

**Exh. ELJ-6  
Dockets UE-200900, UG-200901,  
UE-200894  
Witness: Elaine L. Jordan**

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON  
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,**

**Complainant,**

**v.**

**AVISTA CORPORATION, d/b/a  
AVISTA UTILITIES,**

**Respondent.**

**DOCKETS UE-200900, UG-200901,  
UE-200894 (*Consolidated*)**

**EXHIBIT TO  
TESTIMONY OF**

**Elaine L. Jordan**

**STAFF OF  
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

*Staff Proposed Natural Gas Bill Impact and Bill Components*

**April 21, 2021**

**AVISTA UTILITIES  
WASHINGTON NATURAL GAS  
PRESENT AND PROPOSED BILL IMPACT  
STAFF PROPOSED**

**Schedule 101 Bill Impact**

Schedule 101 Present					Schedule 101 Proposed					Bill Impact	% Change
Basic Charge	Block 1	Block 2	Total Bill	Basic Charge	Block 1	Block 2	Total Bill				
\$ 9.50	\$ 0.70194	\$ 0.82492		\$ 9.50	\$ 0.73653	\$ 0.86987					
10 \$ 9.50	\$ 7.02		\$ 16.52	\$ 9.50	\$ 7.37		\$ 16.87	\$ 0.35	2.1%		
20 \$ 9.50	\$ 14.04		\$ 23.54	\$ 9.50	\$ 14.73		\$ 24.23	\$ 0.69	2.9%		
30 \$ 9.50	\$ 21.06		\$ 30.56	\$ 9.50	\$ 22.10		\$ 31.60	\$ 1.04	3.4%		
40 \$ 9.50	\$ 28.08		\$ 37.58	\$ 9.50	\$ 29.46		\$ 38.96	\$ 1.38	3.7%		
50 \$ 9.50	\$ 35.10		\$ 44.60	\$ 9.50	\$ 36.83		\$ 46.33	\$ 1.73	3.9%		
60 \$ 9.50	\$ 42.12		\$ 51.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 44.19		\$ 53.69	\$ 2.08	4.0%		
67 \$ 9.50	\$ 47.03		\$ 56.53	\$ 9.50	\$ 49.35		\$ 58.85	\$ 2.32	4.1%		
70 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14		\$ 58.64	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56		\$ 61.06	\$ 2.42	4.1%		
80 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 8.25	\$ 66.89	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 8.70	\$ 69.76	\$ 2.87	4.3%		
90 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 16.50	\$ 75.13	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 17.40	\$ 78.45	\$ 3.32	4.4%		
100 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 24.75	\$ 83.38	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 26.10	\$ 87.15	\$ 3.77	4.5%		
110 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 33.00	\$ 91.63	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 34.79	\$ 95.85	\$ 4.22	4.6%		
120 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 41.25	\$ 99.88	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 43.49	\$ 104.55	\$ 4.67	4.7%		
130 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 49.50	\$ 108.13	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 52.19	\$ 113.25	\$ 5.12	4.7%		
140 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 57.74	\$ 116.38	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 60.89	\$ 121.95	\$ 5.57	4.8%		
150 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 65.99	\$ 124.63	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 69.59	\$ 130.65	\$ 6.02	4.8%		
160 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 74.24	\$ 132.88	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 78.29	\$ 139.35	\$ 6.47	4.9%		
170 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 82.49	\$ 141.13	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 86.99	\$ 148.04	\$ 6.92	4.9%		
180 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 90.74	\$ 149.38	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 95.69	\$ 156.74	\$ 7.37	4.9%		
190 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 98.99	\$ 157.63	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 104.38	\$ 165.44	\$ 7.82	5.0%		
200 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 107.24	\$ 165.88	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 113.08	\$ 174.14	\$ 8.26	5.0%		
210 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 115.49	\$ 174.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 121.78	\$ 182.84	\$ 8.71	5.0%		
220 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 123.74	\$ 182.37	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 130.48	\$ 191.54	\$ 9.16	5.0%		
230 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 131.99	\$ 190.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 139.18	\$ 200.24	\$ 9.61	5.0%		
240 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 140.24	\$ 198.87	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 147.88	\$ 208.94	\$ 10.06	5.1%		
250 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 148.49	\$ 207.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 156.58	\$ 217.63	\$ 10.51	5.1%		
260 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 156.73	\$ 215.37	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 165.28	\$ 226.33	\$ 10.96	5.1%		
270 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 164.98	\$ 223.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 173.97	\$ 235.03	\$ 11.41	5.1%		
280 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 173.23	\$ 231.87	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 182.67	\$ 243.73	\$ 11.86	5.1%		
290 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 181.48	\$ 240.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 191.37	\$ 252.43	\$ 12.31	5.1%		
300 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 189.73	\$ 248.37	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 200.07	\$ 261.13	\$ 12.76	5.1%		
310 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 197.98	\$ 256.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 208.77	\$ 269.83	\$ 13.21	5.1%		
320 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 206.23	\$ 264.87	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 217.47	\$ 278.52	\$ 13.66	5.2%		
330 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 214.48	\$ 273.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 226.17	\$ 287.22	\$ 14.11	5.2%		
340 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 222.73	\$ 281.36	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 234.86	\$ 295.92	\$ 14.56	5.2%		
350 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 230.98	\$ 289.61	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 243.56	\$ 304.62	\$ 15.01	5.2%		
360 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 239.23	\$ 297.86	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 252.26	\$ 313.32	\$ 15.46	5.2%		
370 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 247.48	\$ 306.11	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 260.96	\$ 322.02	\$ 15.91	5.2%		
380 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 255.73	\$ 314.36	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 269.66	\$ 330.72	\$ 16.36	5.2%		
390 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 263.97	\$ 322.61	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 278.36	\$ 339.42	\$ 16.81	5.2%		
400 \$ 9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 272.22	\$ 330.86	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 287.06	\$ 348.11	\$ 17.25	5.2%		

