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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
WILLIAM G. JOHNSON  
REPRESENTING AVISTA CORPORATION

1                   **I. INTRODUCTION**

2                   **Q. Please state your name, business address, and present position with Avista**  
3                   **Corporation.**

4                   A.     My name is William G. Johnson. My business address is 1411 East Mission  
5                   Avenue, Spokane, Washington, and I am employed by the Company as a Senior Power Supply  
6                   Analyst in the Energy Resources Department.

7                   **Q. What is your educational background?**

8                   A.     I am a 1981 graduate of the University of Montana with a Bachelor of Arts Degree  
9                   in Political Science/Economics. I obtained a Master of Arts Degree in Economics from the  
10                  University of Montana in 1985.

11                  **Q. How long have you been employed by the Company and what are your duties**  
12                  **as a Senior Power Supply Analyst?**

13                  A.     I started working for Avista in April 1990 as a Demand Side Resource Analyst. I  
14                  joined the Energy Resources Department as a Power Contracts Analyst in June 1996. My  
15                  primary responsibilities involve long-term resource planning and regulatory issues.

16                  **Q. What is the scope of your testimony in this proceeding?**

17                  A.     My testimony will briefly describe how the power cost deferrals are calculated and  
18                  also briefly address how the sale of natural gas and the Potlatch power purchase agreement were  
19                  included in the power cost deferral calculations during the review period.

20                  **Q. Are you sponsoring any exhibits to be introduced in this proceeding?**

21                  A.     Yes. I am sponsoring Exhibit No. \_\_\_ (WGJ-2), which includes four pages from  
22                  December 2004's Monthly Power Cost Deferral Reports. These pages show the deferral

1 calculations for the period January 2004 through December 2004. One page shows the  
2 calculation of the deferral, two pages show the actual expenses and revenues, and one page  
3 shows the retail revenue adjustment.

4 **II. OVERVIEW OF DEFERRAL CALCULATIONS**

5 **Q. Please provide an overview of the deferral calculation methodology.**

6 A. Energy cost deferrals under the ERM are calculated each month by subtracting base  
7 net power supply expense from actual net power supply expense to determine the change in net  
8 power supply expense. The base levels result from the power supply revenues and expenses  
9 approved by the Commission in Docket No. UE-011595. The methodology compares the actual  
10 and base amounts each month in FERC accounts 555 (Purchased Power), 501 (Thermal Fuel),  
11 547 (Fuel) and 447 (Sales for Resale) to compute the change in power supply expense. These  
12 four FERC accounts comprise the Company's major power supply cost accounts.

13 In addition, actual expense for generating plant fuel not burned is included as the net of  
14 natural gas sale revenue under Account 456 (revenue) and purchase expense under Account 557  
15 (expense) to incorporate the total net change in thermal fuel expense. The specific base power  
16 supply revenues and expenses approved by the Commission in each of the four FERC accounts  
17 (555, 501, 547 and 447) were outlined in the Settlement Stipulation approved by the  
18 Commission's Fifth Supplemental Order in Docket No. UE-011595, dated June 18, 2002 along  
19 with the Company's normalized retail load included in that case.

20 The total change in net expense is multiplied by the Washington allocation of 66.29%.  
21 The total power cost change is accumulated until the dead band is reached (\$9.0 million in the  
22 January 2004 though December 2004 review period). Ninety percent of the power cost increases

1 or decreases in excess of the dead band are recorded as the power cost deferrals and added to the  
2 power cost deferral-balancing account.

3           **Q. Please explain how the retail revenue adjustment is determined in the ERM.**

4           A.     The ERM includes a retail revenue adjustment to reflect the change in power  
5 production expenses recovered through base retail revenues, related to changes in retail load.  
6 The power production rate component used in the retail revenue adjustment calculation is based  
7 on the production costs included in the Company's cost of service study filed in the last general  
8 rate case for the weighted average of all rate schedules. These production costs divided by the  
9 annual base (normalized) retail kilowatt-hour sales results in a production related revenue figure  
10 of \$.03208 per kilowatt-hour.

