

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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January 24, 2019

Advice Letter 1093-G

Justin Lee Brown
Vice-President/Regulatory Affairs
Southwest Gas Corporation
PO Box 98510
Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510

SUBJECT: To Update Procurement Charges Applicable to Schedule No. GCP for Core Customers and the Transportation Franchise Fee (TFF) and Transportation Distribution Shrinkage (TDS) Surcharges Applicable to Core and Noncore Customers in Southwest Gas' California Service Areas

Dear Mr. Brown:

Advice Letter 1093-G is effective as of January 1, 2019.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Edward Randolph".

Edward Randolph
Director, Energy Division



SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

December 31, 2018

**ATTN: Tariff Unit, Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, 4th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94102**

**Subject: Southwest Gas Corporation (U 905 G)
Advice Letter No. 1093**

Enclosed herewith is an original and one (1) copy of Southwest Gas Corporation's Advice Letter No. 1093, together with California Gas Tariff Sheet Nos. 65, 66, 68, 69, 71, 72 and 123.

Sincerely,

**Valerie J. Ontiveroz
Regulatory Manager/California**

**VJO:jjp
Enclosures**



SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

Advice Letter No. 1093

December 31, 2018

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Southwest Gas Corporation (Southwest Gas) (U 905 G) tenders herewith for filing the following tariff sheets:

Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.	California Gas Tariff Title of Sheet	Canceling Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.
119th Revised Sheet No. 65	Statement of Rates - Rates Applicable to Southern California Service Area	115th -118th Revised Sheet No. 65
120th Revised Sheet No. 66	Statement of Rates - Rates Applicable to Southern California Service Area	116th – 119th Revised Sheet No. 66
116th Revised Sheet No. 68	Statement of Rates - Rates Applicable to Northern California Service Area	112th - 115th Revised Sheet No. 68
118th Revised Sheet No. 69	Statement of Rates - Rates Applicable to Northern California Service Area	114th - 117th Revised Sheet No. 69
118th Revised Sheet No. 71	Statement of Rates - Rates Applicable to South Lake Tahoe Service Area	114th - 117th Revised Sheet No. 71
55th Revised Sheet No. 72	Statement of Rates - Rates Applicable to South Lake Tahoe Service Area	51st - 54th Revised Sheet No. 72
93rd Revised Sheet No. 123	Schedule No. GCP – Gas Procurement for Core Customers	92nd Revised Sheet No. 123

Purpose

The purpose of this routine monthly filing is to revise the above listed tariff sheets by updating: (1) procurement charges applicable to Schedule No. GCP, Gas Procurement for Core Customers, in compliance with the California Public Utilities Commission's (Commission) letter dated October 20, 2000, approving Southwest Gas' Advice Letter No. 619; (2) the Transportation Franchise Fee (TFF) Surcharge applicable to core and noncore customers who secure their own sources of supply, pursuant to Public Utilities Code, Sections 6350 to



6354, *et seq*; and (3) the Transportation Distribution Shrinkage (TDS) Charge, in accordance with Decision No. (D.)14-06-028.

For core sales customers, the January 2019 cost of gas, including adjustment for franchises and uncollectibles, is \$0.55867 per therm for Southwest Gas' Southern California Service Area and \$0.37850 per therm for Southwest Gas' Northern California and South Lake Tahoe Service Areas.

The TFF Surcharge rate is \$0.00662 per therm for Southwest Gas' Southern California Service Area and \$0.00498 per therm for Southwest Gas' Northern California and South Lake Tahoe Service Areas.

The TDS Charge is \$0.00425 per therm for Southwest Gas' Southern California Service Area and \$0.00212 for Southwest Gas' Northern California and South Lake Tahoe Service Areas.

This results in a decrease in rates of (7.60)% for Southern California, (4.64)% for Northern California, and (5.90)% for South Lake Tahoe customers.

