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NGSA Welcomes New Vice President of Communications Maura Seikaly, Announces Forthcoming Retirement of Long-Time Employee Daphne Magnuson

Washington, D.C. – The Natural Gas Supply Association today announced that Maura Seikaly has joined the D.C. trade association as Vice President of Communications.

In her new role, Seikaly will build and manage NGSA’s reputation as a leader for natural gas industries and policies. She will oversee daily operations, including media relations, media planning and outreach, event planning and organization, executive communications, speaking engagements and content creation.

Dena E. Wiggins, President and CEO of NGSA said, “Maura brings vast expertise within the communications and energy industry and is well suited to understand the complex challenges and opportunities associated with the natural gas industry.”

Maura spent the past ten years in the D.C. area working at various PR agencies supporting trade associations, corporations, non-profits, and the federal government. She excelled at leading day-to-day management of multiple clients and providing strategic counsel to enhance their communications and marketing efforts. Maura holds a degree from Westminster College (PA).

Simultaneously, NGSA is marking the upcoming December 2024 retirement of its current Vice President of Strategic Communications, Daphne Magnuson. Daphne joined NGSA in 2009 and expanded communications responsibilities to include CLNG following its merger with NGSA in 2016. She has been indispensable in NGSA and the Center for LNG’s efforts to advocate for producers, shippers and marketers with Congress, FERC commissioners and staff, the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners.

“Daphne has been an incredible asset to our team for 15 years. She was instrumental in building NGSA’s and CLNG’s reputations as a media voice and her management of our Winter Outlooks has cemented our standing as the go-to resource for policymakers, customers and media,” added Wiggins.

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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 advocates for well-functioning markets that foster a growing, competitive market for natural gas. NGSA is dedicated to achieving a cleaner future through strong partnerships with renewables and supporting innovative technologies and market solutions that reduce emissions. For more information, please visit www.ngsa.org.

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