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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Amanda Maxwell, Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, Washington 98503

Re: Schedule 41 – Non-Residential Sales and Transportation Service Schedule 42 – Large Volume Non-Residential Sale and Transportation Service

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural or Company), files herewith the following revisions to its Tariff WN U-6, stated to become effective March 1, 2023.

Ninth Revision of Sheet 141-2	Schedule 41	Non-Residential Sales and Transportation Service (continued)
Sixth Revision of Sheet 141-3	Schedule 41	Non-Residential Sales and Transportation Service (continued)
Ninth Revision of Schedule 142-2	Schedule 42	Large Volume Non-Residential Sale and Transportation Service (continued)
Eighth Revision of Schedule 142-3	Schedule 42	Large Volume Non-Residential Sale and Transportation Service (continued)

Purpose

The purpose of this filing is to request revision of the Schedules 41 and 42 to change the Annual Service Election from July 31 to June 30 for the annual November 1 through October 31 Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) Year.

Background

The Annual Service Election is the date by which a Customer may request to change all or a portion of their Service Type Selection for the following November 1 through October 31 period (PGA Year). When there is no Customer requested change under this Annual Service Election provision, then for the next PGA Year commencing November 1 the Customer's Service Type and related billing options, including the Commodity Component option for Sales Service Types, will default to the same Service Type and billing options that are in effect at the close of the current Annual Service Election period.

Proposed Changes

NW Natural is proposing to change the Annual Service Election from July 31 to June 30. Moving the Annual Service Election to June 30 will not only align the date between Oregon and Washington but also allows the July load forecast, which estimates the PGA usage, to incorporate the latest election changes.

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Conclusion

NW Natural respectfully requests that the Commission approve the proposed revisions of the enclosed tariff sheets to become effective with service on and after March 1, 2023.

Copies of this letter and the attached filing are available in the Company's main office in Portland, Oregon, and on its website at www.nwnatural.com.

Please address correspondence on this matter to me with copies to the following:

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Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments:

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