Additionally, the attached tariff sheets incorporate the following rate adjustments approved by the Energy Division, effective January 1, 2019:

- Advice Letter No. 1082 – Adjustments to Public Purpose Program Surcharges;
- Advice Letter No. 1085 – Natural Gas Leak Abatement Program Compliance Plan
- Advice Letter No. 1086 – 2018 Post-Test Year Margin Adjustment; and
- Advice Letter No. 1087 – Annual Filing to Update Pipeline Rates and Balancing Account Surcharges

Inclusion of these rates with the Monthly Gas Cost, result in a slight overall increase in rates of 0.05% for Southern California, and a decrease in rates of (6.02)% for Northern California, and (6.74)% for South Lake Tahoe customers.

Effective Date

Advice Letter No. 626 authorized Southwest Gas to make its monthly gas cost adjustment effective between the first and seventh calendar day of each month. Therefore, Southwest Gas requests the gas cost adjustments be effective January 1, 2019. This Advice Letter is subject to Energy Division disposition and should be classified as Tier 1 (effective pending disposition) pursuant to GO 96-B.

Protest

Anyone may protest this Advice Letter to the Commission. The protest must state the grounds upon which it is based with specificity. The protest must be sent no later than 20 days after the date of this Advice Letter filing and shall be sent by letter via U.S. Mail, facsimile, or electronically mailed. The address for mailing or delivering a protest to the Commission is:



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ATTN: Tariff Unit
Energy Division
California Public Utilities Commission
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San Francisco, CA 94102
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Facsimile: 415-703-2200

Copies should also be mailed to the attention of the Director, Energy Division, Room 4004, at the same address as above and mailed, emailed or faxed to:

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Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510
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Notice

Pursuant to Energy Industry Rule 3.1(2), Southwest Gas is exempt from the notice requirements set forth in General Rule 4.2 in GO 96-B since this Advice Letter is filed in accordance with previously authorized procedures as noted herein.

Service

In accordance with GO 96-B, General Rule 7.2, Southwest Gas is mailing copies of this Advice Letter and related tariff sheets to the utilities and interested parties shown on the attached list.

Communications regarding this filing should be directed to:

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Respectfully submitted,

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

By:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "JLB", written over a horizontal line.

Justin Lee Brown

Attachments

Distribution List

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In conformance with GO 96-B, General Rule 4.3

The following individual has been served by regular, first-class mail:

Elizabeth Echols, Director
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STATEMENT OF RATES
RATES APPLICABLE TO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SERVICE AREA [1]

Schedule No. and Type of Charge	Margin	Charges [2] and		Subtotal Gas Usage Rate	Other Surcharges		Gas Cost	Effective Sales Rate	
		Adjustments			CPUC	PPP			
GS-10-Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 5.00							\$ 5.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.73989	\$.32078	\$ 1.06067	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.72791		R
Tier II	\$.91116	.32078	1.23194	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.89918		R
GS-11-Residential Air-Conditioning Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 5.00							\$ 5.00	
Cost per Therm									
Tier I	\$.73989	\$.32078	\$ 1.06067	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.72791		R
Tier II	.91116	.32078	1.23194	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.89918		R
Air-Conditioning	\$.36995	.32078	.69073	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.35797		R
GS-12-CARE Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 4.00							\$ 4.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.41602	\$.32078	\$.73680	\$.00166	\$.04724	\$.55867	\$ 1.34437		I
Tier II	.55304	.32078	.87382	.00166	.04724	.55867	1.48139		I
GS-15-Secondary Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 6.00							\$ 6.00	
Cost per Therm	\$ 1.13141	\$.32078	\$ 1.45219	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 2.11943		I
GS-20-Multi-Family Master-Metered Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00							\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.73989	\$.32078	\$ 1.06067	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.72791		R
Tier II	.91116	.32078	1.23194	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.89918		R
GS-25-Multi-Family Master-Metered Gas Service-Submetered									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00							\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.73989	\$.32078	\$ 1.06067	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.72791		R
Tier II	.91116	.32078	1.23194	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.89918		R
Submetered Discount per Occupied Space	(\$7.69)						(\$7.69)		
GS-35-Agriculture Employee Housing & Nonprofit Group Living Facility Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 8.80							\$ 8.80	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.34682	\$.32078	\$.66760	\$.00166	\$.04724	\$.55867	\$ 1.27517		I
Next 500	.20939	.32078	.53017	.00166	.04724	.55867	1.13774		I
Next 2,400	.09945	.32078	.42023	.00166	.04724	.55867	1.02780		I
Over 3,000	(.02107)	.32078	.29971	.00166	.04724	.55867	.90728		I
GS-40-Core General Gas Service (non-Covered Entities)									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$ 780.00							\$ 780.00	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.65339	\$.32078	\$.97417	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.64141		R
Next 500	\$.48160	.32078	.80238	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.46962		R
Next 2,400	\$.34417	.32078	.66495	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.33219		R
Over 3,000	\$.19352	.32078	.51430	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.18154		R

