

02/24/21 14:20

State Of WASH.
UTIL. AND TRANSP.
COMMISSION

February 24, 2021

Washington State Utilities and Transportation Commission,

I would like to offer a comment on the Avista rate case, proceeding UE-200301 or UG-190724. I support Time-Of-Use Billing in Washington State. There are many advantages to Time-Of-Use Billing, not least of which is the ability to minimize the need for new power plants as demand for power increases. I understand that the increasing use of electric vehicles will also create demand in addition to any associated with population increase. Whether this issue is addressed in the Integrated Rate Plan, the general rate case, or in the energy plan (or all of them), it would seem to be a relatively simple policy change that would increase the efficiency of energy allocation.

John Trombold
Spokane