**Schedule 101 Bill Impact with Tax and AFDUC Credit**

Exh. BAE-8  
first 70                   \$0.03617  
over 70                   \$0.04701

	Schedule 101 Present				Schedule 101 Proposed				Tax Credit	Total Bill	Bill Impact	% Change
	Basic Charge	Block 1	Block 2	Total Bill	Basic Charge	Block 1	Block 2	Total Bill				
10	\$9.50	\$ 0.70194	\$ 0.82492	\$16.52	\$ 9.50	\$ 7.37	\$ 0.86987	\$ 16.50	\$ 0.36	\$ (0.02)	-0.1%	
20	\$9.50	\$ 14.04		\$23.54	\$ 9.50	\$ 14.73		\$ 23.51	\$ 0.72	\$ (0.03)	-0.1%	
30	\$9.50	\$ 21.06		\$30.56	\$ 9.50	\$ 22.10		\$ 30.51	\$ 1.09	\$ (0.05)	-0.2%	
40	\$9.50	\$ 28.08		\$37.58	\$ 9.50	\$ 29.46		\$ 37.51	\$ 1.45	\$ (0.06)	-0.2%	
50	\$9.50	\$ 35.10		\$44.60	\$ 9.50	\$ 36.83		\$ 44.52	\$ 1.81	\$ (0.08)	-0.2%	
60	\$9.50	\$ 42.12		\$51.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 44.19		\$ 51.52	\$ 2.17	\$ (0.09)	-0.2%	
67	\$9.50	\$ 47.03		\$56.53	\$ 9.50	\$ 49.35		\$ 56.42	\$ 2.42	\$ (0.11)	-0.2%	
70	\$9.50	\$ 49.14		\$58.64	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56		\$ 58.53	\$ 2.53	\$ (0.11)	-0.2%	
80	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 8.25	\$66.89	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 8.70	\$ 66.75	\$ 3.00	\$ (0.13)	-0.2%	
90	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 16.50	\$75.13	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 17.40	\$ 74.98	\$ 3.47	\$ (0.15)	-0.2%	
100	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 24.75	\$83.38	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 26.10	\$ 83.21	\$ 3.94	\$ (0.17)	-0.2%	
110	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 33.00	\$91.63	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 34.79	\$ 91.44	\$ 4.41	\$ (0.19)	-0.2%	
120	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 41.25	\$99.88	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 43.49	\$ 99.67	\$ 4.88	\$ (0.21)	-0.2%	
130	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 49.50	\$108.13	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 52.19	\$ 107.90	\$ 5.35	\$ (0.23)	-0.2%	
140	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 57.74	\$116.38	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 60.89	\$ 116.13	\$ 5.82	\$ (0.25)	-0.2%	
150	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 65.99	\$124.63	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 69.59	\$ 124.35	\$ 6.29	\$ (0.28)	-0.2%	
160	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 74.24	\$132.88	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 78.29	\$ 132.58	\$ 6.76	\$ (0.30)	-0.2%	
170	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 82.49	\$141.13	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 86.99	\$ 140.81	\$ 7.23	\$ (0.32)	-0.2%	
180	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 90.74	\$149.38	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 95.69	\$ 149.04	\$ 7.70	\$ (0.34)	-0.2%	
190	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 98.99	\$157.63	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 104.38	\$ 157.27	\$ 8.17	\$ (0.36)	-0.2%	
200	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 107.24	\$165.88	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 113.08	\$ 165.50	\$ 8.64	\$ (0.38)	-0.2%	
