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**NORTHERN INDIANA FUEL & LIGHT OFFERS NEW ON-LINE
ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT AND SERVICES**

AUBURN, Ind. – Northern Indiana Fuel & Light is pleased to announce new enhancements to www.niflco.com that will now allow customers to manage their accounts on-line.

Residential customers now have convenient access to paying their bill on-line or signing up for other electronic billing and payment services such as the Budget Plan. In addition, customers can access their account history, including when their last payment was received, amount due on their current bill and the date the current bill is to be paid, as well as retrieve previous bills for the past 13 months.

“NIFL’s new on-line payment option is a safe, secure and convenient method by which customers can manage their account online,” said Guy Ausmus, Senior Vice President of Customer Engagement for NIFL. “We are committed to providing customers with tools and services that will help add value to their daily lives.”

The NIFL on-line account management system – which uses firewalls, encryption and authentication procedures to protect customer information – can be found at the top of the home page on NIFL’s web site at www.niflco.com.

To setup an on-line account, a customer must first click on “Register Today” and create a user profile for the site. To register an account, a customer should have an account number, as well as the primary account holder’s date of birth and Social Security number. There’s no charge to register an account.

For additional questions customers may call 1-888-NIFLGAS (1-888-643-5427) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Northern Indiana Fuel and Light, with headquarters in Auburn, Ind., is one of the 10 energy distribution companies of NiSource Inc. (NYSE: NI), with over 36,000 natural gas customers. NiSource distribution companies serve 3.8 million natural gas and electric customers primarily in seven states. More information about Northern Indiana Fuel and Light is available at www.niflco.com.

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