

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF )  
EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC FOR )  
AUTHORITY TO CEASE TRANSACTING THE )  
BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY) )  
SPECIFICALLY, IN SECTION 15, )  
TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 20 EAST )  
IN LEAVENWORTH COUNTY, KANSAS )

Docket No. 20-EKCE-325-CCS

**APPLICATION TO CEASE**

COMES NOW Evergy Kansas Central Inc. d/b/a Evergy Kansas Central (“Evergy Kansas Central”), and in support of its Application to Cease states:

1. Evergy Kansas Central 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:

**LEAVENWORTH COUNTY, KANSAS**

The tract of land is legally described as Lot 1, Shaw Estates, located in the NW ¼ of S15-T12S-R20E in Leavenworth, KS, as detailed on the map marked Exhibit A and attached hereto.

2. FreeState Electric Cooperative, Inc (“FreeState Electric”) certified territory is adjacent to the territory described in paragraph 1. It would be considerably less environmentally invasive, it would require less overhead line and would not involve any neighbor’s property, including extensive tree removal, if FreeState Electric serves the territory described in paragraph 1 instead of Evergy Kansas Central.

3. Evergy Kansas Central and FreeState Electric have mutually agreed, subject to the Commission’s approval, that FreeState Electric should serve as the electric provider in the territory described in paragraph 1.

4. Evergy Kansas Central understands that FreeState Electric 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 FreeState Electric by delivery of United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Gary Willits  
East District Staking Engineer  
FreeState Electric Cooperative Inc.  
507 N. Union  
McLouth, KS 66054

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

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

EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC.

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ITS ATTORNEY

STATE OF KANSAS            )  
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COUNTY OF SHAWNEE    )

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.

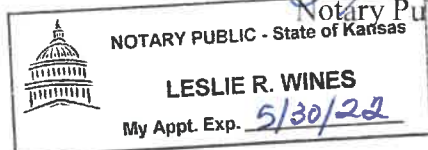
Cathryn Dinges  
Cathryn J. Dinges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 2020.

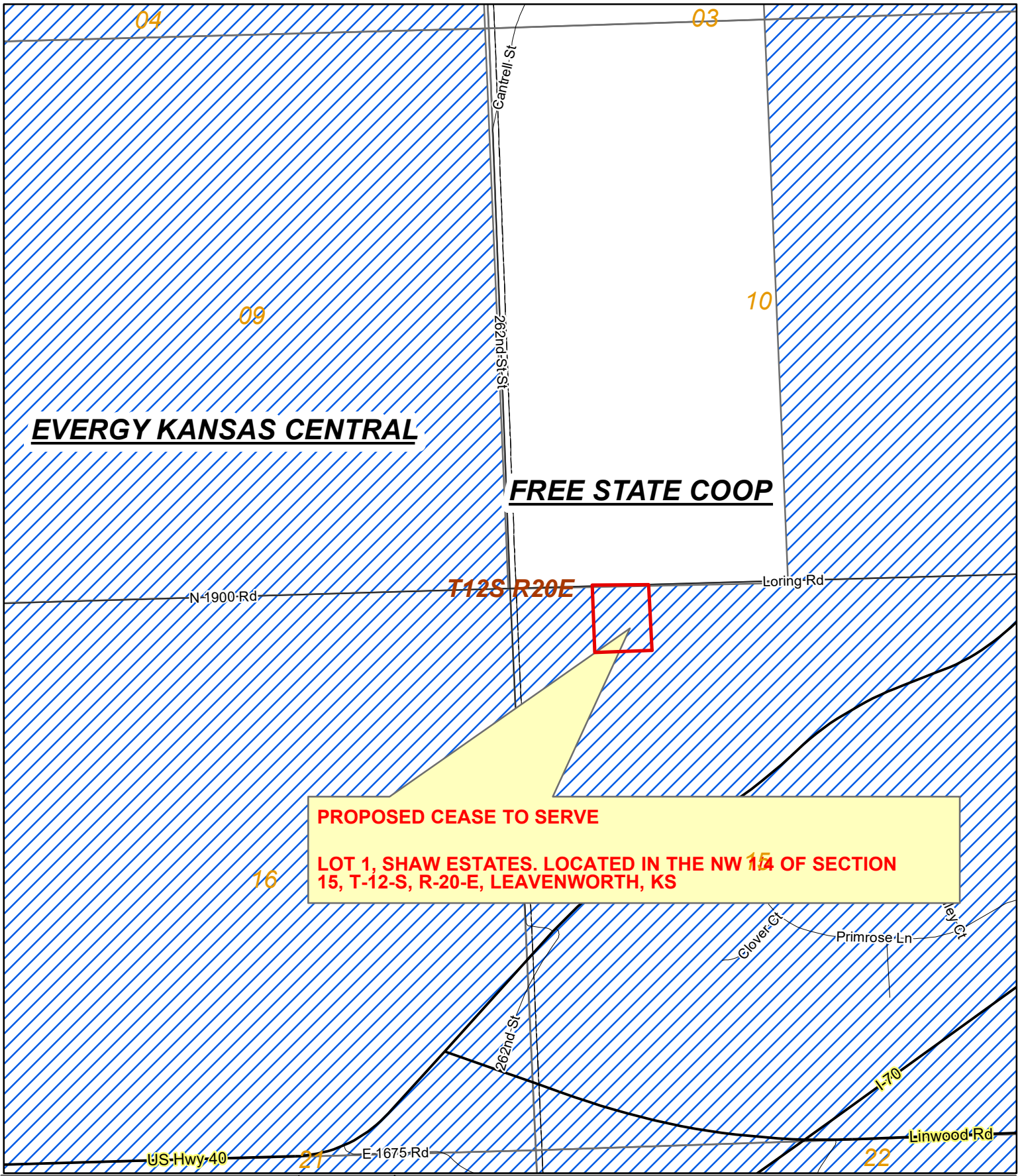
Leslie R. Wines  
Notary Public

My Appointment Expires:

May 30, 2022



# Evergy Kansas Central Proposed CEASE TO SERVE



**PROPOSED CEASE TO SERVE**

**LOT 1, SHAW ESTATES. LOCATED IN THE NW 1/4 OF SECTION 15, T-12-S, R-20-E, LEAVENWORTH, KS**



**Think Safety!**



Evergy Kansas Central Territory CEASE TO SERVE

BY Scott Schlageck

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