210	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 115.49	\$174.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 121.78	\$ 173.73	\$ 9.11	\$ (0.40)	-0.2%	
220	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 123.74	\$182.37	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 130.48	\$ 181.95	\$ 9.58	\$ (0.42)	-0.2%	
230	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 131.99	\$190.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 139.18	\$ 190.18	\$ 10.05	\$ (0.44)	-0.2%	
240	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 140.24	\$198.87	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 147.88	\$ 198.41	\$ 10.52	\$ (0.46)	-0.2%	
250	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 148.49	\$207.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 156.58	\$ 206.64	\$ 10.99	\$ (0.48)	-0.2%	
260	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 156.73	\$215.37	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 165.28	\$ 214.87	\$ 11.46	\$ (0.50)	-0.2%	
270	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 164.98	\$223.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 173.97	\$ 223.10	\$ 11.93	\$ (0.52)	-0.2%	
280	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 173.23	\$231.87	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 182.67	\$ 231.33	\$ 12.40	\$ (0.54)	-0.2%	
290	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 181.48	\$240.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 191.37	\$ 239.55	\$ 12.87	\$ (0.56)	-0.2%	
300	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 189.73	\$248.37	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 200.07	\$ 247.78	\$ 13.34	\$ (0.58)	-0.2%	
310	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 197.98	\$256.62	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 208.77	\$ 256.01	\$ 13.81	\$ (0.61)	-0.2%	
320	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 206.23	\$264.87	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 217.47	\$ 264.24	\$ 14.28	\$ (0.63)	-0.2%	
330	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 214.48	\$273.12	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 226.17	\$ 272.47	\$ 14.75	\$ (0.65)	-0.2%	
340	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 222.73	\$281.36	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 234.86	\$ 280.70	\$ 15.23	\$ (0.67)	-0.2%	
350	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 230.98	\$289.61	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 243.56	\$ 288.93	\$ 15.70	\$ (0.69)	-0.2%	
360	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 239.23	\$297.86	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 252.26	\$ 297.15	\$ 16.17	\$ (0.71)	-0.2%	
370	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 247.48	\$306.11	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 260.96	\$ 305.38	\$ 16.64	\$ (0.73)	-0.2%	
380	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 255.73	\$314.36	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 269.66	\$ 313.61	\$ 17.11	\$ (0.75)	-0.2%	
390	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 263.97	\$322.61	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 278.36	\$ 321.84	\$ 17.58	\$ (0.77)	-0.2%	
400	\$9.50	\$ 49.14	\$ 272.22	\$330.86	\$ 9.50	\$ 51.56	\$ 287.06	\$ 330.07	\$ 18.05	\$ (0.79)	-0.2%	

