

New CNG stations bloom from coast to coast as Clean Energy expands infrastructure in old and new markets

From Orange County to LaGuardia, San Diego to the Canadian border, Clean Energy has been opening new CNG fueling stations at an increasing pace in 2003. This activity has, in turn, fueled an expected 30% increase in the company's CNG volume alone this year.

To the West, Clean Energy opened the first public CNG fueling station in Santa Ana, California. This is now the closest station to Orange County's John Wayne International Airport and will support shuttle vans and taxis serving the airport as well as other regional vehicles and fleets. John Wayne Airport only allows CNG-fueled taxis to pick up passengers. Additionally, the station

supports the region's consumer NGV drivers who are allowed access as single occupants to carpool lanes on the area's freeways.



To the East, Clean Energy opened a new CNG fueling facility at the BP Amoco station complex at LaGuardia International Airport, increasing accessibility of

CNG to the New York metropolitan area's taxi, fleet and shuttle vehicles serving the airport. Approximately 6,000 vehicles in the metropolitan area now use CNG. The station extends Clean Energy's initiative to make CNG available at airports.

Others include Los Angeles, Palm Springs, Orange County, Phoenix, Seattle-Tacoma, Oakland, San Francisco, Tucson, Dallas and Denver airports.

The growth goes on.

Recently, Clean Energy and its customers were awarded \$2.87 million in grants from varied federal, state and local agencies to help fund new fueling stations as well as NGV deployment in four states: California, Arizona, Texas and Colorado.



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Michael Eaves, (from left), President of the California Natural Gas Vehicle Coalition, Jose Solorio, Councilmember of the City of Santa Ana, and Mitchell Pratt, Clean Energy Vice President of Business Development, join to dedicate Clean Energy's new CNG fueling station in Santa Ana, serving John Wayne International Airport.

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> In Phoenix AZ, Clean Energy was awarded a five-year contract valued at more than \$34 million to supply LNG to Valley Metro, which provides public transit service in nearly 20 communities in the greater Phoenix metropolitan area. Currently, nearly 540 buses are supplied by this contract.