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SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

July 7, 2000

Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20463

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Re: June 30, 2000 Second Quarter Report

Enclosed is the Second Quarter Report for the Southwest Gas Corporation Political Action Committee for the period April 1, 2000 through June 30, 2000.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 702/876-7247.

Sincerely,

Suzanne J. Farinas
Assistant Treasurer, SWG PAC

Enclosures

c Office of the Secretary of State
Carson City, NV 89710

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REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For Other Than An Authorized Committee
(Summary Page)

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1. NAME OF COMMITTEE (in full) SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE		2. FEC IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 000076737
ADDRESS (number and street) <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 5241 Spring Mountain Road		
CITY, STATE and ZIP CODE Las Vegas, NV 89150		
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This committee has qualified as a multicandidate committee. (see FEC FORM 1M)		

4. TYPE OF REPORT

(a) April 15 Quarterly Report

July 15 Quarterly Report

October 15 Quarterly Report

January 31 Year End Report

July 31 Mid Year Report (Non-election Year Only)

Termination Report

Monthly Report Due On:

<input type="checkbox"/> February 20	<input type="checkbox"/> June 20	<input type="checkbox"/> October 20
<input type="checkbox"/> March 20	<input type="checkbox"/> July 20	<input type="checkbox"/> November 20
<input type="checkbox"/> April 20	<input type="checkbox"/> August 20	<input type="checkbox"/> December 20
<input type="checkbox"/> May 20	<input type="checkbox"/> September 20	<input type="checkbox"/> January 31

12-Day Pre-Election Report for the _____
(Type of Election)

election on _____ in the State of _____

30-Day Post-Election Report following the General Election

on _____ in the State of _____

(b) Is this Report an Amendment? YES NO

SUMMARY		COLUMN A This Period	COLUMN B Calendar Year-to-Date
5. Covering Period	<u>4/1/00</u> through <u>6/30/00</u>		
6. (a) Cash on Hand January 1, ^{for} 2000			\$ 53,307.30
(b) Cash on Hand at Beginning of Reporting Period		\$ 50,460.80	
(c) Total Receipts (from Line 18)		\$ 4,147.50	\$ 8,301.00
(d) Subtotal (add Lines 6(b) and 6(c) for Column A and Lines 6(a) and 6(c) for Column B)		\$ 54,608.30	\$ 61,608.30
7. Total Disbursements (from Line 30)		\$ 500.00	\$ 7,500.00
8. Cash on Hand at Close of Reporting Period (subtract Line 7 from Line 6(d))		\$ 54,108.30	\$ 54,108.30
9. Debts and Obligations Owed TO the Committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D)		\$ -0-	For further information contact: Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, NW Washington, DC 20463 Toll Free 800-424-9530 Local 202-694-1100
10. Debts and Obligations Owed BY the Committee (Itemize all on Schedule C and/or Schedule D)		\$ -0-	

I certify that I have examined this Report and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct and complete.

Type or Print Name of Treasurer

George C. Biehl

Signature of Treasurer

George C. Biehl

Date

7/7/00

NOTE: Submission of false, erroneous, or incomplete information may subject the person signing this Report to the penalties of 2 U.S.C. 5437g.

FEC FORM 3X

(revised 9/00)

**DETAILED SUMMARY PAGE
OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
PAGE 2, FEC FORM 3X**

(revised 1/1/81)

