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**ATCO 2020-24 PLAN**

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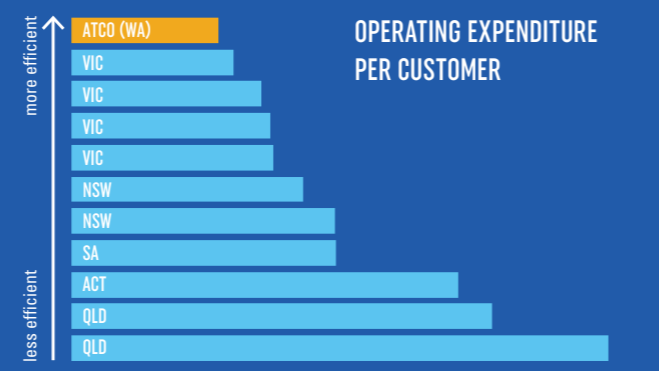
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# WHAT'S IN THE PIPELINE FOR WA?

**TODAY...**  
 GAS IS LESS THAN HALF THE COST OF ELECTRICITY\*\*  
 750,000 HOMES & BUSINESSES RELY ON NATURAL GAS  
 70% LESS CARBON EMISSIONS THAN ELECTRICITY\*\*

**...AND TOMORROW**  
 83,000 NEW CUSTOMERS EXPECTED TO CONNECT BETWEEN 2020-2024  
 INVESTMENT IN THE GAS NETWORK WILL FUEL JOBS GROWTH AND HELP SECURE A CLEANER ENERGY FUTURE

**FUSS-FREE GAS**  
 Benchmarked against our peers, ATCO is the most efficient gas distributor in Australia.^



**BALANCING INVESTMENT WITH AFFORDABILITY**  
 We plan to invest \$867m\* between 2020-2024 and maintain prices broadly in line with historical levels, after allowing for inflation. Our plan keeps prices low without compromising safety or reliability.

**SAFE**  
 A comprehensive maintenance program ensures a safe, reliable network that complies with legislation and meets all safety benchmarks.

**RELIABLE**  
 We're investing in reinforcing the gas distribution network and adding appropriate capacity to ensure a reliable supply today and into the future.

**AFFORDABLE**  
 We've worked hard to keep cost increases to a minimum. On average households will only pay \$1.17 more per month for their gas distribution charge.\*\*

**WORKING TOWARDS A CLEANER ENERGY FUTURE**  
 We'll ensure our network remains efficient, while enabling future decarbonisation with the introduction of renewables, for example biogas and hydrogen.

**PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE**  
 Every five years we submit our proposed investment plan and gas distribution prices to an independent agency, the Economic Regulation Authority.  
**WE'VE JUST SUBMITTED OUR 2020-24 PLAN.**

**WE LISTENED AND UPDATED OUR PLAN**  
 We consulted customers big and small and used their feedback to finalise our 2020-24 Plan.

ATCO OWNS & OPERATES **14,000KM OF GAS PIPELINE** **30%** ATCO'S CHARGES ARE JUST ONE PART OF YOUR GAS BILL **MORE INFORMATION AT [yourgas.com.au](http://yourgas.com.au)** **ATCO**

\*In WA's South West (per c/kWh) \*\*Compared to grid-supplied electricity in WA's South West. ~Source: Energy Networks Australia - Reliable and clean gas for Australian homes (October 2017) ^Data is based on average annual OPEX over 2007 to 2017 period for a range of regional and metropolitan gas distribution companies. ^^Based on forecast annual average residential consumption over 2020-24 of 12.51 GJ compared to indicative annual average residential consumption of 14.32 GJ over 2015-2019. \*In real terms as at 31 December 2019. The information in this document is up to date as at [17 August, 2018], however, some information may change from time to time. © ATCO Gas Australia Pty Ltd (2018). Any reproduction of these materials, in whole or in part, without the prior consent of ATCO Gas Australia Pty Ltd is prohibited.