

Dear Fuel Group Member:

We write to let you know that after many years of directing the Citizen Action Fuel Group (CAFG), Operations Manager Beth Jochum is retiring. We know you'll join with us in thanking Beth for her great work and wish her the best in the next chapter of her life.

As we approach the heating season, to ensure that you continue to benefit from the cost savings and great service from group buying, your membership account will now be serviced by the New York Public Interest Research Group (NYPIRG). You probably know NYPIRG from its 45-year history of fighting for consumers in New York. Like Citizen Action of New York, which was the original sponsor of CAFG, NYPIRG is a non-profit organization whose mission focuses on consumer protection and advocacy.

NYPIRG's Fuel Buyers Group brings a collaborative, non-profit perspective to the home energy marketplace. With four decades of experience, and healthy long-standing relationships with many dealers statewide, NYPIRG's Fuel Buyers Group has saved thousands of New Yorkers millions of dollars on their heating bills and will do the same for you and your neighbors.

We want to assure you that **there will be no change of your current energy supplier or your pricing structure with your dealer.**

➤ **YOUR MEMBERSHIP WITH NYPIRG IS FREE THROUGH 8/31/2019! Previously you renewed your membership in the month you joined. From now on, you will renew annually each September. You will receive your next renewal form from NYPIRG in August of 2019.**

CAFG is proud of its three decades of work serving you and helping meet the needs of fuel buyers across upstate New York, and pleased that the NYPIRG Fuel Buyers Group will continue this tradition of cost savings and great service.

NYPIRG Fuel Buyers Group looks forward to continuing the great work of Citizen Action Fuel Group on your behalf. Please don't hesitate to reach out to us with any questions or concerns you may have.

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