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## RE: NW Natural's Third Quarter of 2019 Results of Operations

Dear Mr. Johnson,

Per WAC 480-90-275, submitted is Northwest Natural Gas Company's, dba NW Natural ("NW Natural" or "Company"), Results of Operations for the Third Quarter (July – September) of 2019.

Included within each month's section is a summary of the rate of return on rate base, an income statement presentation of results, a report of operations and maintenance expense broken out by FERC account and a detailed report of operations and maintenance expense which shows the allocation methodology used. Each month's section also includes a report for the 12 months ending each month on the rate of return on rate base and the income statement presentation of results.

Also attached are a report of allocation factors based on 2018 year end results and a report of gross plant and accumulated depreciation for each month of 2019. Finally, volumes, customers and use per customer are presented on a monthly bases for 2019.

Reports are presented with system results, as well as with results for each state. Please feel free to call or email me if you have any questions.

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Sincerely,

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