11           The monthly retail revenue adjustment in the ERM is computed by multiplying \$.03208  
12 per kilowatt-hour times the difference between actual and authorized monthly retail kilowatt-  
13 hour sales. If actual kilowatt-hour sales are greater than base, the retail revenue adjustment will  
14 result in a credit to the ERM deferral (reduces power supply costs). If actual kilowatt-hour sales  
15 are less than base, the retail revenue adjustment will result in a debit to the ERM deferral  
16 (increases power supply costs).

17           **Q. What ERM calculations are provided to the Commission and other parties?**

18           A.     The Company provides to the parties a monthly power cost deferral report,  
19 showing among other things, the calculation of the monthly deferral amount, the actual power  
20 supply expenses and revenues for the month and the retail revenue adjustment. These pages from  
21 the December 2004 deferral report are included as Exhibit No.\_\_\_\_ (WGJ-2). The December  
22 2004 deferral report pages show all of the months, January through December of 2004.

1           Q.     What were the total deferrals during calendar year 2004, and what were the  
2 primary causes of the increased costs?

3           A.     As explained by Mr. Storro, power supply expenses were higher than authorized  
4        due primarily to lower hydro generation, the sale of natural gas that was originally purchased for  
5        generation, the lost margin at Coyote Springs 2 and the end of a profitable wholesale sales  
6        contract. Overall, power supply expenses were \$20,663,573 (Washington allocation) above the  
7        authorized level for the period January through December 2004.

8 Power supply expenses in the review period include the amortization of the Enron  
9 contract settlement per the Settlement Stipulation in Docket No. UE-030751, approved by Order  
10 No. 05, dated January 30, 2004.

### **III. NATURAL GAS FUEL EXPENSE**

12           **Q.     How are natural gas fuel expenses for thermal generation included in the**  
13           **power cost deferral calculations?**

14           A.     Natural gas fuel expense for thermal generation is included in two lines in the  
15 power cost deferrals. For gas consumed to generate electricity the gas expense is included in  
16 Account 547. For gas that is sold rather than consumed, the cost of the gas less the revenue  
17 received from the sale of the gas is included in the power cost deferral in the line labeled "Net  
18 Fuel Expense not incl. in Acct 547."

19           Q.     How is the amount in the line labeled "Net Fuel Expense not incl. in Acct  
20       547" calculated?

21           A.     The net cost of gas sold is calculated by netting the revenue from the sale of gas  
22           (Account 456) from the cost of the gas that is purchased and not consumed for generation

1 (Account 557). Both revenue and expense are calculated using the weighted average price for  
2 sales and purchases, respectively<sup>1</sup>. Details related to the calculation of the net cost of gas not  
3 consumed have been provided in workpapers.

4 **III. POTLATCH DIRECT ASSIGNMENT CREDITS**

5 **Q. Please explain the Potlatch direct assignment credit in the monthly ERM  
6 deferral calculation.**

7 A. There are two credits in the ERM for Potlatch. The first credit on page 1 line 6 of  
8 Exhibit No. \_\_\_\_ (WGJ-2), labeled “Potlatch 25 aMW directly assigned to ID” is related to the  
9 end of Avista’s power purchase and sales contract with Potlatch that ended December 31, 2001.  
10 The second credit on page 1 line 7 of Exhibit No. \_\_\_\_ (WGJ-2), labeled “Potlatch 62 aMW  
11 directly assigned to ID” removes the Potlatch power purchase expense that is included in 555  
12 Purchased Power on page 1 line 1 of Exhibit No. \_\_\_\_ (WGJ-2). This credit, which began in  
13 July 2003, is a result of the Company entering into a power purchase and sale agreement with  
14 Potlatch where the Company purchases up to 62 average megawatts on an annual basis from  
15 Potlatch and sells the equivalent amount of power to Potlatch. The expense of this purchase, as  
16 well as the revenue from the corresponding sale, is 100 percent allocated to the Idaho  
17 jurisdiction. The actual expense is included in Account 555, Purchase Power Expense on page 1  
18 line 1 of the monthly deferral calculations and then removed on page 1 line 7 for the Washington  
19 ERM deferral calculation.

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<sup>1</sup> The average price of purchased gas used to calculate Account 557 expense is based on all gas purchases in the month, including fixed-price gas purchases made in 2001 and other shorter-term gas purchases. The average price of gas sold used to calculate Account 456 revenue is based on the average price of all gas sales in the month.

1     As a result, no expense related to the purchase of Potlatch generation is included in the  
2 Washington ERM deferrals.

