SOUTHWEST GAS CORP Form 8-K September 29, 2016

#### **UNITED STATES**

#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### Form 8-K

## **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) September 26, 2016

#### SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

California1-785088-0085720(State or other jurisdiction(Commission(I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation or organization) File Number) Identification No.)

5241 Spring Mountain Road 89193-8510

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#### Post Office Box 98510

Las Vegas, Nevada
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (702) 876-7237

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

## Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On September 29, 2016, Southwest Gas Corporation (the Company) completed its public offering of \$300 million aggregate principal amount of 3.80% Senior Notes due 2046 (the Notes). The Notes were offered pursuant to an effective registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 26, 2016 (File No. 333-213787).

In connection with the offering of the Notes, the Company entered into an Underwriting Agreement, dated September 26, 2016, with BNY Mellon Capital Markets, LLC, J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, as representatives of the underwriters named therein (the Underwriting Agreement ). In addition, on September 29, 2016, the Company entered into an indenture with respect to the Notes with The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as Trustee (the Indenture ).

The Underwriting Agreement and the Indenture are attached hereto as Exhibit 1.1 and Exhibit 4.1, respectively, and are incorporated herein by reference.

# Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of Registrant.

The information contained above in Item 1.01 is incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
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4.1	Indenture, dated September 29, 2016, by and between Southwest Gas Corporation and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as Trustee.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: September 29, 2016

SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION

/s/ Gregory J. Peterson Gregory J. Peterson Vice President/Controller and

Chief Accounting Officer

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