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Re: U-200281—NW Natural August 2021 Report Required by Order 03

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural or Company), provides the enclosed data report in compliance with Order 03 in docket U-200281 and as outlined in the approved term sheet. As described below, the Company is providing the required data for the month of August 2021, as well as data for the COVID-19 Assistance Program (CAP) for both August 2021 and revised July 2021.

Section K List of Requested Data to be filed Monthly:

- 1. Energy Assistance Disbursement.

REVISED – for the month of July 2021

A typographical error was detected in the July CAP data in that the Automatic Grants and New Applications columns were reversed. Please note that only the data for the CAP has been revised; data for LIHEAP and GREAT remain the same as originally reported and are included here for completeness.

	COVID-19 Assistance Program			LIHEAP	GREAT Bill Assistance Program
	Automatic Grants	New Applications	Total		
Total Benefits	\$0.00	\$4,060.91	\$4,060.91	\$3,146.00	\$18,945.00
Number of Accounts	0	14	14	18	38
Average Benefits	\$0.00	\$290.07	\$290.07	\$175.00	\$499.00

For the month of August 2021

	COVID-19 Assistance Program			LIHEAP	GREAT Bill Assistance Program
	Automatic Grants	New Applications	Total		
Total Benefits	\$0.00	\$687.09	\$687.09	\$4,761.00	\$10,031.00
Number of Accounts	0	3	3	28	18
Average Benefits	\$0.00	\$229.03	\$229.03	\$170.00	\$557.00

2. Past Due Balances

- a. The number of customers by customer class with past-due balances (arrearages);
- b. The amount of past-due balances, by customer class, that are 30, 60, 90, and more than 90 days past due, and the total amount of arrearages;
- c. The amount of past-due balances for known low-income households that are 30, 60, 90, and more than 90 days past due, and the total amount of these arrearages;

Please see attached file for this data in the same format as NW Natural's quarterly reports filed in U-200281.

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Attachment:
 200281-NWN-Aug-2021-COVID-Data-Rpt-09-29-2021 (PDF and Excel)