

AVISTA CORPORATION  
d/b/a Avista Utilities

SCHEDULE 195

OPTIONAL RENEWABLE NATURAL GAS – WASHINGTON

AVAILABLE:

To Customers in the State of Washington where the Company has natural gas service. Customers may participate in one or more available Renewable Natural Gas program options.

APPLICABLE:

To all customers receiving natural gas service who agree to participate in a program option under this schedule.

PROGRAM OPTIONS AND CHARGES:

Low carbon energy program options available to customers will utilize the types of qualifying Renewable natural gas and renewable hydrogen or other qualifying resources as defined in RCW 54.04.190. The initial program option available will be as follows:

Renewable Natural Gas - One (1) block includes the environmental equivalent attributes associated with 1.5 therms of renewable natural gas. Each block is priced at \$5.00 per block, per month.

All program charges are included in the price of the block and shall be in addition to all other charges contained in the customer's applicable tariff schedule.

MONTHLY BILLING:

Renewable Natural Gas - The monthly billing shall be reflective of the number of Renewable Natural Gas block(s) the customer has agreed to purchase multiplied by the Charge per Block. The Monthly Billing is in addition to all other charges contained in customer's applicable tariff schedule.

This schedule's Monthly Billing shall be applied to the customer's billing regardless of actual energy consumption.

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SCHEDULE 195 – Continued

**RENEWABLE NATURAL GAS:**

For the purpose of this schedule, the blocks will include the environmental attributes unbundled from the actual fuel associated with Renewable Natural Gas as defined in RCW 54.04.190, consisting largely of methane and other hydrocarbons derived from the decomposition of organic material in landfills, wastewater treatment facilities, and anaerobic digesters.

The renewable natural gas sourced shall be recognized via the M-RETs tracking system or another tracking system as required by the Washington State legislature.

**PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION:**

To ensure that all costs and benefits of this program are only applied to program participants, all funds collected and spent under this schedule will be separately identified and tracked. Funds may include program costs (e.g.: program management, accounting, communications, etc.) as well as to match block subscriptions to Renewable Natural Gas environmental attribute purchases.

**SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

1. Service under this schedule is subject to the Rules and Regulations contained in this tariff.
2. Customers may apply for, or terminate participation from, this schedule anytime during the year.
3. Program may be temporarily closed or 'sold-out' to new program subscribers if there is insufficient renewable natural gas inventory available.
4. The above Monthly Billing is subject to increases as set forth in Tax Adjustment Schedule 158.

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