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

RE: UE-22____ and UG-22____ - Petition of Avista Corporation For an Order Authorizing Deferral of Costs Related to the Increase in the Regulatory Fee Approved in Senate Bill 5634

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities (Avista or the Company), hereby submits for electronic filing with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission), its Petition for an order authorizing deferral of costs related to the increase in the regulatory fee approved in Senate Bill 5634.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (509) 495-2782 or shawn.bonfield@avistacorp.com.

Sincerely,

|s|Shawn Bonfield

Shawn Bonfield Sr. Manager of Regulatory Policy & Strategy