3           **Q.     Does that conclude your pre-filed direct testimony?**

4           **A.     Yes.**

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

EXHIBIT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ (WGJ-2)

Line No.	WASHINGTON ACTUALS-2004	WASHINGTON POWER COST DEFERRALS										Avista Utilities			
		Actual Jan-04	Actual Feb-04	Actual Mar-04	Actual Apr-04	Actual May-04	Actual Jun-04	Actual Jul-04	Actual Aug-04	Actual Sep-04	Actual Oct-04	Actual Nov-04	Actual Dec-04	Actual Dec-04	
1	555 Purchased Power	\$174,875,636	\$220,898,976	\$14,705,597	\$10,016,519	\$11,120,205	\$12,019,055	\$12,473,980	\$18,882,605	\$19,801,656	\$12,653,272	\$11,043,468	\$14,336,972	\$16,032,661	
2	501 Thermal Fuel	\$18,222,547	\$1,419,525	\$1,498,991	\$1,722,290	\$1,235,949	\$784,351	\$1,528,887	\$1,705,126	\$1,847,378	\$1,581,143	\$1,820,776	\$1,515,338	\$1,770,986	
3	547 CT Fuel	\$20,183,774	\$1,842,908	\$403,187	\$278,540	\$361,288	\$376,085	\$280,957	\$690,676	\$779,333	\$2,859,252	\$1,117,402	\$4,070,234	\$3,321,924	
4	447 Sale for Resale	\$89,993,263	\$6,140,379	\$2,828,196	\$3,840,478	\$4,984,388	\$11,138,424	\$10,082,398	\$5,654,928	\$5,889,168	\$7,419,594	\$9,073,203	\$8,781,387	\$11,202,641	
5	Actual Net Expense	\$123,255,694	\$17,814,928	\$13,779,659	\$8,176,970	\$7,773,054	\$2,043,867	\$4,201,288	\$12,603,538	\$16,339,199	\$9,654,073	\$8,608,443	\$11,141,155	\$9,823,140	
6	Pollach 25 #MW directly assigned to ID	\$7,104,080	\$ (601,710)	\$ (562,880)	\$ (601,710)	\$ (681,491)	\$ (601,710)	\$ (582,300)	\$ (601,710)	\$ (601,710)	\$ (582,300)	\$ (602,519)	\$ (582,300)	\$ (601,710)	
7	Pollach 62 #MW directly assigned to ID	\$ (622,707,286)	\$ (204,7319)	\$ (1,807,665)	\$ (1,575,121)	\$ (1,933,319)	\$ (1,988,354)	\$ (1,890,398)	\$ (1,988,886)	\$ (2,002,281)	\$ (1,674,610)	\$ (1,887,582)	\$ (1,782,725)	\$ (2,071,276)	
8	Adjusted Actual Net Expense	\$82,357,554	\$15,165,869	\$11,308,004	\$5,919,839	\$5,258,244	\$1,738,860	\$10,035,148	\$13,735,228	\$7,397,163	\$7,218,342	\$8,776,130	\$7,250,154		
<b>AUTHORIZED NET EXPENSE-SYSTEM</b>															
		Jan-04	Feb-04	Mar-04	Apr-04	May-04	Jun-04	Jul-04	Aug-04	Sep-04	Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	Dec-04	
9	555 Purchased Power	\$88,370,477	\$ 7,820,801	\$ 8,873,178	\$ 6,877,530	\$ 2,070,502	\$ 1,220,238	\$ 781,522	\$ 5,116,130	\$ 7,610,289	\$ 9,079,863	\$ 8,426,357	\$ 8,215,787	\$ 8,176,700	