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Decision No. _____

Issued by
Justin Lee Brown
Senior Vice President

Date Filed December 31, 2018
Effective January 1, 2019
Resolution No. _____

STATEMENT OF RATES
RATES APPLICABLE TO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SERVICE AREA [1]

Schedule No. and Type of Charge	Margin	Charges [2] and		Subtotal Gas Usage Rate	Other Surcharges		Gas Cost	Effective Sales Rate	
		Adjustments			CPUC	PPP			
GS-40-Core General Gas Service (Covered Entities)									
Basic Service Charge	\$11.00							\$11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$780.00							\$780.00	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.65339	\$.26801	\$.92140	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.58864		R
Next 500	\$.48160	.26801	.74961	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.41685		R
Next 2,400	\$.34417	.26801	.61218	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.27942		R
Over 3,000	\$.19352	.26801	.46153	.00166	.10691	.55867	1.12877		R
GS-50-Core Natural Gas Service for Motor Vehicles									
Basic Service Charge	\$25.00							\$25.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.12843	\$.32078	\$.44921	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.11645		R
GS-60-Core Internal Combustion Engine Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$25.00							\$25.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.19171	\$.32078	\$.51249	\$.00166	\$.10691	\$.55867	\$ 1.17973		R
GS-LUZ-Solar Electric Generation Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$50.00							\$50.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.05497	\$.10612	\$.16109	\$.00166			\$.16275		I
GS-66-Core Small Electric Power Generation Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$25.00							\$25.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.27990	\$.32078	\$.60068	\$.00166		\$.55867	\$ 1.16101		R
GS-70-Noncore General Gas Transportation Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$100.00							\$100.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$780.00							\$780.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.14040	\$.24536	\$.38576	\$.00166	\$.10691		\$.49433		I
GS-VIC City of Victorville Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$11.00							\$ 11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$780.00							\$780.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.39123	\$.32078	\$.71201	\$.00166		\$.55867	\$ 1.27234		R
TFF-Transportation Franchise Fee Surcharge Provision									
TFF Surcharge per Therm								\$.00662	R
TDS - Transportation Distribution System Shrinkage Charge									
TDS Charge per Therm								\$.00425	R
MHPS-Master-Metered Mobile Home Park Safety Inspection Provision									
MHPS Surcharge per Space per Month								\$.21000	

STATEMENT OF RATES
RATES APPLICABLE TO NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SERVICE AREA [1] [2]

