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STATE OF WASHINGTON
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RE: *In the Matter of the Penalty Assessment Against Archer Construction, Inc, in the Amount of \$1,000,*
Docket DG-230351

TO ALL PARTIES:

On May 19, 2023, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) assessed a \$2,000 penalty (Penalty Assessment) against Archer Construction, Inc., (Archer Construction or Company) for one violation of Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 19.122.055(1)(a) for failing to notify the one-number locate service and caused 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) Archer Construction pay \$200 of the penalty amount, b) Archer Construction employees responsible for excavation complete National Utility Contractors Association (NUCA) Dig Safe Training within 12 months of the Penalty Assessment, and c) Archer Construction not incur any additional violations of RCW 19.22 within 12 months of the Penalty Assessment.

On May 26, 2023, the Company paid \$200 towards the penalty.

On August 6, 2024, Commission staff (Staff) filed a letter in this docket informing the Commission that the Archer Construction 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 Archer Construction has complied with the conditions required by the Penalty Assessment. The penalty is thus waived, and this docket is closed.

JEFF KILLIP
Executive Director and Secretary