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Steven King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
PO Box 47250
1300 S Evergreen Park Drive SW
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Re: Docket UG-_____
NW Natural's Application Regarding Central Property

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are an original and two copies of NW Natural's Application for an Order Determining that the Central Property is No Longer Useful or, in the Alternative, an Order Authorizing the Sale of the Central Property.

The closing date for the sale of the property is scheduled for October 1, 2013. Therefore, we respectfully request that this matter be determined no later than September 30, 2013.

Please contact this office with any questions.

Very truly yours,

Adam Lowney

Enclosures