Schedule No. and Type of Charge	Margin	Charges [3] and		Subtotal Gas Usage Rate	Other Surcharges		Gas Cost	Effective Sales Rate	
		Adjustments			CPUC	PPP			
GN-10-Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 5.00							\$ 5.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.77998	\$.14419	\$.92417	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.36248		R
Tier II	.89079	.14419	1.03498	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.47329		R
GN-12-CARE Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 4.00							\$ 4.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.51945	\$.14419	\$.66364	\$.00166	\$.04724	\$.37850	\$ 1.09104		R
Tier II	.60809	.14419	.75228	.00166	.04724	.37850	1.17968		R
GN-15-Secondary Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 6.00							\$ 6.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.93665	\$.14419	\$ 1.08084	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.51915		R
GN-20-Multi-Family Master-Metered Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00							\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.77998	\$.14419	\$.92417	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.36248		R
Tier II	.89079	.14419	1.03498	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.47329		R
GN-25-Multi-Family Master-Metered Gas Service-Submetered									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00							\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.77998	\$.14419	\$.92417	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.36248		R
Tier II	.89079	.14419	1.03498	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.47329		R
Submetered Discount per Occupied Space	(\$11.01)						(\$11.01)		
GN-35-Agriculture Employee Housing & Nonprofit Group Living Facility Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 8.80							\$ 8.80	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.40854	\$.14419	\$.55273	\$.00166	\$.04724	\$.37850	\$.98013		R
Next 500	.30501	.14419	.44920	.00166	.04724	.37850	.87660		R
Next 2,400	.20423	.14419	.34842	.00166	.04724	.37850	.77582		R
Over 3,000	.05628	.14419	.20047	.00166	.04724	.37850	.62787		R
GN-40-Core General Gas Service (non-Covered Entities)									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$ 780.00							\$ 780.00	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.64135	\$.14419	\$.78554	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.22385		R
Next 500	.51194	.14419	.65613	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.09444		R
Next 2,400	.38596	.14419	.53015	.00166	.05815	.37850	.96846		R
Over 3,000	.20102	.14419	.34521	.00166	.05815	.37850	.78352		R

STATEMENT OF RATES
RATES APPLICABLE TO NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SERVICE AREA [1] [2]

	Margin	Charges [3] and Adjustments	Subtotal Gas Usage Rate	Other Surcharges CPUC PPP		Gas Cost	Effective Sales Rate	
GN-40-Core General Gas Service (Covered Entities)								
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00						\$ 11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$780.00						\$780.00	
Cost per Therm								
First 100	\$.64135	\$.09142	\$.73277	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.17108	R
Next 500	.51194	.09142	.60336	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.04167	R
Next 2,400	.38596	.09142	.47738	.00166	.05815	.37850	.91569	R
Over 3,000	.20102	.09142	.29244	.00166	.05815	.37850	.73075	R
GN-50-Core Natural Gas Service for Motor Vehicles								
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00						\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.10723	\$.14419	\$.25142	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$.68973	R
GN-60-Core Internal Combustion Engine Gas Service								
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00						\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.30193	\$.14419	\$.44612	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$.88443	R
GN-66-Core Small Electric Power Generation Gas Service								
Basic Service Charge	\$ 25.00						\$ 25.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.29153	\$.14419	\$.43572	\$.00166		\$.37850	\$.81588	R
GN-70-Noncore General Gas Transportation Service								
Basic Service Charge	\$ 100.00						\$ 100.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$ 780.00						\$ 780.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.18129	(\$.01576)	\$.16553	\$.00166	\$.05815		\$.22534	I
TFF-Transportation Franchise Fee Surcharge Provision								
TFF Surcharge per Therm							\$.00498	R
TDS – Transportation Distribution System Shrinkage Charge								
TDS Charge per Therm							\$.00212	R
MHPS-Master-Metered Mobile Home Park Safety Inspection Provision								
MHPS Surcharge per Space per Month							\$.21000	

STATEMENT OF RATES
RATES APPLICABLE TO SOUTH LAKE TAHOE SERVICE AREA [1]

