

BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

APR 22 2013

In the Matter of the General Investigation into )  
Class Cost of Service and Rate Design Methods )  
Used to Establish Gas and Electric Utility Rates )

by  
State Corporation Commission  
of Kansas

Docket No. 13-GIMX-606-GIV

**ENTRY OF APPEARANCE**

COMES NOW James G. Flaherty, Anderson & Byrd, LLP, and hereby enters his appearance in the above captioned matter on behalf of Black Hills/Kansas Gas Utility Company, LLC, d/b/a Black Hills Energy, ("Black Hills").

Black Hills agrees to receive all service, pleadings, testimony, briefs and orders by electronic service without a hard-copy follow-up as required by K.A.R. 82-1-216(a)(6), at the following email

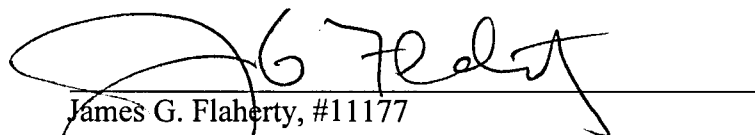
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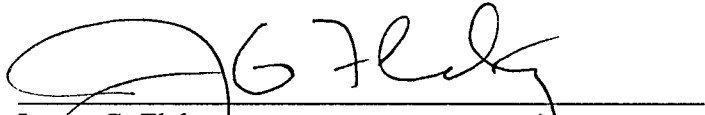
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James G. Flaherty, of lawful age, being first duly sworn on oath, states: That he is an attorney for Black Hills/Kansas Gas Utility Company, LLC, d/b/a Black Hills Energy; that he has read the above and foregoing Entry of Appearance, knows the contents thereof; and that the statements contained therein are true.

  
James G. Flaherty

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2013.



  
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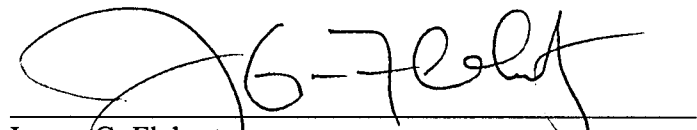
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Re: General Investigation into Class Cost of Service and Rate Design Methods  
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Dear Ms. Petersen-Klein:

Please file the enclosed Entry of Appearance on behalf of Black Hills/Kansas Gas Utility Company, LLC, d/b/a Black Hills Energy, in the above captioned matter. I would appreciate receiving a file stamped copy of this cover letter as well as a file stamped copy of the Entry of Appearance for my files. A return envelope is included.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,

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