

**AVISTA CORP.
RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

JURISDICTION:	WASHINGTON	DATE PREPARED:	12/28/2017
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REQUEST:

Please explain whether Avista has an independent rationale, other than mirroring the LIRAP Five-Year Plan, for determining that 7 percent is the appropriate amount for an annual increase for low-income weatherization funding. Please provide any such independent rationale.

RESPONSE:

Please see the Company's response to TEP_DR_02 and TEP_DR_05.