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# Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. Customer Choice<sup>SM</sup> Program 2021 Annual Report



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#### **Introduction**

Columbia Gas of Kentucky's ("Columbia's") application requesting approval of its initial Customer Choice Program described an annual report to be filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission"). The initial pilot program began in 2000 and terminated on March 31, 2005. Columbia's new pilot Customer Choice Program became effective on April 1, 2005, and by subsequent Orders, the most recent dated June 19, 2017, was extended through March 31, 2022. This annual report will summarize the existing program and customer complaints.

The participating marketers are a combination of long and short term participants in Columbia's CHOICE Program. The marketers provide numerous gas supply options. As of May 2021, Choice customers have saved (64,363,002). This savings is calculated as the amount paid by customers compared to the amount the customers would have paid if they had not opted to be supplied by a marketer in the first place. This is the grand total from the initial Choice program through April 30, 2021.

#### **Customer Concerns**

The Customer Contact Center received 418 calls from May 2020 through April 2021 from customers seeking information about the Customer Choice Program. The nature of the concerns of the customers are shown below:

Choice Information	350
Customer Exclusion	14
Marketer Complaint	11
Marketer Savings	5
Price to Compare	35
Send Brochure	3

#### **Certified Marketers**

Constellation NewEnergy Gas Division, LLC Darcy Fabrizius 1221 Lamar St., Ste 750 Houston, Texas 77010

800-785-4373

Kentucky United Energy, LLC Kenny Graham 730 East Main Street Frankfort, KY 40601 877-735-7304

Stand Energy Corporation John M. Dosker 1007 Celestial Street, Suite 110 Cincinnati, Ohio 45202-1629 800-598-2046

Vista Energy Marketing, L.P. Harry Kingerski 4306 Yoakum Street, Suite 600 Houston, Texas 77006 888-508-4782

Xoom Energy, LLC Stephanie Kueffner 11208 Statesville Road, Suite 200 Huntersville, NC 28078 888-997-8979 Interstate Gas Supply, Inc. dba IGS Energy Matt White 6100 Emerald Parkway Dublin, Ohio 43016 877-444-7427

Novec Energy Solutions Christopher R. Hild 10323 Lomond Drive Manassas, VA 20109 888-627-7283

U. S. Gas and Electric, Inc. dba Kentucky Gas & Electric Judy Vivona 6555 Sierra Dr Irving, KY 75039 888-919-5943

Volunteer Energy Services, Inc. John Einstein 790 Windmiller Drive Pickerington, Ohio 43147 800-977-8374

### **Rates Charged by Marketers**

The following marketer rates are not identified by marketer name in order to avoid undue influence in a competitive market.

Marketer A	<ul> <li>\$ 7.4900</li> <li>\$ 4.6320</li> <li>\$ 4.8820</li> <li>\$ 7.1900</li> <li>\$ 6.5900</li> <li>\$ 6.9900</li> <li>\$ 5.1320</li> </ul>
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	\$ 5.0040
	\$ 6.5900
	\$ 5.6440
	\$ 8.4900
	\$ 4.9900
	\$ 5.3940
	\$ 5.1400
	\$ 5.3820
	\$ 6.7400
	\$ 7.4900
	\$ 4.6400
	\$ 7.8900
	\$ 6.4900
	\$ 5.2440
	\$ 6.5900
	\$ 5.4900
	\$ 5.7400
	\$ 6.2400
	\$ 5.9900
	\$ 5.5900
	\$ 5.2400
	\$ 4.8940
	\$ 4.7900
	\$ 5.0940

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\$	3.7900
\$	6.3900
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\$	4.4000
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\$	4.9900
\$	6.4300
\$	4.7900
\$	7.4900
\$	4.8900
\$	5.3900
\$	4.3000
\$	6.4900
\$	4.5000
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\$	6.9900
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\$	5.0400
\$	5.5600
\$	6.3900
\$	5.6400
\$	5.6500
\$	5.2200
\$	4.9000
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Marketer B

