRE), a Fortune 500 energy services holding company based in San Diego. For more information visit socalgas.com/newsroom or connect with SoCalGas on Twitter (@SoCalGas), Instagram (@SoCalGas) and Facebook.



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