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RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Northwest Natural Gas Company*
Docket UG-181053

TO ALL PARTIES:

On October 21, 2019, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered its final order, Order 06, Final Order Rejecting Tariff Sheets; Approving and Adopting Joint Settlement Agreement; Rejecting Partial Multiparty Settlement Agreement on Decoupling; and Authorizing and Requiring Compliance Filing (Order 06) in Docket UG-181053. Order 06, among other things, required Northwest Natural Gas Company (NW Natural or Company) to make annual environmental cost recovery mechanism (ECRM) filings.

On July 15, 2020, NW Natural filed a new tariff schedule proposing cost recovery rates for costs incurred between July 1, 2019, and December 31, 2019.

On October 29, 2020, Commission staff filed a letter in this docket stating that Staff had reviewed the tariff schedule and believes that the filing complies with the terms of Order 06 and the Joint Settlement Agreement approved therein.

The Commission finds that the ECRM schedule filed on July 15, 2020, by NW Natural complies with Order 06.

MARK L. JOHNSON
Executive Director and Secretary