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CASCADE NATURAL GAS CORPORATION

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Indicate where in the cost of service study the costs of storage and of fixed gas supply costs associated with providing balancing service to transportation customers is reflected, and the total amount of such cost allocated to transportation customers.

Response:

Cascade does not incur any cost of storage or fixed gas supply cost to provide balancing services to transportation customers. The only balancing services transportation customers receive are provided by Northwest Pipeline. Cascade only passes on such services. Cascade does not have any customers on its Optional Best efforts Balancing Service R/S 687 or Optional Underground Gas Storage R/S 688. As such, no costs are reflected in the cost of service study.

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