Schedule No. and Type of Charge	Margin	Charges [2] and Adjustments		Subtotal Gas Usage Rate	Other Surcharges		Gas Cost	Effective Sales Rate	
					CPUC	PPP			
SLT-10-Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 5.00							\$ 5.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.34482	\$.22546	\$.57028	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.00859		R
Tier II	.43236	.22546	.65782	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.09613		R
SLT-12-CARE Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 4.00							\$ 4.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.15506	\$.22546	\$.38052	\$.00166	\$.04724	\$.37850	\$.80792		R
Tier II	.22510	.22546	.45056	.00166	.04724	.37850	.87796		R
SLT-15-Secondary Residential Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 6.00							\$ 6.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.47664	\$.22546	\$.70210	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.14041		R
SLT-20-Multi-Family Master-Metered Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.34482	\$.22546	\$.57028	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.00859		R
Tier II	.43236	.22546	.65782	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.09613		R
SLT-25-Multi-Family Master-Metered Gas Service-Submetered									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Cost per Therm									
Baseline Quantities	\$.34482	\$.22546	\$.57028	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.00859		R
Tier II	.43236	.22546	.65782	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.09613		R
Submetered Discount per Occupied Space	(\$ 7.69)							(\$ 7.69)	
SLT-35-Agriculture Employee Housing & Nonprofit Group Living Facility Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 8.80							\$ 8.80	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.24570	\$.22546	\$.47116	\$.00166	\$.04724	\$.37850	\$.89856		R
Next 500	.19072	.22546	.41618	.00166	.04724	.37850	.84358		R
Next 2,400	.13575	.22546	.36121	.00166	.04724	.37850	.78861		R
Over 3,000	.04118	.22546	.26664	.00166	.04724	.37850	.69404		R
SLT-40-Core General Gas Service (non-Covered Entities)									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$ 780.00							\$ 780.00	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.45811	\$.22546	\$.68357	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.12188		R
Next 500	.38939	.22546	.61485	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.05316		R
Next 2,400	.32068	.22546	.54614	.00166	.05815	.37850	.98445		R
Over 3,000	.20246	.22546	.42792	.00166	.05815	.37850	.86623		R

STATEMENT OF RATES
RATES APPLICABLE TO SOUTH LAKE TAHOE SERVICE AREA [1]

Schedule No. and Type of Charge	Margin	Charges [2] and Adjustments		Subtotal Gas Usage Rate	Other Surcharges		Gas Cost	Effective Sales Rate	
					CPUC	PPP			
SLT-40-Core General Gas Service									
(Covered Entities)									
Basic Service Charge	\$11.00							\$11.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$780.00							\$780.00	
Cost per Therm									
First 100	\$.45811	\$.17269	\$.63080	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$ 1.06911		R
Next 500	.38939	.17269	.56208	.00166	.05815	.37850	1.00039		R
Next 2,400	.32068	.17269	.49337	.00166	.05815	.37850	.93168		R
Over 3,000	.20246	.17269	.37515	.00166	.05815	.37850	.81346		R
SLT-50-Core Natural Gas Service for Motor Vehicles									
Basic Service Charge	\$11.00							\$11.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.22096	\$.22546	\$.44642	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$.88473		R
SLT-60-Core Internal Combustion Engine Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.25140	\$.22546	\$.47686	\$.00166	\$.05815	\$.37850	\$.91517		R
SLT-66-Core Small Electric Power Generation Gas Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 11.00							\$ 11.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.25140	\$.22546	\$.47686	\$.00166		\$.37850	\$.85702		R
SLT-70-Noncore General Gas Transportation Service									
Basic Service Charge	\$ 100.00							\$ 100.00	
Transportation Service Charge	\$ 780.00							\$ 780.00	
Cost per Therm	\$.18433	\$.06551	\$.24984	\$.00166	\$.05815		\$.30965		I
TFF-Transportation Franchise Fee Surcharge Provision									
TFF Surcharge per Therm								\$.00498	R
TDS-Transportation Distribution System Shrinkage Charge									
TDS Charge per Therm								\$.00212	R
MHPS-Master-Metered Mobile Home Park Safety Inspection Provision									
MHPS Surcharge per Space per Month								\$.21000	

Schedule No. GCP

GAS PROCUREMENT FOR CORE CUSTOMERS

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to core customers who purchase natural gas from the Company. Service under this schedule will be provided in conjunction with the customer's otherwise applicable sales rate schedule.

