

**CITY OF LANDER NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ORDINANCE 2025-15**

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A NON-EXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE TO BLACK HILLS WYOMING GAS, LLC d/b/a BLACK HILLS ENERGY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, AND THE RIGHT, PERMISSION AND AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE A GAS TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, INCLUDING MAINS, PIPES, CONDUITS, SERVICES AND OTHER STRUCTURES, IN, UNDER, UPON, OVER, ACROSS AND ALONG THE STREETS, ALLEYS, BRIDGES AND PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE PRESENT AND FUTURE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LANDER, WYOMING FOR THE FURNISHING, TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION AND SALE OF GAS WHETHER ARTIFICIAL, NATURAL, MIXED OR OTHERWISE FOR LIGHTING, HEATING, DOMESTIC, INDUSTRIAL AND OTHER USES IN SAID CITY AND ELSEWHERE, LIMITING THE TERM OF SAID GRANT, PRESCRIBING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH SAID COMPANY MAY OPERATE, AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 1239.

You are hereby notified that an opportunity will be given for you to give comment for or against Ordinance 2025-15 granting a non-exclusive franchise to Black Hills Wyoming Gas, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy, its successors and assigns, and the right, permission and authority to construct, maintain and operate a gas transmission and distribution system, including mains, pipes, conduits, services and other structures, in, under, upon, over, across and along the streets, alleys, bridges and public places within the present and future corporate limits of the City of Lander, Wyoming for the furnishing, transmission, distribution and sale of gas whether artificial, natural, mixed or otherwise for lighting, heating, domestic, industrial and other uses in said city and elsewhere, limiting the term of said grant, prescribing the terms and conditions under which said company may operate, and repealing ordinance no. 1239.

A Public Hearing will be held during the first reading of the Ordinance on November 12, 2025, 6:00 p.m. at the Lander City Hall, 240 Lincoln Street, Lander, Wyoming.

A copy of the proposed ordinance is available at the office of the City Clerk, 240 Lincoln St, Lander WY 82520, and on the City of Lander's website in the News section of the home page: <https://www.landerwy.gov>

Written comments should be received by 5:00 pm, November 5, 2025. Written comments will be accepted by email to Lance Hopkin lhopkin@landerwy.gov or by written comment to the address above.

For further information please contact Lance Hopkin at (307)332-3956.

Rachelle Fontaine
City Clerk

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