**AVISTA UTILITIES  
WASHINGTON NATURAL GAS  
PRESENT AND PROPOSED RATE COMPONENTS BY  
SCHEDULE  
STAFF PROPOSED**

Type of Service (a)	Present Base Distribution Rate (b)	Present Billing Rate Adj. (1) (c)	Present Billing Rate (d)	General Rate Increase (e)	Proposed Billing Rate(1) (g)	Proposed Base Distribution Rate (h)
<b><u>General Service - Schedule 101</u></b>						
Basic Charge	\$9.50		\$9.50	\$0.00	\$9.50	\$9.50
Usage Charge:						
First 70 Therms	\$0.41035	\$0.29159	\$0.70194	\$0.03459	\$0.73653	\$0.44494
All over 70 Therms	\$0.53333	\$0.29159	\$0.82492	\$0.04495	\$0.86987	\$0.57828
<b><u>Large General Service - Schedule 111</u></b>						
Usage Charge:						
First 200 therms	\$0.53780	\$0.29095	\$0.82875	\$0.07950	\$0.90825	\$0.61730
200 - 1,000 therms	\$0.36159	\$0.29095	\$0.65254	(\$0.00714)	\$0.64540	\$0.35445
1,000 - 10,000 therms	\$0.27562	\$0.29095	\$0.56657	(\$0.00544)	\$0.56113	\$0.27018
10,000 - 25,000 therms	\$0.23517	\$0.29095	\$0.52612	(\$0.00464)	\$0.52148	\$0.23053
All over 25,000 therms	\$0.16497	\$0.29095	\$0.45592	(\$0.00326)	\$0.45266	\$0.16171
Minimum Charge:						
per month	\$107.56		\$107.56	\$15.90	\$123.46	\$123.46
per therm	\$0.00000	\$0.29095	\$0.29095		\$0.29095	\$0.00000
<b><u>Interruptible Service - Schedule 132</u></b>						
Usage Charge:						
First 10,000 therms	\$0.27008	\$0.23982	\$0.50990	\$0.00734	\$0.51724	\$0.27742
10,000 - 25,000 therms	\$0.21681	\$0.23982	\$0.45663	\$0.00589	\$0.46252	\$0.22270
25,000 - 50,000 therms	\$0.20373	\$0.23982	\$0.44355	\$0.00553	\$0.44908	\$0.20926
All over 50,000 therms	\$0.18203	\$0.23982	\$0.42185	\$0.00495	\$0.42680	\$0.18698
Annual Minimum per therm	Present:	\$0.27544			Proposed:	\$0.28171
<b><u>Transportation Service - Schedule 146</u></b>						
Basic Charge	\$625.00		\$625.00	\$0.00	\$625.00	\$625.00
Usage Charge:						
First 20,000 therms	\$0.10494	(\$0.00184)	\$0.10310	\$0.00733	\$0.11043	\$0.11227
20,000 - 50,000 therms	\$0.09336	(\$0.00184)	\$0.09152	\$0.00652	\$0.09804	\$0.09988
50,000 - 300,000 therms	\$0.08419	(\$0.00184)	\$0.08235	\$0.00588	\$0.08823	\$0.09007
300,000 - 500,000 therms	\$0.07785	(\$0.00184)	\$0.07601	\$0.00544	\$0.08145	\$0.08329
All over 500,000 therms	\$0.05851	(\$0.00184)	\$0.05667	\$0.00409	\$0.06076	\$0.06260
Annual Minimum per therm	Present:	\$0.09336			Proposed:	\$0.09988

(1) Includes Schedule 150 (Purchase Gas Cost Adjustment), Schedule 155 (Gas Rate Adjustment), Schedule 194 (Remand Rebate), Schedule 175 (Decoupling), Schedule 191 (DSM Adjustment), Schedule 194 (Remand) and Schedule 192 (LIRAP Adjustment).