10	501 Thermal Fuel	\$15,777,428	\$ 1,497,543	\$ 1,329,377	\$ 1,321,583	\$ 1,193,467	\$ 586,463	\$ 1,103,034	\$ 1,501,895	\$ 1,550,936	\$ 1,519,168	\$ 1,449,826	\$ 1,269,080	\$ 1,455,880	
11	547 CT Fuel	\$30,931,880	\$ 3,209,570	\$ 2,713,553	\$ 2,216,117	\$ 1,302,987	\$ 932,820	\$ 1,720,868	\$ 3,644,073	\$ 4,169,327	\$ 4,111,073	\$ 2,703,227	\$ 2,355,980	\$ 2,142,305	
12	447 Sale for Resale	\$49,213,187	\$ 3,385,816	\$ 3,610,869	\$ 2,786,120	\$ 1,922,246	\$ 2,752,789	\$ 8,044,788	\$ 9,136,979	\$ 5,227,838	\$ 4,654,684	\$ 1,545,341	\$ 2,563,932	\$ 3,581,787	
13	Authorized Net Expenses	\$65,986,819	\$ 9,131,888	\$ 7,304,439	\$ 3,616,820	\$ 3,544,690	\$ (323,288)	\$ (4,459,382)	\$ 1,425,179	\$ 8,002,684	\$ 7,055,338	\$ 9,037,088	\$ 9,298,825	\$ 8,212,198	
14	Actual - Authorized Net Expense	\$27,490,735	\$ 8,034,001	\$ 4,004,585	\$ 4,181,981	\$ 1,713,554	\$ (203,128)	\$ 6,177,882	\$ 8,609,969	\$ 5,732,534	\$ 341,925	\$ 1,816,726	\$ (620,795)	\$ (862,044)	
15	Net Fuel Expense not incl in Acct 547 (1)	\$ 8,812,002	\$ 182,017	\$ 102,000	\$ 1,001,842	\$ 1,377,773	\$ 1,370,034	\$ 1,804,325	\$ 1,026,257	\$ 917,759	\$ 775,576	\$ 528,180	\$ (35,985)	\$ (237,806)	
16	Adjusted Actual - Authorized Net Exp	\$ 36,102,737	\$ 6,216,018	\$ 4,106,565	\$ (617,139)	\$ 3,091,327	\$ 1,168,905	\$ 7,792,287	\$ 8,636,226	\$ 6,850,233	\$ 1,117,401	\$ (1,290,536)	\$ (556,780)	\$ (1,189,850)	
17	Washington Alloc. @ 66.28%	\$23,932,504	\$4,120,598	\$2,722,242	\$ (409,101)	\$2,049,241	\$773,541	\$5,156,878	\$8,387,854	\$4,408,479	\$740,725	\$ (855,486)	\$ (389,076)	\$ (785,381)	
18	Erwin Contract Buyout	\$391,494	\$32,626	\$32,626	\$32,626	\$32,626	\$32,626	\$32,623	\$32,623	\$32,623	\$32,623	\$32,623	\$32,623	\$32,623	
19	WA Retail Revenue Adjustment	\$ (3,680,426)	\$ (869,274)	\$ (1,277,781)	\$ 258,833	\$ (148,208)	\$13,583	\$421,956	\$ (569,821)	\$ (514,688)	\$ (1,376,782)	\$ (1,202,889)	\$ (512,693)	\$2,217,521	
20	Net Power Cost Increase (Decrease)	\$ 20,983,573	\$ 3,493,959	\$ 1,477,087	\$ (117,842)	\$ 1,933,858	\$81,750	\$5,813,460	\$5,850,858	\$3,626,433	\$ (803,434)	\$ (2,025,772)	\$ (849,136)	\$ 1,454,763	
21	105% Net Power Cost Less \$0 million Company Band	\$ 4,210,083													
22	80% Net Power Cost Less \$0 million Company Band	\$ 10,497,218													
		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,789,057	\$5,285,580	\$3,283,789	\$ (543,081)	\$ (1,822,185)	\$ (764,222)	\$1,309,287				

