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# NGSA and CLNG Statement on the American Infrastructure Initiative

(Washington, D.C.) – The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) and the Center for LNG today released the following statement regarding the Administration's American Infrastructure Initiative.

### **Dena E. Wiggins**, president and CEO of **NGSA** said:

"We applaud this initiative to simplify and streamline the permit approval process for infrastructure, which has become a long and unnecessarily unwieldy process for all. Natural gas is an essential part of meeting our country's ambitious goals of energy security, affordability and cleaner air, but sufficient infrastructure must be in place to make that happen. This is a great first step that could bring real progress toward removing unnecessary barriers without sacrificing environmental protections."

### Charlie Riedl, Executive Director of the Center for LNG, said:

"We're pleased that the Administration is tackling much-needed improvements to the permit review process. Regulatory certainty for U.S. LNG development is essential to the industry's long term growth and ability to supply the growing global demand. Providing a clear path forward for the industry signals to project developers that the United States is the best place to make multi-billion dollar investments to help deliver clean natural gas around the world."

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The Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA) represents integrated and independent companies that supply natural gas. Founded in 1965, NGSA is the only national trade association that solely focuses on producer-marketer issues related to the downstream natural gas industry. NGSA maintains a deep focus on the regulatory issues that affect natural gas producer-marketers and has been involved in a substantive manner in every one of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's significant natural gas rulemakings since FERC's creation in 1977. For more information, please visit <a href="https://www.ngsa.org">www.ngsa.org</a> and <a href="https://www.ngsa.org">www.ngsa.org</a>.

The Center for Liquefied Natural Gas (CLNG) advocates for public policies that advance the use of liquefied natural gas (LNG) in the United States, and its export internationally. A committee of the Natural Gas Supply Association (NGSA), CLNG represents the full value chain, including LNG producers, shippers, terminal operators and developers, providing it with unique insight into the ways in which the vast potential of abundant, versatile LNG can be fully realized. For more information, please visit <a href="www.lngfacts.org">www.lngfacts.org</a> and <a href="www.lnginitiative.org">www.lnginitiative.org</a>.

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