Marketer C

	\$ 6.5000
	\$ 4.9900
	\$ 5.9900
	\$ 5.2600
	\$ 5.5000
	\$ 6.2100
	\$ 6.8000
Marketer D	\$ 5.4000
	\$ 5.0500
	\$ 5.2100
Marketer E	\$ 5.5331
	\$ 6.7540
	\$ 4.3525
	\$ 5.9931
	\$ 5.4331
Marketer F	\$ 4.5500
	\$ 5.8000
	\$ 6.0000
	\$ 5.8900
	\$ 5.7500
	\$ 5.8000
	\$ 4.5500
	\$ 0.0500
	\$ 4.5500
Marketer G	\$ 6.1990
	\$ 8.9990
	\$ 6.9500
	\$ 6.1000
	\$ 5.0500
	\$ 5.4000
	\$ 5.1500
	\$ 6.1500
	\$ 5.5500
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\$ 4.3000
\$ 5.1000
\$ 6.7500
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\$ 7.4500
\$ 6.0000
\$ 5.3500
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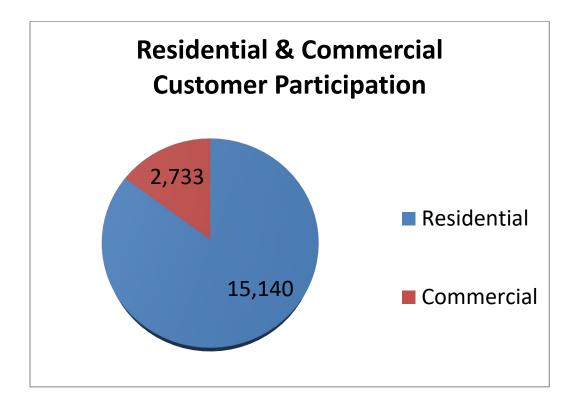
Marketer H

#### Marketer I

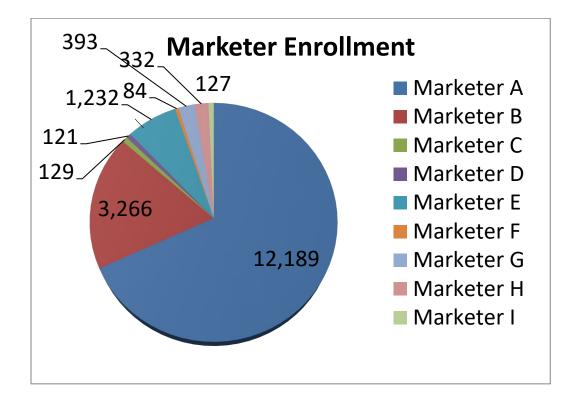
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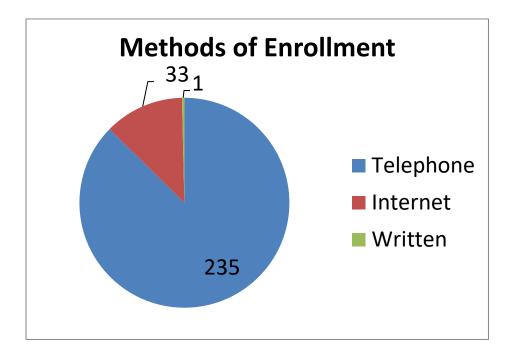
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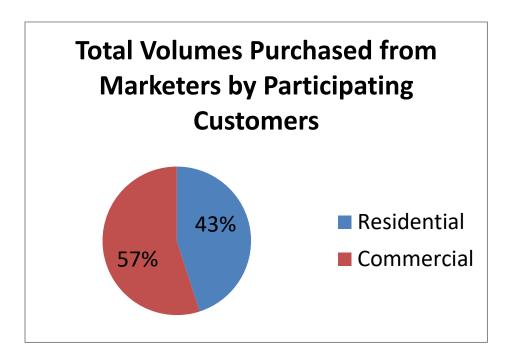




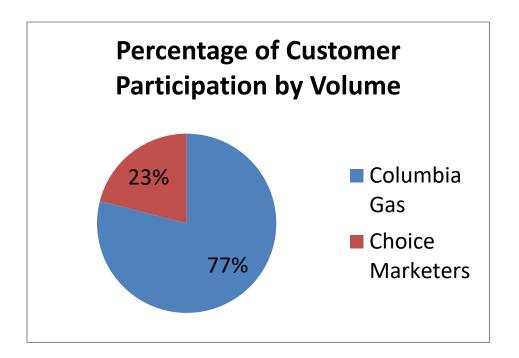












23 percent of total eligible throughput is being supplied by a Choice marketer.