TERRITORY

Throughout the Company's certificated California service areas, except as may hereafter be provided.

RATES

The Company shall adjust the Cost of Gas for this schedule monthly to reflect its estimated average gas costs. This revised rate shall become effective between the first and seventh calendar day of each month.

Procurement Charges

Southern California

Cost of Gas	\$.54971	R
F&U	\$.00896	R
Total Gas Cost	<u>\$.55867</u>	R

Northern California and South Lake Tahoe

Cost of Gas	\$.37306	R
F&U	\$.00544	R
Total Gas Cost	<u>\$.37850</u>	R

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
CALCULATION OF MONTHLY CORE PROCUREMENT CHARGES
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Rate per Therm (b)	Line No.
<u>Southern California</u>			
1	Estimated Cost of Gas [1]	\$ 0.56607	1
2	Monthly Account No. 191 Surcharge [2]	(0.01636)	2
3	Subtotal	<u>\$ 0.54971</u>	3
4	Franchise & Uncollectibles @ 1.6299% [3]	<u>0.00896</u>	4
5	Total January Core Procurement Charge per Therm	<u><u>\$ 0.55867</u></u>	5
<u>Northern California and South Lake Tahoe</u>			
6	Estimated Cost of Gas [4]	\$ 0.38011	6
7	Monthly Account No. 191 Surcharge [5]	(0.00705)	7
8	Subtotal	<u>\$ 0.37306</u>	8
9	Franchise & Uncollectibles @ 1.4589% [3]	<u>0.00544</u>	9
10	Total January Core Procurement Charge per Therm	<u><u>\$ 0.37850</u></u>	10

[1] Schedule I, Sheet 2, Line 17, Column (c), converted to Therm.

[2] Schedule I, Sheet 4.

[3] Order Approving Southwest Gas Application 12-12-024 (D.14-06-028).

[4] Schedule I, Sheet 3, Line 12, Column (c), converted to Therm.

[5] Schedule I, Sheet 5.

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
CALCULATION OF PROJECTED MONTHLY GAS COST
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Dth (b)	Average Cost Per Dth (c)=(d)/(b)	Amount (d)	Line No.
<u>City Gate Demand and Storage Injections</u>					
1	Total City Gate Demand	1,600,460			1
2	Purchases for Storage Injection @ City Gate [1]	0			2
3	Carry-over from Previous Month (Dth)	0			3
4	Total Demand and Storage Injections	<u>1,600,460</u>			4
<u>Gas Purchases into Kern River Mainline</u>					
5	Term Purchases	458,800	\$ 2.6851	\$ 1,231,921	5
6	First of Month Purchases [2]	328,600	\$ 4.2615	\$ 1,400,329	6
7	Spot Purchases [2]	0	\$ 0.0000	\$ 0	7
8	In Kind Fuel	(15,276)	\$ 0.0000	\$ 0	8
9	Variable Transmission	772,124	\$ 0.0045	\$ 3,475	9
10	Kern River Opal Basin Total Purchases			<u>\$ 2,635,725</u>	10
<u>City Gate Gas Purchases</u>					
11	Term Purchases	310,000	\$ 7.7330	\$ 2,397,230	11
12	First of Month Purchases [2]	310,000	\$ 7.8330	\$ 2,428,230	12
13	Spot Purchases [2]	208,336	\$ 7.6730	\$ 1,598,560	13
14	Total City Gate Gas Purchases	828,336		<u>\$ 6,424,020</u>	14
<u>Storage Withdrawals</u>					
15	Projected Volume	0	\$ 0.0000	\$ 0	15
16	Total Average Cost of Gas			<u>\$ 0</u>	16
17	Total Cost of Gas at City Gate [3]	<u>1,600,460</u>	<u>\$ 5.6607</u>	<u>\$ 9,059,745</u>	17

[1] Does not include gas scheduled directly to storage.

