Exh. DCP-11 UE-240004/UG-240005 Witness: David C. Parcell

## BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

DOCKETS UE-240004 and UG-240005 (Consolidated)

Complainant,

v.

**PUGET SOUND ENERGY,** 

Respondent.

**EXHIBIT TO TESTIMONY OF** 

**DAVID C. PARCELL** 

ON BEHALF OF STAFF OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Proxy Companies - CAPM Cost Rates

August 6, 2024

## PROXY COMPANIES CAPM COST RATES

COMPANY	RISK-FREE RATE	ВЕТА	RISK PREMIUM	CAPM RATES
Proxy Group				
ALLETE	4.67%	0.95	6.4%	10.8%
Avista Corp.	4.67%	0.95	6.4%	10.8%
Black Hills Corp	4.67%	1.05	6.4%	11.4%
IDACORP	4.67%	0.85	6.4%	10.1%
MGE Energy	4.67%	0.80	6.4%	9.8%
NorthWestern Energy Group	4.67%	0.95	6.4%	10.8%
OGE Energy	4.67%	1.05	6.4%	11.4%
Otter Tail Corp	4.67%	0.95	6.4%	10.8%
Pinnacle West Capital	4.67%	0.95	6.4%	10.8%
Portland General Electric	4.67%	0.95	6.4%	10.8%
Mean				10.7%
Median				10.8%

Sources: Value Line Investment Survey, Standard & Poor's, Federal Reserve.

20-year Treasury Bonds				
Month	Rate			
Apr-24	4.77%			
May-24	4.71%			
June 24	4.54%			
Average	4.67%			