• Gas explosions can happen where liquid propane, natural gas, oil or bio-fuels are present.

• Explosive gas alarms alert people to the presence of dangerous levels of gas — some of which emit no obvious odor.

• Follow instructions carefully for the installation and use of gas appliances and equipment.

• Hire qualified technicians to work on gas equipment at your home or on your property.

• Cap the gas line after you remove a gas appliance from your home or property.