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Southwest Gas Declares Third Quarter Dividend

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LAS VEGAS, May 9, 2012 /PRNewswire/ -- The Board of Directors for Southwest Gas Corporation (NYSE: SWX) has declared the following third quarter cash dividend:

<u>Common Stock</u>	
Payable	September 4, 2012
Of Record	August 15, 2012
Dividend	\$.295 per share

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The dividend equates to \$1.18 per share on an annualized basis. The Company has paid quarterly dividends continuously since going public in 1956.

About Southwest Gas

Southwest Gas Corporation provides natural gas service to approximately 1.9 million customers in Arizona, Nevada, and California. For more information about Southwest Gas, please visit www.swgas.com.

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