



The Power of Community

At Cheniere, we are committed to building collaborative relationships with local stakeholders and supporting communities where we live and work.

Effective community outreach, engagement and investment are not just core tenants of our commitment to Corporate Responsibility, they are also drivers of our company's success. The Sabine Pass Community Outreach Report highlights Cheniere's engagement with the Southeast Texas and Southwest Louisiana communities neighboring our Sabine Pass Liquefaction (SPL) facility.

We recognize that our impact extends beyond SPL's physical perimeter, so we work to ensure our business operations promote responsible environmental stewardship, generate economic opportunity and contribute to a more inclusive society.



For more information on Cheniere's approach to Corporate Responsibility, please visit cheniere.com/our-responsibility.

ABOUT CHENIERE'S SABINE PASS LIQUEFACTION FACILITY

Since 2016, Cheniere's 1,000-acre, bidirectional facility has reliably and safely produced and exported more than 2,000 LNG cargoes to over 35 countries, powering factories and homes around the world. In addition to five storage tanks and three marine berths, SPL's six liquefaction units—or "trains"—are each capable of producing ~5 million tonnes per annum (mtpa) of LNG.

2022 SPL HIGHLIGHTS



446
cargoes



1,521
TBtu



~\$1.5M
in community
investments



~1,100
community
engagements



Dear community members,

Cheniere has been a proud member of the Cameron Parish community—and the diverse parishes, towns and counties in Louisiana and Texas surrounding our Sabine Pass facility—since 2007. We employ more than 950 local residents and work closely with a range of stakeholders who share our vision for sustainable communities.


Our approach to working with our communities is rooted in collaboration, transparency and relationship building. Partnering with public and private sector representatives and organizations to solve problems and achieve common goals builds trust that drives our corporate reputation and business results. Participatory processes generate long-term benefits for stakeholders and surrounding communities by considering the health, safety, environmental, social, ethical and economic aspects of all Cheniere decisions and activities.



Sincerely,
Stephen Dugat
Vice President and General Manager, Sabine Pass Liquefaction

SPL expansion

In early 2023, Cheniere began the permitting process to expand the SPL facility. The expansion will add up to approximately 20 mtpa of additional LNG capacity. As part of this project, we are engaging with key stakeholder groups including elected officials, local associations, neighborhood groups and other non-government organizations to inform them about the project, as well as to understand their concerns and interests early in the permitting process, and address issues that may be raised. We are also undertaking environmental and cultural impact assessments to identify potential impacts from the expansion project.

 More information about the SPL expansion project can be found on cheniere.com/where-we-work/sabine-pass

Building local connections

We take a comprehensive approach to community engagement based on building respectful, collaborative connections and responding proactively to local needs and concerns. We strive to avoid and minimize adverse environmental and social impacts, and to address issues promptly and thoroughly. We engage regularly with local community members across the life cycle of our operations — from initial planning stages through permitting and construction, and on an ongoing basis once operations begin.

Promoting two-way communication

We seek to understand community concerns and needs through a wide range of formal and informal forums including:

COMMUNITY INFORMATION LINE:
888-371-3607 | community@cheniere.com



COMMUNITY ADVISORY FORUM

Our community advisory forum brings together local residents with Cheniere employees and local industry leaders to give stakeholders the opportunity to ask questions and share feedback, fostering collaborative solutions.



FEEDBACK PROCESS

We respond to community questions and concerns. Once received, we follow a formal, multi-step process to record, investigate and respond.



PUBLIC INFORMATION FORUMS

We inform community members about our operations through regular public information forums including safety workshops for emergency responders, public presentations, site tours and personal outreach to community members on operational updates and activities.



LOCAL INFORMATION ALERTS

We work with local first responder groups to provide emergency alerts through text-based messaging systems. We also provide operational information via email and other channels to help residents stay informed of relevant activities.

Good stewards, good neighbors: Managing our impacts and investing in our communities

Cheniere’s SPL team works proactively to identify and address key community needs and concerns. We undertake social impact assessments to gain a baseline understanding of how our operations may affect surrounding communities, understand their unique needs, and evaluate the effectiveness of our existing efforts to address community concerns and obtain community feedback. These assessments include both environmental and social aspects, and we develop management and mitigation strategies based on the results.

Our community investment strategy focuses on identifying projects that enhance education and skills, foster environmental stewardship and respond to community needs. For example, we invest in workforce development opportunities to help local students gain specialized job skills, sponsor apprenticeship programs to provide a pathway to employment, and help local communities thrive while building critical relationships and talent pipeline that power the sustainability of our business. We also take steps to support Cheniere’s diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI) strategy by investing in local organizations committed to serving under-represented groups, advancing systemic change and addressing root causes of social, economic and racial or ethnic inequities. Finally, we continue to invest in projects and organizations that protect and restore the Gulf Coast ecosystem and community access to nature-based recreational activities near our liquefaction operations.

Supporting our communities

Through regular contact with residents, we identify key community needs and concerns and work to address them in collaboration with local partners. Recent examples of how we are partnering with community groups to address needs include:

Supporting education, skill-building, local economic development and local hiring

We invest in opportunities to help residents gain skills that prepare them for careers—including those in the LNG industry—by partnering with schools and municipalities on academic learning opportunities and hands-on work programs.



Supporting **Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwest Louisiana** by founding the **Cheniere Energy Boys & Girls Club**, and sponsoring the **Girlie Girls Mentoring Program** to provide mentoring to young people from Southwest Louisiana.

Sponsoring an apprenticeship program at **SOWELA Technical Community College** in Lake Charles to provide a direct pathway to employment at Cheniere.

Establishing a process technology and instrumentation apprenticeship program at **Lamar State College**.

Founding **Lamar University's Cardinal Energy Club**, which helps students learn about and prepare for careers in the natural gas industry. The club attracted over 75 members in its first year.

Preserving local environmental opportunities

Our Sabine Pass facility is surrounded by vibrant ecosystems and recreational opportunities. We partner with local organizations to preserve the environment for residents and visitors alike.



Celebrating our 15th year working with **Restore America's Estuaries (RAE)**, providing funds to **Louisiana Wildlife & Fisheries Foundation** and collaborating with **Coastal Conservation Association of Texas** to revitalize local marine ecosystems that provide recreation opportunities and protect communities from storms.

Supporting the partnership of **Sabine Neches Conservation Club (SALT)** and **Lamar University** to protect viable animal nurseries and improve fishery resiliency.

Supporting waterway access

Area waterways are central to local culture, traditions and quality of life, as well to the local economy and industrial activity. We work to support safe access to local waterways near our SPL operations.



Partnering with the city of **Port Arthur, Jefferson County** and the **Texas Parks and Wildlife Foundation** to rebuild public boat ramps in Port Arthur and Sabine Pass.

Leading a collaborative industry and governmental effort to reconstruct a critical safety navigation aid in the **Sabine-Neches Waterway**.

MORE INFORMATION

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