

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
KANSAS GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY,)
DOING BUSINESS AS WESTAR ENERGY FOR)
FOR AUTHORITY TO CEASE TRANSACTING)
THE BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC)
UTILITY SPECIFICALLY IN PORTIONS OF)
SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 34 SOUTH, RANGE)
RANGE 3 EAST, COWLEY COUNTY, KANSAS)

Docket No. 15-KG&E-130-CCS

APPLICATION TO CEASE

COMES NOW Kansas Gas and Electric Company, doing business as Westar Energy
(Westar Energy), and in support of its Application To Cease states:

1. Westar Energy is a Kansas corporation authorized by the Commission to conduct the business of a public utility under the provisions of K.S.A. 66-104, and as such holds a Certificate of Convenience and Authority from this Commission to engage in the business of an electric public utility in the State of Kansas, thereby promoting the public convenience in the following described territory:

COWLEY COUNTY, KANSAS

A tract of land described as the Southwest ¼ of Section 19, Township 34 South, Range 3 East in Cowley County, Kansas, as detailed on the map marked Exhibit A and attached hereto.

2. Sumner-Cowley Electric Coop., Inc. (Sumner-Cowley) certified territory is adjacent to the territory described in paragraph 1.

3. Westar Energy and Sumner-Cowley have mutually agreed, subject to the Commission's approval, that as a matter of public convenience and to better serve the customer AAS Oil Co Inc., Sumner-Cowley should serve as an electric public utility in the territory described in paragraph 1.

4. Westar Energy understands that Sumner-Cowley has filed or will soon file an application with the Commission to expand its electric service territory to include the territory described in paragraph 1.

5. A copy of this application is being served on Sumner-Cowley by delivery of United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Mitch McComb
Sumner-Cowley Electric Coop. Inc.
2223 North A Street
P.O. Box 220
Wellington, KS 67152

There is no other person or entity, corporate, municipal or otherwise that requires notice of this Application.

THEREFORE, Westar Energy requests that an Order be issued, granting Westar Energy the authority to cease operating as an electric public utility in the territory described in paragraph 1 above.

KANSAS GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

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STATE OF KANSAS)
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COUNTY OF SHAWNEE) ss

Cathryn J. Dinges, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states:

That she is the attorney for the within named applicant, that she has read the above and foregoing application and that the statements therein contained are true according to her knowledge and belief.

Cathryn Dinges
Cathryn J. Dinges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of September, 2014.

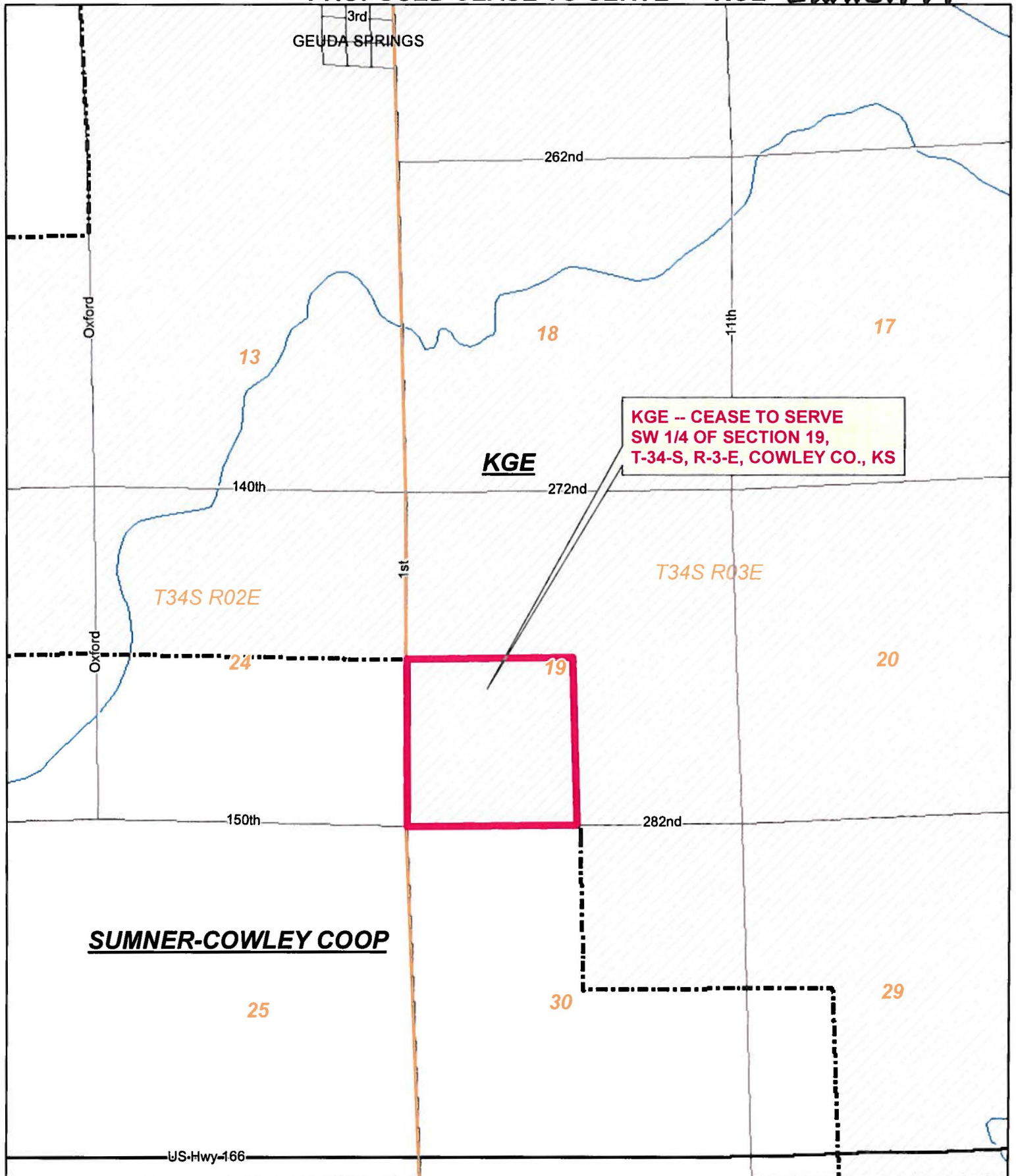
Debbielee A. Papps
Notary Public

My Appointment Expires:

June 26, 2017



PROPOSED CEASE TO SERVE -- KGE *Exhibit A*



Title: KGE Proposal to CEASE to SERVE in Cowley County, KS

Name: Todd N.

WR # n/a

Crew HQ: Ark City

Date 9/15/2014

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