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NWN WUTC Advice No.19-03 / UG-190765

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**Re: Docket UG-190765—Schedule 215: Adjustment to Rates for Energy Efficiency Service and Programs—WITHDRAWAL**

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural or Company), withdraws in its entirety NWN WUTC Advice No. 19-03, docketed as UG-190765 that was filed on September 12, 2019.

On October 21, 2019, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued Order 06 in docket UG-181053, which was the Company's general rate case proceeding. In Order 06, the Commission approved and adopted an all-parties joint settlement agreement that included a provision regarding the Company's energy conservation program, including the manner in which the Company recovers the costs for the program. The provision specified an annual conservation tariff adjustment for contemporaneous recovery of forecasted expenses for the November 1 through October 31 period and a four-year amortization of historic costs that have been deferred through October 31, 2019.

NW Natural will include updates to Schedule 215 Adjustment to Rates for Energy Efficiency Service and Programs to reflect Order 06 in its UG-181053 compliance filing that will be made no later than October 25, 2019. Therefore, NW Natural respectfully withdraws NWN WUTC Advice No. 19-03, docketed as UG-190765, in its entirety.

As required by WAC 480-80-103(4)(a), I certify that I have authority to issue tariff revisions on behalf of NW Natural.

Copies of this letter and the attached filing are available in the Company's main office in Portland, Oregon, and on its website at [www.nwnatural.com](http://www.nwnatural.com).

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