

September 1, 2022

Advice No. CNG/W22-09-06

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

Re: Pipeline Replacement Cost Recovery Mechanism in Accordance with Commission Order 09 in Docket UG-210755.

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

In accordance with the Commission's Order 09 in Docket UG-210755, Cascade Natural Gas Corporation (Cascade) submits its annual Cost Recovery Mechanism (CRM) filing which proposes changes to the following tariff sheets effective October 1, 2022:

WN U-3, Cost Recovery Mechanism, Elevated Pipeline Facility Replacements

Tenth Revision Sheet No. 25 Sixty-Sixth Revision Sheet No. 503	Canceling Canceling	Ninth Revision Sheet No. 25 Sixty-Fifth Revision Sheet No. 503
Fiftieth Revision Sheet No. 504	Canceling	Forty-Ninth Revision Sheet No. 504
Forty-Ninth Revision Sheet No. 505	Canceling	Forty-Eighth Revision Sheet No. 505
Sixty-Seventh Revision Sheet No. 511	Canceling	Sixty-Sixth Revision Sheet No. 511
Sixty-First Revision Sheet No. 570	Canceling	Sixtieth Revision Sheet No. 570
Thirteenth Revision Sheet No. 597	Canceling	Twelfth Revision Sheet No. 597
Eleventh Revision Sheet No. 663-A	Canceling	Tenth Revision Sheet No. 663-A

This filing includes moving CRM investments included in the general rate case (UG-210755) to base rates and removing the components included in Schedule 597 that were accounted for in the general rate case. The result is an increase in base rates of \$1,422,143 and a corresponding reduction to the CRM rates of \$2,077,640 for a net reduction in annual revenues of \$655.498.

This filing represents an overall decrease in revenue of \$655,498 or 0.07 percent. An average residential customer using 54 therms per month will see a bill decrease of \$0.42 per month or 0.69 percent.

Cascade considers a number of the worksheets included with this filing to contain valuable commercial information and respectfully requests protection and confidential treatment of the attached information under Chapters 42.17 RCW, RCW 80.04.095 and WAC 480-07-160. Public disclosure of this information would result in private loss, including an unfair

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competitive disadvantage, which would negatively affect our shareholders.

The following files are electronically submitted as part of this filing:

- New-CNGC-CRM-Impact-WP-09.01.22.xlsx
- New-CNGC-Advice-No.-W22-09-06-Trf-09.01.22.pdf
- New-CNGC-Advice-No.-W22-09-06-Leg-Trf-09.01.22.pdf
- New-CNGC-Decoupling-Baseline-WP-09.01.22.xlsx
- New-CNGC-CRM-Monthly-details-WP-09.01.22 (R).pdf
- New-CNGC-CRM-Monthly-details-WP-09.01.22 (C).xlsx
- New-CNGC-CRM-Replacement-Projects-WP-09.01.22.xlsx

If there are any questions regarding this update, please contact me at 208.377.6015.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lori A. Blattner

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Attachments