**Avista Utilities**  
**System Power Supply Expenses**  
**WASHINGTON DEFERRED POWER COST CAPITALIZATION**

Line No.	ACTUALS	Jan-04	Feb-04	Mar-04	Apr-04	May-04	Jun-04	Jul-04	Aug-04	Sep-04	Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	TOTAL 2004
<b>555 PURCHASED POWER</b>														
1 Short-Term Purchases														
2 Priest Rapids	12,948,293	6,849,837	3,439,618	4,271,101	6,150,289	6,788,003	13,472,671	14,099,076	7,728,761	6,497,872	6,362,216	7,280,926	95,989,662	
2 Rocky Reach	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	158,509	1,886,160	
3 Wanapum	102,015	71,340	71,339	116,916	137,141	428,310	104,541	127,993	75,489	101,539	114,808	394,050	1,847,599	
4 Wells	208,697	208,897	208,697	208,697	208,697	226,570	208,697	208,697	208,697	208,697	208,697	208,697	2,522,237	
5 Black Creek Index Purchase	89,817	89,817	99,817	99,817	99,817	99,817	99,817	99,817	99,817	99,817	98,106	98,106	1,078,993	
6 Deer Lake-IP&L	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	217,530	-110	-	-	217,520	
7 Small Power	83,862	128,558	117,527	117,472	122,893	304	352	424	415	409	313	358,14	4,110	
8 Spokane-Upriver	81,396	490,688	390,223	428,258	216,181	-	-	-	50,477	52,728	92,017	113,586	1,136,558	
9 WNP-3 (1)	2,541,438	2,298,432	1,254,581	1,215,202	-	-	-	-	38,553	158,564	228,284	373,836	2,718,849	
10 WPI Amort	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	2,886,000	2,886,000
11 Non-Mon. Accruals	143,856	219,509	116,092	56,447	(4,793)	(34,091)	12,635	80,167	(42,934)	(16,542)	(90,876)	(13,485)	427,905	
12 DUKE #12108 (25 FLAT)-28	667,300	630,700	667,300	548,238	567,300	649,000	667,300	649,000	667,300	649,000	649,000	649,000	6,897,801	
13 DUKE# MS #2113/14 (50 FLAT)-28	1,041,500	974,400	1,041,500	1,006,600	1,041,600	1,008,000	1,041,600	1,041,600	1,041,600	1,008,000	1,043,000	1,041,600	12,297,600	
14 EL PASO #2/107 (25 FLAT)	680,550	680,550	680,550	680,550	680,550	570,706	580,550	571,500	571,500	580,550	581,344	580,550	6,972,360	
15 Hleyevest - Plummer Forest Prod.	148,463	144,255	145,150	111,888	105,080	96,117	144,203	125,069	135,666	122,150	116,078	1,525,478		
16 Pollach 62 BMW Purch	2,047,319	1,807,665	1,575,121	1,833,319	1,968,354	1,880,368	1,966,660	2,002,261	1,674,610	1,987,582	1,792,725	2,071,276	22,797,286	
17 Douglas Capacity	122,000	152,500	134,500	136,500	142,500	157,500	176,750	167,250	140,500	112,500	112,500	90,000	1,647,010	
18 PPLM Wind Power	-	-	-	174,197	300,319	246,483	220,748	262,184	231,781	256,328	144,169	79,870	1,928,389	
19 WPM Ancillary Services	-	2,624	2,613	2,789	2,053	2,758	3,256	3,014	3,024	3,232	2,510	2,756	2,582	
20 Total Account 555	20,898,976	14,705,597	10,016,319	11,120,205	12,019,655	12,473,950	18,862,885	19,801,656	12,633,272	11,943,488	14,338,972	16,032,861	174,845,656	
(1) Effective November, 2003, WNP-3 purchase expense has been adjusted to reflect the mid-point price (\$33.78/MWh for the 2003-04 contract year). Effective November 1, 2004, the mid-point price is \$34.78/MWh per Settlement Agreement, Cause No. U-86-99.														
<b>447 SALES FOR RE-SALE</b>														
21 Short-Term Sales	5,741,521	2,428,969	3,562,566	4,608,768	10,769,273	8,739,412	8,174,493	5,435,905	6,937,831	8,593,879	8,247,275	10,673,151	84,913,043	
22 Peaker LLC/PGE Cap Sale	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	1,800,000	
23 Kaiser Load Following	25,061	30,273	5,762	11,251	18,012	22,282	67,298	39,686	82,624	2,873	70,874	10,927	387,823	
24 NW Allm DES	13	118	116	1,067	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,438	
25 Pend Oreille DES	34,437	26,372	27,044	25,162	26,079	26,648	24,951	24,791	24,633	25,316	27,210	33,610	325,253	
26 Nichols Pumping Index Sale	183,354	192,024	98,058	151,560	176,280	153,746	239,961	240,184	181,386	217,271	225,792	241,462	2,289,088	
27 Mirant Operating Reserves/DES	14,655	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
28 EFCO/G Cap Fees, employee incs	(1,310)	(4,173)	(3,856)	(5,473)	(3,978)	(12,978)	(4,780)	(4,421)	43,473	86,478	61,730	94,872	301,608	
28 Merchant Ancillary Services	2,624	2,613	2,789	2,053	2,758	3,256	3,014	3,024	3,232	3,232	2,510	2,756	2,582	
29 Total Account 447	6,140,476	2,826,196	3,840,479	4,944,398	11,138,434	10,082,366	8,654,928	5,889,168	7,419,594	9,073,203	8,761,387	11,202,641	89,993,263	

