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BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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REPRESENTING AVISTA CORPORATION

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BR+SV GROWTH RATE

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|----|----------------------|--------|--------|-------------|------------|----------|--------|------------|------|----------|----------|--------|---------|
| | | | 2024 | | Adjustment | | | | | " | | | |
| | Company | EPS | DPS | BVPS | b | <u>r</u> | Factor | Adjusted r | br | S | V | SV | br + sv |
| 1 | Algonquin Pwr & Util | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| 2 | ALLETE | \$4.25 | \$2.90 | \$51.75 | 31.8% | 8.2% | 1.0233 | 8.4% | 2.7% | 0.0145 | 0.3323 | 0.48% | 3.2% |
| 3 | Ameren Corp. | \$4.50 | \$2.45 | \$44.50 | 45.6% | 10.1% | 1.0398 | 10.5% | 4.8% | 0.0303 | 0.3862 | 1.17% | 6.0% |
| 4 | Avangrid, Inc. | \$2.50 | \$1.80 | \$51.75 | 28.0% | 4.8% | 1.0048 | 4.9% | 1.4% | (0.0000) | (0.2176) | 0.00% | 1.4% |
| 5 | Avista Corp. | \$2.50 | \$1.90 | \$31.75 | 24.0% | 7.9% | 1.0182 | 8.0% | 1.9% | 0.0277 | 0.3952 | 1.10% | 3.0% |
| 6 | Black Hills Corp. | \$4.25 | \$2.75 | \$46.75 | 35.3% | 9.1% | 1.0232 | 9.3% | 3.3% | 0.0134 | 0.3968 | 0.53% | 3.8% |
| 7 | CenterPoint Energy | \$1.60 | \$0.80 | \$15.25 | 50.0% | 10.5% | 1.0384 | 10.9% | 5.4% | 0.0700 | 0.2907 | 2.04% | 7.5% |
| 8 | CMS Energy Corp. | \$3.50 | \$2.15 | \$25.50 | 38.6% | 13.7% | 1.0429 | 14.3% | 5.5% | 0.0283 | 0.6077 | 1.72% | 7.2% |
| 9 | DTE Energy Co. | \$8.50 | \$5.20 | \$79.25 | 38.8% | 10.7% | 1.0326 | 11.1% | 4.3% | 0.0229 | 0.4339 | 0.99% | 5.3% |
| 10 | Edison International | \$5.25 | \$3.00 | \$46.50 | 42.9% | 11.3% | 1.0285 | 11.6% | 5.0% | 0.0150 | 0.4188 | 0.63% | 5.6% |
| 11 | Emera Inc. | \$4.00 | \$2.76 | \$44.95 | 31.0% | 8.9% | 1.0257 | 9.1% | 2.8% | 0.0252 | 0.3800 | 0.96% | 3.8% |
| 12 | Entergy Corp. | \$7.00 | \$4.55 | \$64.00 | 35.0% | 10.9% | 1.0267 | 11.2% | 3.9% | 0.0204 | 0.4776 | 0.97% | 4.9% |
| 13 | Exelon Corp. | \$3.50 | \$1.90 | \$40.25 | 45.7% | 8.7% | 1.0220 | 8.9% | 4.1% | 0.0043 | 0.1950 | 0.08% | 4.1% |
| 14 | FirstEnergy Corp. | \$3.25 | \$1.90 | \$20.50 | 41.5% | 15.9% | 1.0535 | 16.7% | 6.9% | 0.0345 | 0.5900 | 2.04% | 9.0% |
| 15 | Hawaiian Elec. | \$2.00 | \$1.40 | \$24.50 | 30.0% | 8.2% | 1.0203 | 8.3% | 2.5% | 0.0130 | 0.3000 | 0.39% | 2.9% |
| 16 | IDACORP, Inc. | \$5.50 | \$3.55 | \$58.00 | 35.5% | 9.5% | 1.0167 | 9.6% | 3.4% | (0.0001) | 0.4200 | -0.01% | 3.4% |
| 17 | NorthWestern Corp. | \$3.75 | \$2.80 | \$45.75 | 25.3% | 8.2% | 1.0169 | 8.3% | 2.1% | 0.0162 | 0.3900 | 0.63% | 2.7% |
| 18 | OGE Energy Corp. | \$2.50 | \$1.95 | \$20.50 | 22.0% | 12.2% | 0.9992 | 12.2% | 2.7% | (0.0002) | 0.5684 | -0.01% | 2.7% |
| 19 | Otter Tail Corp. | \$2.75 | \$1.80 | \$23.25 | 34.5% | 11.8% | 1.0227 | 12.1% | 4.2% | 0.0203 | 0.5571 | 1.13% | 5.3% |
| 20 | PNM Resources | \$2.75 | \$1.50 | \$29.25 | 45.5% | 9.4% | 1.0468 | 9.8% | 4.5% | 0.0450 | 0.3500 | 1.57% | 6.0% |
| 21 | