

October 14, 2003

NOTICE OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING
(Set for Monday and Tuesday, November 24-25, 2003 at 9:30 a.m.)

Re: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Avista
Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities, Docket No. UG-021584

TO ALL PARTIES:

On October 6, 2003, the Commission entered its Order Approving, In Part, and Rejecting in Part, Settlement Agreement. The Order required the parties to state within seven days whether they would withdraw from the Settlement Agreement based on the Commission's partial approval. On October 8, 2003, Avista accepted the Commission's partial approval. On October 10, 2003, Commission Staff and Public Counsel withdrew from the settlement agreement. By the terms of the order, if parties elect to withdraw from the settlement agreement because the Commission failed to approve it in its entirety, the matter will again be set for hearing.

Notice is given that the evidentiary hearing on Avista's petition is now scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, November 24-25, 2003, commencing at 9:30 a.m. in the Commission's main hearing room, 2nd Floor, Chandler Plaza Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, Washington.

Sincerely,

THEODORA M. MACE
Administrative Law judge