(1) Effective November, 2003, WNP-3 purchase expense has been adjusted to reflect the mid-point price (\$33.78/MWh for the 2003-04 contract year). Effective November 2004, the mid-point price is \$34.79/MWh per Settlement Agreement, Cause No. 1-U-96-99.

Exhibit No. \_\_\_\_ (WGJ-2)

**Avisis Utilities**  
**System Power Supply Expenses**  
**WASHINGTON DEFERRED POWER COST CALCULATION**

**ACTUALS**

Line No.		Jan-04	Feb-04	Mar-04	Apr-04	May-04	Jun-04	Jul-04	Aug-04	Sep-04	Oct-04	Nov-04	Dec-04	Total 2004
<b>501 FUEL-DOLLARS</b>														
30 Kettle Falls	wood	557,912	515,287	583,079	563,676	277,044	708,456	849,545	619,745	631,816	653,140	736,884	695,376	7,391,940
31 Colstrip	coal	882,129	981,341	1,129,753	670,591	503,685	789,491	988,765	1,005,947	925,865	1,138,012	765,645	669,840	10,629,274
32 Total Coal & Wood		1,420,041	1,496,626	1,712,832	1,234,657	780,729	1,497,947	1,638,310	1,625,692	1,657,501	1,789,152	1,502,509	1,765,216	18,021,214
33 Kettle Falls GS	gas	1,911	209	178	186	3,531	3,946	282	320	259	510	1,841	23	13,966
34 Colstrip	oil	(8,127)	154	9,260	1,106	91	26,894	68,533	21,366	23,413	31,114	10,986	5,757	188,287
35 Total Oil & Gas		(6,516)	363	6,458	1,292	3,622	36,740	66,815	21,686	23,642	31,624	12,827	5,780	201,333
36 Total Account 501		1,413,525	1,496,891	1,722,280	1,235,949	784,151	1,528,687	1,705,125	1,647,378	1,581,143	1,820,776	1,515,336	1,770,986	18,222,507
<b>501 FUEL-TONS</b>														
37 Kettle Falls	wood	46,083	45,232	46,458	44,712	21,147	36,427	48,048	41,993	46,044	45,702	48,547	53,976	524,370
38 Colstrip	coal	101,926	89,232	102,899	62,461	47,454	64,628	85,911	83,125	85,080	101,446	99,600	96,882	1,020,844
39 Total Fuel-Cost per ton														
39 Kettle Falls	wood	\$ 12.11	\$ 11.39	\$ 12.03	\$ 12.61	\$ 13.10	\$ 19.45	\$ 14.11	\$ 14.76	\$ 13.72	\$ 14.29	\$ 15.18	\$ 16.59	\$ 14.10
40 Colstrip	coal	\$ 8.46	\$ 11.00	\$ 10.88	\$ 10.74	\$ 10.61	\$ 12.22	\$ 11.51	\$ 12.10	\$ 10.88	\$ 11.20	\$ 7.69	\$ 8.98	\$ 10.41
<b>547 FUEL</b>														
41 NE Combustion Turbine Gas/Oil		7	22	629	3,678	978	(47)	(897)	-	2,954	(154)	(5)	7,165	
42 Boulder Park	wood	68,742	12	(23)	61,521	72,880	25,326	311,111	356,840	72,923	702	1,289	6,144	
43 Kettle Falls CT	coal	28,115	17	(32)	23,727	32,765	2,730	184,645	187,718	34,254	24,788	1,587	99,1667	
44 Coyote Springs	gas	1,208,463	375,047	231,939	232,347	232,486	211,947	112,878	202,510	2,712,069	5,048,853	3,981,012	526,459	
45 Radium Gas Storage Fee		40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	17,764,779	
46 Radium Fuel Exp		296,579	(11,931)	27	15	(26)	(24)	42,089	62	6	55	46,500	46,000	
47 Total Account 547		1,642,906	403,167	270,540	361,288	378,095	280,957	690,676	778,333	2,859,252	5,117,402	4,070,234	3,321,824	413,834
48 Total Net Expense		17,814,928	13,779,559	8,176,670	7,773,054	2,043,667	4,201,268	12,603,538	16,339,199	9,654,073	9,606,443	11,141,155	9,923,140	123,258,694

