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### **Investor Meetings**

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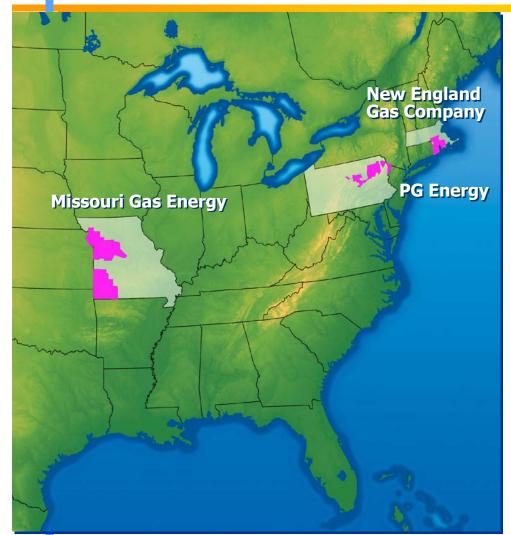
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### Widespread Asset Base



## Natural Gas Distribution Assets Overview

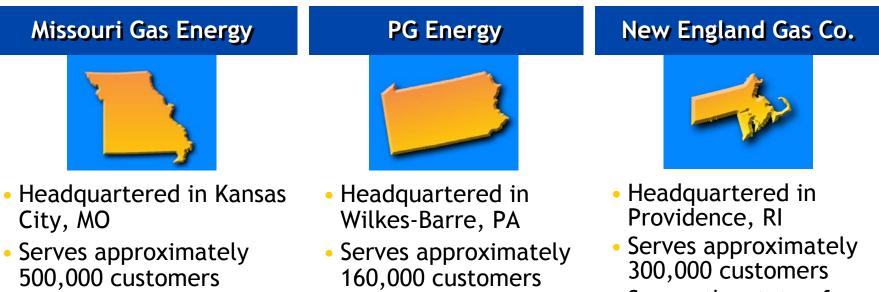


- Limited commodity price risk
- History of constructive ratemaking, sharing and recovery mechanisms
  - Weather normalization in Rhode Island
- Highlights:
  - Nearly one million customers
  - Retail sales: 112 Bcf
  - Transportation volumes: 61 Bcf
- Evaluating 2006 rate case filings in:
  - Missouri
  - Pennsylvania
  - Massachusetts





## **Geographic Diversification Unified by Strong Operations**



- Serves 34 counties throughout MO
- Regulated by the Missouri Public Service Commission
- MGE received a \$22.5 million rate increase effective October 2004
- SUG appealed ROE and Capitalization

- Serves 13 counties in northeastern and central PA
- Regulated by the Pennsylvania Public **Utility Commission**

- Serves the state of Rhode Island and southeastern Massachusetts
- Regulated by the RI **Public Utilities** Commission and the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications & Energy



## **Panhandle Assets**

- Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line (PEPL)
  - 6,340 mile, 4-line system
  - 2.8 Bcf/d capacity
- Trunkline Gas (TGC)
  - 3,578 mile, 2-line system
  - 1.5 Bcf/d capacity
- Sea Robin
  - 432 mile offshore system
  - 1.0 Bcf/d capacity
- Trunkline LNG
  - 6.3 Bcf equivalent of storage
  - Sustainable sendout capability of 630 MMcf/d





# CrossCountry Assets

#### Transwestern

- 2,400 mile, bi-directional flow system
- 2.0 Bcf/d capacity (1.2 Bcf/d west; 800 MMcf/d east)
- 1.2 Bcf/d San Juan to mainline capacity

