

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS & CONSUMER PROTECTION

Formal Complaint June 2017

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FORMAL COMPLAINT

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BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS		
IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT AGAINST	For Commission use only	
Kansas Gas Service (Respondent, name of utility company)	DOCKET NO.	
	26-KGSG-101-COM	
by		
Wheat State Investments, LLC - Jordan Sonders (Complainant, your name) (Owner/Property Manage		
Please provide complainant (your) contact information:		
Full Name (s): Jordan Sanders		
Address:		
Daytime Phone:		
E-mail Address (optional):		
FORMAL COMPLAINT		
Sordon Sonders		
(Your name)		
states that the above-named respondent is a public utility providing service in Kar State Corporation Commission.	nsas and is subject to the jurisdiction of the	
The facts and circumstances surrounding the complaint are set out in detail below (Be specific and as brief as possible. If necessary, attach additional sheets.)	.	
See attached letter.		

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Complainant requests that the respondent utility be required to provide an answaction be ordered by the Commission. (State action or result desired.)	ver to the complaint and requests the following
We formally request that Kansas Gas Service	take immediate action to
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Without Service Since August 26, 2025.	
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and for such further order or orders as the Commission may deem necessary.	
VERIFICATION: I do solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare and affirm that the st and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I do this under the pains and pe	
I understand that Formal Complaints filed with the KCC become a public reco Any information provided in the complaint or other documents related to the cor address, city, state, zip code, telephone number, email address, and the facts viewing.	mplaint, including, but not limited to, my name,
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Complainant's Youry signature Date signed	

FILING INSTRUCTIONS

This form may be filed in person at the Kansas Corporation Commission's Office or by mail. All formal complaints, whether filed by mail or delivered in person, must be directed to:

Secretary to the Commission Kansas Corporation Commission 1500 SW Arrowhead Road Topeka, KS 66604

For more information about the formal complaint process please refer to the instructions provided with this form or visit the KCC website: http://kcc.ks.gov/, Consumer Assistance, Filing a Complaint. You may also contact our Consumer Assistance staff toll-free at 1-800-662-0027 or by e-mail at public.affairs@kcc.ks.gov.

The facts and circumstances surrounding the complaint are in regards to the following addresses, of which all are owned by Wheat State Investments, LLC and managed by Jordan Sanders (owner).

On August 22, 2025, Kansas Gas Service (KGS) conducted a standard leak detection test and recorded an above-ground gas reading adjacent to 914 SE 10th Terrace. As a precautionary measure, KGS temporarily shut off service in order to inspect its pipelines, fittings, and related infrastructure. Following this inspection, no leaks were identified, and service was briefly restored.

In the days following, KGS conducted additional soil probe testing and utilized vacuum trucks around 914 SE 10th Terrace and 907 SE 10th Terrace to further evaluate conditions. On August 26, 2025, KGS again discontinued gas service to the area. Shortly thereafter, KGS completed an eight-hour pressure test across all affected lines, which confirmed that no leaks or failures were present within KGS's infrastructure.

Subsequent testing by both KGS and the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) determined that the detected emissions originated from naturally occurring "decaying gas" produced by organic matter in the fill dirt—not from KGS pipelines. Notably, no above-ground gas readings have been recorded since the initial test on August 22.

Furthermore, sub-slab ventilation systems have now been installed in 26 of the units. While the fans have not yet been installed, these systems are already providing passive ventilation beneath each slab, further mitigating any potential accumulation of soil gas.

Despite these findings and the mitigation measures in place, KGS has continued to withhold gas service from 29 units along SE 10th Terrace. While KDHE has not yet issued its written report, the agency has verbally confirmed that the situation does not present a risk to public health.

During this period, I, along with Paul Owings, have maintained regular communication with Sam Loganbill of KGS. Although discussions have suggested possible restoration of service to 15 units east of Logan Street, KGS has categorically declined to negotiate restoration for the remaining 14 units—12 of which are currently occupied.