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**AVISTA UTILITIES**  
**Washington Electric Jurisdiction**  
**Energy Recovery Mechanism Revenue Credit**  
**Month of December 2004**

Description	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	YTD
Total WA kWhs per Rev Run	\$27,785,476	470,834,527	438,463,416	405,573,863	377,898,211	379,877,408	391,730,993	404,134,163	416,857,813	391,800,807	410,446,379	474,956,017	\$1,150,167,393
Deduct Sales for Resale kWhs	(2,468,273)	(1,860,477)	(1,760,306)	(1,711,651)	(2,686,365)	(4,971,433)	(271,306,395)	(250,189,343)	(261,360,335)	(271,581,077)	(304,982,151)	(18,146,526)	(18,146,526)
Deduct Exchange (Sch 2B) kWhs	(350,076,810)	(284,320,568)	(280,532,463)	(282,076,422)	(271,769,861)	(272,306,395)	(11,310,979)	(24,554,051)	(18,203,928)	(268,524)	(347,897,976)	(3,470,972,547)	(3,470,972,547)
Deduct Prior Month Unbilled kWhs Heating	284,920,598	280,532,463	282,076,422	271,769,841	272,306,395	250,189,343	261,360,335	273,277,338	271,581,077	304,982,151	347,897,976	336,802,948	(54,355,480)
Add Current Month Unbilled kWhs Cooling													3,487,688,685
Add Current Month Unbilled kWhs Cooking													
Washington Retail kWhs	470,102,988	484,765,917	426,255,069	392,543,254	375,886,580	384,098,892	410,144,957	469,701,041	437,243,950	424,725,157	453,361,204	463,080,988	54,355,480
Test Year Consumption	419,477,804	425,137,097	436,504,558	388,111,383	376,471,457	377,440,327	398,668,301	444,487,437	354,508,791	387,418,707	437,561,917	533,208,120	6,008,915,969
from Attachment 1 Settlement Schedule													
Difference from Test Year	20,885,085	39,849,850	(8,249,468)	4,431,666	(612,877)	(13,340,425)	(17,578,856)	25,213,804	42,731,159	37,306,450	16,798,287	(68,347,131)	111,621,037
WA Retail Revenue Credit	0.03208	\$683,576	\$1,121,935	(\$268,644)	\$142,174	(\$18,681)	(\$427,881)	\$563,923	\$605,052	\$1,371,008	\$1,186,781	\$505,879	(\$2,224,658)
Net Wind Revenue Credit		\$3,886	\$5,846	\$8,035	\$8,011	\$8,076	\$8,005	\$5,988	\$5,817	\$8,774	\$8,108	\$8,804	\$3,587,219
Total Revenue Credit		\$685,274	\$1,217,781	(\$251,533)	\$142,209	(\$13,583)	(\$419,926)	\$569,821	\$614,669	\$1,376,812	\$1,202,699	\$12,417,521	\$3,680,128

Schedule #5 Wind Revenue	\$7,656.03	\$8,084.13	\$8,220.50	\$8,324.78	\$8,383.87	\$8,420.74	\$8,135.84	\$8,024.08	\$7,884.48	\$8,425.22	\$8,364.70	\$9,840.83	\$100,976.47	
Deduct Admin Expense	0.276	\$2,180.41	\$2,217.84	\$2,278.69	\$2,289.32	\$2,305.56	\$2,277.76	\$2,237.14	\$2,208.82	\$2,180.23	\$2,316.94	\$2,080.79	\$27,708.53	
0.005 x 65 = 0.275 per Revenue \$														
Net Wind Revenue Credit		\$5,685.62	\$5,818.48	\$8,010.61	\$8,035.47	\$8,076.31	\$8,004.89	\$5,887.90	\$5,817.44	\$5,774.23	\$8,108.26	\$6,803.81	\$7,134.67	\$73,207.94

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