Transwestern

- Florida Gas (50% ownership)
  - 5,000 mile, system
  - 2.1 Bcf/d capacity

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## **Growth Opportunities**



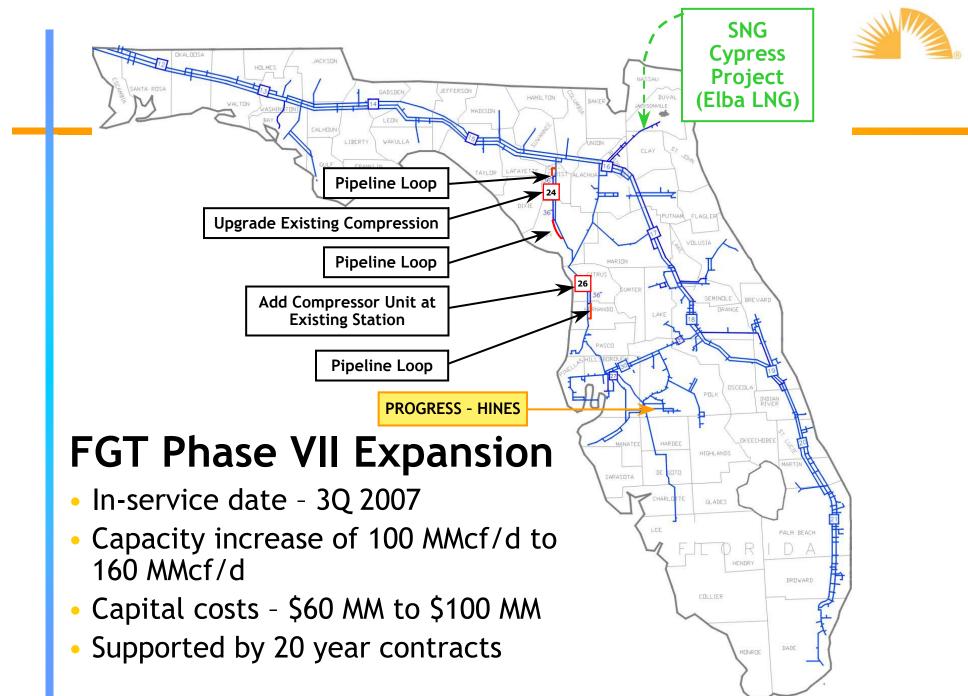
## **LNG Expansion Projects**

#### Overview

- Project costs of approx. \$264 million; \$200 million spent to date, \$64 million remaining
- All expansion capacity and sendout fully contracted to BG through 2023
- Projects to generate approx.
  \$80 million in annual revenues with a significant portion falling to EBITDA
- Projects will begin contributing to earnings in CY 2005 and will have full-year earnings impact in CY 2007

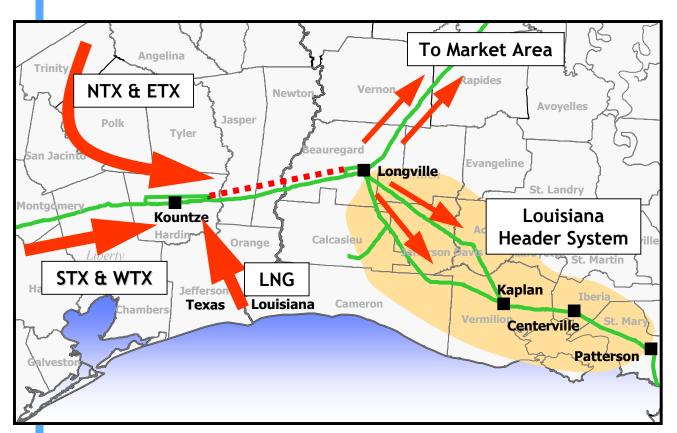
#### Progress

- Phase I \$137MM
  - Construction underway
  - -Double sendout capacity to 1.2 Bcf/d
  - Increase storage capacity to 9.0 Bcf
- Phase II \$77MM
  - FERC approved September 2004
  - Increase sendout capacity to 1.8 Bcf/d, with peak of 2.1 Bcf/d
  - -Completion by mid-calendar 2006
- Trunkline Loop \$50MM
  - FERC approved September 2004
  - Increase takeaway capacity to accommodate expansions
  - -Completed July 2005





### **Trunkline Texas Expansion**

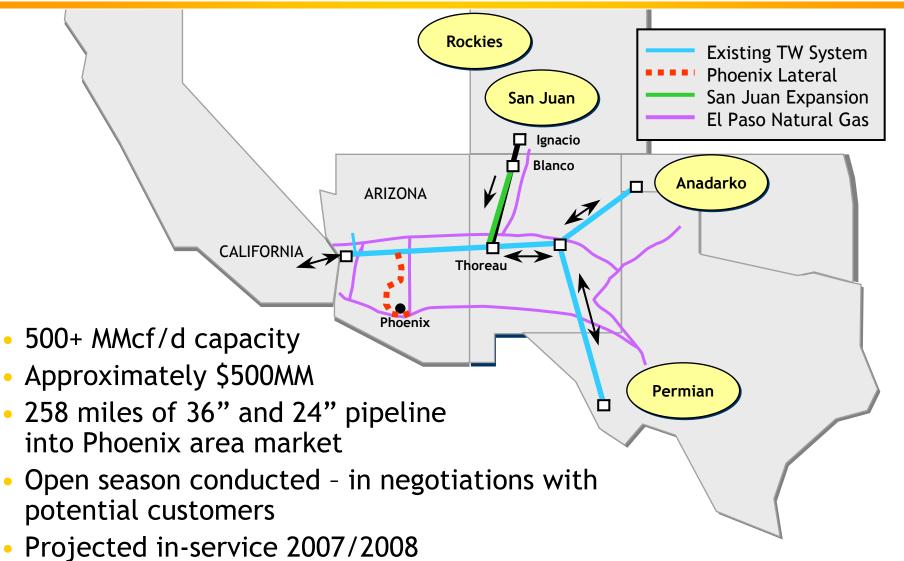


- Up to 41 miles of 30"/36" pipeline
- Capital cost of \$60MM to \$100MM
- Up to 400 MMcf/d of new capacity
- Access to ETX and NTX supply (short-term) and SETX LNG (longterm)
- Began FERC pre-filing process
- In service mid 2007

The North Texas expansion will allow Trunkline to receive incremental Texas production and Texas Gulf Coast LNG via existing or proposed intrastate pipeline connections.



