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STATE OF WASHINGTON
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RE: *In the Matter of the Penalty Assessment Against Bodine Construction, Inc. in the Amount of \$1,000,*
Docket DG-220357

TO ALL PARTIES:

On June 6, 2022, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) assessed a \$1,000 penalty (Penalty Assessment) against Bodine Construction, Inc. (Bodine or Company) for one violation of Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 19.122.030(1)(a) for failing to contact the One-Call locate center two business days before beginning excavating and subsequently causing damage to an underground gas facility. The Penalty Assessment provided the Company with the opportunity to suspend, and ultimately waive, an \$800 portion of the penalty subject to the conditions that: a) Bodine pay \$200 of the penalty amount, b) Bodine new employees responsible for excavation complete National Utility Contractors Association (NUCA) Dig Safe Training within 90 days of the Penalty Assessment, and c) Bodine not incur any additional violations of RCW 19.22 within 12 months of the Penalty Assessment.

On June 13, 2022, the Company notified the Commission that it accepted the conditions offered by the penalty Assessment, and on August 4, 2022, the Company paid \$200 towards the penalty.

On June 8, 2023, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter in this docket informing the Commission that the Company had complied with all of the conditions and recommending that the Commission waive the suspended \$800 portion of the penalty and close the docket.

The Commission agrees that Bodine has complied with the conditions required by the Penalty Assessment. The penalty is thus waived, and this docket is closed.

AMANDA MAXWELL
Executive Director and Secretary