July 7, 2011

NOTICE OF SCHEDULE MODIFICATION (Updated Public Notice Report is due by August 5, 2011, at Noon)

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, Complainant, v. Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities, Respondent, Dockets UE-110876 and UG-110877, consolidated

On June 20, 2011, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) entered Order 04, a prehearing conference order, which established the procedural schedule in Dockets UE-110876 and UG-110877. Specifically, Order 04 set July 6, 2011, as the deadline for a report on the progress of the public notice. On July 6, 2011, the Public Counsel Section of the Washington Office of Attorney General (Public Counsel) filed a status report asserting that Public Counsel, the Commission's regulatory staff, and Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities (collectively, the parties) are still exchanging drafts of proposed notice language. Public Counsel requests that the Commission set an additional notice reporting deadline for August 5, 2011, by which time the parties hope to have finalized the notice.

Based on the foregoing, the Commission directs Public Counsel to file an updated public notice report on or before noon on August 5, 2011.

Sincerely,

MARGUERITE E. FRIEDLANDER Administrative Law Judge

cc: All Parties