### Transwestern Pipeline Phoenix Lateral

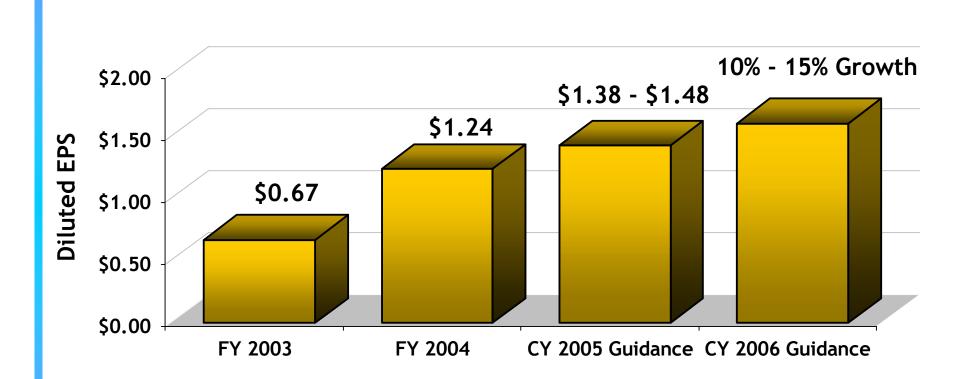




# **Financial Highlights**



### **EPS Growth Profile**



Note: All current and prior year EPS amounts have been adjusted to reflect the 5% stock dividend paid to shareholders on September 1, 2005.

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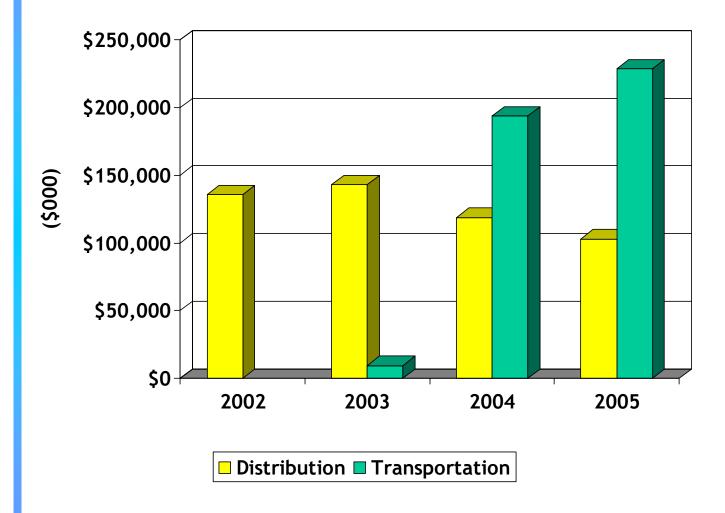
### **Strong Earnings Potential**

- Drivers for Calendar 2005
  - CCE Holdings investment
    for full year \$45 MM to
    \$50 MM after tax
  - \$17.5 MM of synergies split between SUG and CCEH
  - Full year of \$22.5 MM
    MGE rate case

- Drivers for Calendar 2006
  - LNG expansions
  - Remainder of synergies
  - Full year San Juan expansion



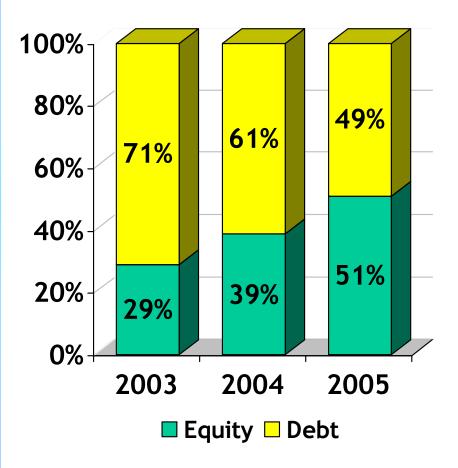
## **Segment Operating Income**

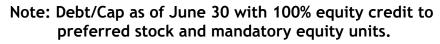


Note: Data shown represents fiscal years ended June 30, 2002 through 2004. 2005 represents trailing twelve months ended June 30, 2005.



### **Respect for the Balance Sheet**





- Investment grade ratings:
  - BBB (negative outlook) at S&P
  - BBB (stable) at Fitch
  - Baa3 (negative outlook) at Moody's
- Strong internal equity formation



### **Investment Thesis**

- One of the largest pure-play regulated natural gas companies in the United States
  - 18,000 miles of interstate pipelines serving customers from coast to coast - approximately 75% of EBIT
  - Three distribution divisions serving 1 million customers approximately 25% of EBIT
  - Owns and operates the only LNG receipt terminal on the U.S. Gulf Coast
- Proven acquisition track record
  - Successful integration of six acquisitions since 1999
  - Focus on energy infrastructure assets
- Attractive business profile and earnings and cash flow growth visibility
  - High quality, stable and predictable cash flows
  - Low business risk with nearly 100% of businesses regulated
  - Outstanding low risk growth opportunities