Exh. DCP-3 Dockets UE-190334, UG-190335, and UE-190222 Witness: David C. Parcell

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

AVISTA CORPORATION, d/b/a AVISTA UTILITIES,

Respondent.

DOCKETS UE-190334, UG-190335, and UE-190222 (*Consolidated*)

EXHIBIT TO TESTIMONY OF

David C. Parcell

ON BEHALF OF STAFF OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Avista Total Cost of Capital

October 3, 2019

AVISTA CORPORATION TOTAL COST OF CAPITAL

| Item | Percent | | Cost | Weighted Cost |
|-----------------|---------|----|---------------|-------------------------|
| Short-Term Debt | 2.65% | 1/ | 4.36% 3 | 0.12% |
| Long-Term Debt | 48.85% | 1/ | 5.19% 4 | 2.54% |
| Common Equity | 48.50% | 2/ | 9.10% 9.30% 9 | 0.50% 4.41% 4.51% 4.61% |
| Total | 100.00% | | | 7.06% 7.26% 7.16% |

1/ Percentages of short-term and long-term debt derived from relative amounts of short-term debt and long-term debt as of December 31, 2019, as contained in Exh. MTT-2, page 6:

| | | | Ratio |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|
| | Amount | Percent | to 51.5% |
| | | | |
| Short-Term Debt | \$100,000 | 5.14% | 2.65% |
| Long-Term Debt | \$1,845,500 | 94.86% | 48.85% |
| Total Debt | \$1,945,500 | · | 51.50% |

- 2/ Common equity ratio approved for Avista by Commission in Dockets UE-150204/UG-150205, as well as Dockets UE-170485/UG-170486.
- 3/ As shown on Exh. MTT-2, page 4.
- 4/ As derived from Exh. MTT-2, page 3, excluding short-term debt cost and amounts:

Effective Cost \$95,777,570 Principal Outstanding \$1,845,500,000

Yield to Maturity 5.19%