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Sell at public auction on May 23, 2011 at 3 a.m. at Ron's Auto Sales, Ron Baalman, 2337 US 24, Colby, KS 67701. 96 Ford Contour IF-ALP6536TK194806, 06 Ford Taurus IFAFP56U56A221325, 89 Plymouth Van 2P4FH5535KR211203, 96 Geo Metro2CIMR22G2T6768088, 96 Suzuki 125u JSISF44A4T2100008.
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For Sale by sealed bids: 2003 Agco Tye 2015 Drill and 1990 Kawasaki Bayou ATV. Items are sold as is and are available for viewing during regular business hours M-F 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. at 915 E. Walnut, Colby KS. The Thomas County Conservation District Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Please mail or deliver bids to 915 E. Walnut, Colby KS. Bid deadline is 4 p.m. June 3, 2011.
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Happy Birthday Charles Cook! 88 years old, May 19th.
---5/18---5/23---

Attention! CHS All Sports Booster Club is accepting bids from any group or organization to run the concession stand this fall at football games. Great fundraising opportunity. Bids will be accepted until May 31st. Contact Tracy at 785-462-0489 for more details.
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"It's grilling season" Stock up now on our many specialty items, bratwursts, pork burgers, bacon & cheese burgers, summer sausages, polish sausage, & of course our lean ground beef patties, steaks & roasts. By the pound or by the side. Ben-Lee Processing, Inc. "USDA" We process your meat the way you want it. N. Hwy 25, Atwood, KS., 785-626-3732.
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---4/1---5/26---

Dan is back! Dan Geschwentner. Small remodeling and repair jobs. Call 785-443-3673.
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Help Wanted

Days Inn, Colby now hiring front desk 3 - 11 p.m. shift. Must be reliable, friendly and able to work weekends. Apply in person.
---5/16---5/20---

Quality Inn of Colby, KS is looking for friendly and qualified individuals for all positions. Pay based on qualifications. Apply in person at 1950 S. Range Ave.
---5/13---TFN---

Murphy Tractor, a leading John Deere construction equipment dealer, is looking for a full-time field service technician to perform repairs/maintenance on all makes of construction equipment in Colby, KS area. Submit resume via fax 308-534-7022 or email dengler@murphytractor.com.
---5/11---5/23---

Holiday Inn Express is currently hiring for housekeeping positions. Pick up an application at 645 W. Willow, Colby, KS.
---5/6---5/19---

Schwan's Home Service is looking for Route Sales Representatives for Colby Kansas Depot. Please apply at www.schwansjobs.com or call 785-462-2871.
---5/5---6/1---

Now hiring for all positions. Apply between 6 a.m. - 1 p.m., Monday - Saturday. See Don or Tammy at Village Inn Restaurant, 2215 S. Range.
---4/13---TFN---

Assistant Farm Manager wanted. For more information contact us at leebrickfarms.com/employment.
---4/11---6/10---

Wanted: CDL Drivers for company operated firm. 2 years minimum driving and clean MVR. 785-462-0087.
---1/31---5/20---

Houses for Rent

One Bedroom house, refrigerator, range, washer, dryer provided. No pets! Call 785-443-2251 or 785-462-2485.
---5/19---5/25---

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Mobile Home for Rent

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Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath trailer, no pets. Available June 1st. Call 785-460-2779.
---5/13---5/19---

Mobile Home court lots for rent in Colby. Call Shawn 719-342-0654.
---4/7---6/29---

Houses for Sale

House for Sale by Owner: Unique home in Levant, 2300sf, 4 bedroom, 3 bath, office, formal dining room, hot tub room, single car garage, 3 stall carport, \$65,000. Owner financing possible for right family. 785-269-7286.
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Misc. for Sale

32" TV & stand, treadmill, show saddle. If interested call 308-991-1542.
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Misc. for Sale

New Holdum table, 8 chairs, chips for sale. 785-460-0090, evenings.
---5/13---5/26---

Admiral side by side refrigerator \$150 OBO. 785-443-1006.
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Queen sleighbed, old buffet, round table, trunks, new digital camera. 785-475-2985.
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Wanted

Boat motor, 10 - 15 horsepower, good condition. Call 785-443-3470, if no answer leave message.
---5/18---5/23---

Want to rent or buy: Small shed or garage in or near Colby. Call 785-460-1952.
---4/29---5/29---

Metaphysical people relocating to NWKS seeking those of a like mind. 702-433-8136.
---4/21---TFN---

Recreation Vehicle

15 ft. Evinrude Boat, big twin NB 299 LW. 785-626-9273.
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Pets/Supplies

For sale - purebred pomeranians. White & cream colored, 785-673-9275.
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Garage Sales

Huge Annual Garage Sale - all proceeds go to missions. At The Rock at Southwind Plaza, Friday, May 20, 4 - 8 p.m. & Saturday, May 21, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. Couches, TV's, video games, gaming systems, pool table, air hockey table, snow blower, dressers, furniture, toys, clothes for all ages, electronics, home décor, restaurant booths, trundle bed frame, speaker monitors, lots of misc.
---5/18---5/20---

Garage Sales

Estate sale - 2780 N. Range Ave. next to Eisenbise - Farmer's Insurance Agency. Friday, May 20, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Framed fine art prints, health aid - walker (Hugo), oak medicine cabinet, 4 retro lamps, baskets, folk art dolls, african décor, elfa rolling rife storage, classical CD's, DVD's, 2 small 3 drawer chests, chairs and more.
---5/18---5/20---

Hockersmith Moving Sale, everything must go! 3445 W. Cottonwood, Thursday, May 19, 5 - 8 p.m., and Saturday, May 21, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. TV's, trampoline, clothes, Christmas items, misc. stuff, something for everyone.
---5/16---5/20---

906 Logan Prairie Plaza #112, Atwood. Saturday, May 21, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Huge yard sale, everything must go. Large furniture, washers/dryer, treadmill, mens and junior size clothing.
---5/16---5/20---

1125 S. Franklin, The Attic, Friday, 4 - 7 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. Youth group garage sale. Lots of quality items including antiques & memorial flowers.
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Public Notice

Notice of Public Hearing ("See location change below)

Midwest Energy, Inc. (Midwest Energy) filed an application on March 2, 2011, with the Kansas Corporation Commission (KCC) requesting a retail electric rate increase. Midwest Energy has proposed an increase in retail rates totaling \$3,280,490, which it estimates will result in approximately a 2.5% blended increase across all customer rates. The requested rate increase will affect all Midwest Energy retail electric customers. Midwest Energy estimates the average bill for an M System residential class customer will increase by \$1.04 per month and the average residential bill for a W System residential class customer will increase by \$6.75 per month. The W System is comprised of all customers served by Westar Energy prior to August 15, 2003. All other customers are billed with M System rates.

Regulatory Responsibility
The KCC is a state regulatory agency charged by the Kansas Legislature with the responsibility to establish just and reasonable electric rates that are not unduly preferential or discriminatory. The KCC Staff is investigating whether the proposed rate increase is just and reasonable. The Commissioners will consider the evidence presented by Midwest Energy, KCC Staff, and other intervening parties before any determination is made. The Commissioners must issue their decision by October 28, 2011.

Public Hearing
The KCC has scheduled a public hearing concerning Midwest Energy's requested increase on June 2, 2011, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The public will have the opportunity to ask questions and make comments about the proposal. The site has been changed to Room T-130 as noted below.

Public Hearing Site:
Barton County Community College
*Technical Building, Room T-130
*245 NE 30th Rd.
Great Bend, KS. 67530

The public hearing will consist of two parts. During the first part, the KCC will hold an informational meeting to allow Midwest Energy to fully explain its request to the public and answer questions. Representatives of the KCC Staff and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board (CURB) will be available to answer questions; other intervenors may also be available. The second part is a formal public hearing to assure that members of the public have the opportunity to make their views on the application known to the Commissioners. The Commissioners will participate by video conference.

Public Comments
The KCC encourages those unable to attend the public hearing to submit written or oral comments to the Kansas Corporation Commission Office of Public Affairs and Consumer Protection (PACP), 1500 SW Arrowhead Dr., Topeka, KS 66604. Comments may also be submitted via email to public.affairs@kcc.ks.gov or by calling 1-800-662-0027. Comments should reference Docket No. 11-MDWE-609-RTS. Comments will be accepted until August 18, 2011, and will be filed for review by the Commissioners.

More Information
A complete copy of the Midwest Energy application can be found on the KCC website: <http://estar.kcc.ks.gov/estar/portal/kcc/PSC/DocketDetails.aspx?DocketId=7ccf8fb9-d4e0-4a7e-892a-5781a59beef>. The KCC will hold an evidentiary hearing beginning August 22, 2011, at 9:00 a.m. in the first floor hearing room at the KCC's Offices located at 1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas. At the evidentiary hearing, KCC Staff, Midwest Energy, and any intervening parties will present evidence in support of their respective positions. Any person requiring special accommodations under The Americans with Disabilities Act needs to give notice to the KCC at least 10 days prior to the scheduled hearing date by calling 1-800-662-0027 or (785) 271-3140.

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Help Wanted

The Colby Housing Authority is seeking applications for temporary summer employment for the position of Maintenance Assistant II, M-F, 8-5. Duties include but are not limited to cleaning apartments, painting and mowing. Pay varies \$10.45 to \$11.52 depending on qualifications. Successful applicant with carpentry, tile, and concrete skills may also qualify for Davis-Bacon Wages. Persons 18 years of age or older may pick up an application at the Housing Authority office, 600 S. Mission Ridge. Position open until filled.

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