[2] Based on December 18, 2018, first of the month forwards.

[3] Excludes storage and interstate pipeline fixed charges and intrastate transportation.

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA INCLUDING SOUTH LAKE TAHOE DISTRICT
CALCULATION OF PROJECTED MONTHLY GAS COST
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Dth (b)	Average Cost Per Dth (c)=(d)/(b)	Amount (d)	Line No.
1	Total City Gate Demand (Net)	705,772			1
<u>Gas Purchases into Mainline</u>					
2	Projected Purchases Into NWPL [1]	124,946	\$ 4.5097	\$ 563,474	2
3	Projected Purchases Into Tuscarora [1]	348,750	\$ 3.1155	\$ 1,086,531	3
4	Projected Purchases Into Paiute [1]	0	\$ 0.000	\$ 0	4
5	Projected Purchases Into Ruby [1]	243,938	\$ 4.1715	\$ 1,017,586	5
6	Total Projected Gas Purchases into Mainline			<u>\$ 2,667,590</u>	6
<u>Transportation Costs</u>					
7	NWPL Volumetric Charge [2]	123,697	\$ 0.0096	\$ 1,187	7
8	Paiute Volumetric Charge [3]	705,771	\$ 0.0013	\$ 921	8
9	Tuscarora Volumetric Charge [4]	346,657	\$ 0.0044	\$ 1,525	9
10	Ruby Volumetric Charge [5]	242,548	\$ 0.0473	\$ 11,472	10
11	Total Transportation Variable Cost			<u>\$ 15,106</u>	11
12	Total Cost at the City Gate [6]	<u>705,772</u>	<u>\$ 3.8011</u>	<u>\$ 2,682,696</u>	12

[1] Based on December 18, 2018, first of the month forwards.

[2] NWPL less in-kind fuel at 1.00%.

[3] Paiute less in-kind fuel at 1.00%.

[4] Tuscarora less in-kind fuel at 0.60%.

[5] Ruby less in-kind fuel at 0.57%.

[6] Assumes no volume is dispatched from LNG.

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
CALCULATION OF MONTHLY PGA BALANCING ACCOUNT ADJUSTMENTS
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Estimated December Activity (b)	January Surcharge (c)	Line No.
1	Acct. No. 191 Ending Balance for November 2018		\$ (1,454,089)	1
	Storage Activities			
2	No Storage Activity for October		0	2
3	November Imbalance Traded Out of Storage		7,137	3
4	Adjusted Ending Balance		<u>\$ (1,446,952)</u>	4
5	November Rate per Therm	\$ (0.01975)		5
6	December Rate per Therm	(0.02223)		6
7	Average Rate per Therm	<u>\$ (0.02099)</u>		7
8	Estimated December Sales	9,033,761		8
9	Estimated December Acct. No. 191 Activity (Line 7 x Line 8)		\$ 189,619	9
10	Estimated December Acct. No. 191 Ending Balance Adjusted for Known and Unrecorded Activity		<u>\$ (1,257,333)</u>	10
11	Estimated Twelve Months Sales		<u>76,869,416</u>	11
12	January Surcharge per Therm (Line 10 / Line 11)		<u><u>\$ (0.01636)</u></u>	12

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA INCLUDING SOUTH LAKE TAHOE DISTRICT
CALCULATION OF MONTHLY PGA BALANCING ACCOUNT ADJUSTMENT
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Estimated December Activity (b)	January Surcharge (c)	Line No.
1	Acct. No. 191 Ending Balance for November 2018		\$ (434,937)	1
2	November Rate per Therm	\$(0.01877)		2
3	December Rate per Therm	<u>(0.01839)</u>		3
4	Average Rate per Therm	<u>\$(0.01858)</u>		4
5	Estimated December Sales	5,806,270		5
6	Estimated December Acct. No. 191 Activity (Line 4 x Line 5)		<u>\$ 107,880</u>	6
7	Estimated December Acct. No. 191 Ending Balance Adjusted for Known and Unrecorded Activity		<u>\$ (327,057)</u>	7
8	Estimated Twelve Months Sales		<u>46,361,459</u>	8
9	January Surcharge per Therm (Line 7 / Line 8)		<u><u>\$ (0.00705)</u></u>	9