NAME OF COMMITTEE SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE		REPORT COVERING PERIOD FROM 4/1/00 TO: 6/30/00	
		COLUMN A Total This Period	COLUMN B Calendar Year
I. Receipts			
11. Contributions (other than loans) From:			
a. Individual/Persons Other Than Political Committees			
i. Itemized (use Schedule A)	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,790.00	11(a)(i)
ii. Unitemized	1,867.50	5,511.00	11(a)(ii)
iii. Total (add i and ii) >	4,147.50	8,301.00	11(a)(iii)
b. Political Party Committees			11(b)
c. Other Political Committees (such as PACs)			11(c)
d. Total Contributions (add a iii, b and c) >	4,147.50	8,301.00	11(d)
12. Transfers From Affiliated/Other Party Committees			12
13. All Loans Received			13
14. Loan Repayments Received			14
15. Offsets To Operating Expenditures (Refunds, Rebates, etc.)			15
16. Refunds of Contributions Made to Federal Candidates and Other Political Committees			16
17. Other Federal Receipts (Dividends, Interest, etc.)			17
18. Transfers from Nonfederal Account for Joint Activity			18
19. Total Receipts (add 11d, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18) >	4,147.50	8,301.00	19
20. Total Federal Receipts (subtract line 18 from line 19) >	4,147.50	8,301.00	20
II. Disbursements			
21. Operating Expenditures:			
a. Shared Federal/Non-Federal Activity (from Schedule H4)			
i. Federal Share			21(a)(i)
ii. Non-Federal Share			21(a)(ii)
b. Other Federal Operating Expenditures			21(b)
c. Total Operating Expenditures (add a i, a ii, and b) >			21(c)
22. Transfers to Affiliated/Other Party Committees			22
23. Contributions to Federal Candidates/Committees and Other Political Committees	500.00	7,500.00	23
24. Independent Expenditures (use Schedule E)			24
25. Coordinated Expenditures Made by Party Committees (2 U.S.C. 441a(d)) (use Schedule F)			25
26. Loan Repayments Made			26
27. Loans Made			27
28. Refunds of Contributions To:			
a. Individual/Persons Other Than Political Committees			28(a)
b. Political Party Committees			28(b)
c. Other Political Committees (such as PACs)			28(c)
d. Total Contribution Refunds (add a, b and c) >			28(d)
29. Other Disbursements			29
30. Total Disbursements (add 21c, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28d, and 29) >	500.00	7,500.00	30
31. Total Federal Disbursements (subtract line 21 a & b from line 30) >	500.00	7,500.00	31
III. Net Contributions/Operating Expenditures			
32. Total Contributions (other than loans)(from line 11d)	4,147.50	8,301.00	32
33. Total Contribution Refunds (from line 28d)	0.00	0.00	33
34. Net Contributions (other than loans)(subtract line 33 from 32)	4,147.50	8,301.00	34
35. Total Federal Operating Expenditures (add 21 a i and 21 b) >			35
36. Offsets to Operating Expenditures (from line 15)			36
37. Net Operating Expenditures (subtract line 36 from 35) >			37

SCHEDULE A

ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Use separate schedule(s) for each category of the Detailed Summary Page

PAGE 3 OF 5
FOR LINE NUMBER 11 a (i)

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Thomas J. Armstrong P.O. Box-98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Gas Resources & Energy Services	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Lowell H. Bamford P.O. Box 14987 Victorville, CA 92393-0919	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Southern California Division	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
George C. Biehl P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Senior VP/CFO	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Garold L. Clark P.O. Box 1190 Carson City, NV 89702-1190	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Northern Nevada Division	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Fred Cover P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Human Resources	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Edward A. Janov, Jr. P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Controller & CAO	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
James Kane P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 120.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Senior VP/Operations	Payroll Deduction	(\$20.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 240.00		

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional) \$1,020.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt This Period
Michael O. Maffie P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 300.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation President & CEO	Payroll Deduction	(\$50.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 500.00		
David C. O'Neil P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 120.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Marketing	Payroll Deduction	(\$20.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 240.00		
Christina A. Palacios P.O. Box 26500 Tucson, AZ 85726-6500	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 210.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Southern Arizona Division	Payroll Deduction	(\$35.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 420.00		
Jeffrey W. Shaw P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/Treasurer	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
Thomas R. Sheets P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation VP/General Counsel	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
Dudley J. Sondeno P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 150.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Senior VP/Chief Knowledge & Technology	Payroll Deduction	(\$25.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 300.00		
Edward S. Zub P.O. Box 98510 Las Vegas, NV 89193-8510	Southwest Gas Corp.	6/30/00	\$ 180.00
Receipt For: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	Occupation Senior VP/Regulation & Pricing	Payroll Deduction	(\$30.00 per pay period)
	Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 360.00		

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional) \$1,260.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only) \$2,280.00

SCHEDULE B

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Business Institute for Political Analysis 888 Sixteenth St., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006	Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	4/25/00	\$ 500.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
H. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
I. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Purpose of Disbursement Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional)

\$ 500.00

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\$ 500.00

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