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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, Washington 98503

Re: UG-220926—Amended Petition for an Accounting Order Authorizing Deferred Accounting Treatment Related to the Climate Commitment Act

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (“NW Natural” or “Company”), files herewith the enclosed amended petition for an accounting order authorizing deferred accounting treatment related to the Climate Commitment Act.

After discussions with Staff at the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, the Company has agreed to amend paragraph 13 of its originally filed petition. The amended petition proposes that NW Natural record a carrying charge at its actual cost of debt updated semi-annually. The Company’s amended petition should not necessarily be construed as agreement to use this rate in future deferral petitions in lieu of the FERC rate. The amendment to paragraph 13 is the only change to the Company’s petition.

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If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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