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
CALCULATION OF TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISE FEE (TFF) SURCHARGE
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Rate per Therm (b)	Line No.
<u>Southern California</u>			
1	Estimated Cost of Gas [1]	\$ 0.56607	1
2	Franchise Tax @ 1.1694% [2]	\$ 0.00662	2
<u>Northern California and South Lake Tahoe</u>			
3	Estimated Cost of Gas [1]	\$ 0.38011	3
4	Franchise Tax @ 1.3111% [2]	\$ 0.00498	4

[1] Schedule I, Sheet 1.

[2] Order Approving Southwest Gas Application 12-12-024 (D.14-06-028).

**SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION
CALCULATION OF TDS - TRANSPORTATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM SHRINKAGE CHARGE
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2019**

Line No.	Description (a)	Rate per Therm (b)	Line No.
<u>Southern California</u>			
1	Total January Core Procurement Charge per Therm [1]	\$ 0.55867	1
2	Shrinkage Rate @ 0.7600% [2]	\$ 0.00425	2
<u>Northern California and South Lake Tahoe</u>			
3	Total January Core Procurement Charge per Therm [1]	\$ 0.37850	3
4	Shrinkage Rate @ 0.5600% [2]	\$ 0.00212	4

[1] Schedule I, Sheet 1.

[2] Order Approving Southwest Gas Application 12-12-024 (D.14-06-028).



ADVICE LETTER SUMMARY

ENERGY UTILITY



MUST BE COMPLETED BY UTILITY (Attach additional pages as needed)

Company name/CPUC Utility No.: Southwest Gas Corporation (U 905 G)

Utility type:

- ELC GAS WATER
 PLC HEAT

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EXPLANATION OF UTILITY TYPE

ELC = Electric GAS = Gas WATER = Water
 PLC = Pipeline HEAT = Heat

(Date Submitted / Received Stamp by CPUC)

Advice Letter (AL) #: 1093

Tier Designation: Tier 1

Subject of AL: To update procurement charges applicable to Schedule No. GCP for core customers and the Transportation Franchise Fee (TFF) and Transportation Distribution Shrinkage (TDS) Surcharges applicable to core and noncore customers in Southwest Gas' California service areas.

Keywords (choose from CPUC listing): Form

AL Type: Monthly Quarterly Annual One-Time Other:

If AL submitted in compliance with a Commission order, indicate relevant Decision/Resolution #:

Does AL replace a withdrawn or rejected AL? If so, identify the prior AL: Not applicable

Summarize differences between the AL and the prior withdrawn or rejected AL: Not Applicable

Confidential treatment requested? Yes No

If yes, specification of confidential information:

Confidential information will be made available to appropriate parties who execute a nondisclosure agreement. Name and contact information to request nondisclosure agreement/ access to confidential information:

Resolution required? Yes No

Requested effective date: 1/1/19

No. of tariff sheets: 7

Estimated system annual revenue effect (%): (7.60)% SCA, (4.64)% NCA, (5.90)% SLT

Estimated system average rate effect (%): (7.60)% SCA, (4.64)% NCA, (5.90)% SLT

When rates are affected by AL, include attachment in AL showing average rate effects on customer classes (residential, small commercial, large C/I, agricultural, lighting).

Tariff schedules affected: Schedule No. GCP – Gas Procurement for Core Customers

Service affected and changes proposed¹: See 'Subject of AL' above

Pending advice letters that revise the same tariff sheets: Not applicable

Protests and all other correspondence regarding this AL are due no later than 20 days after the date of this submittal, unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, and shall be sent to:

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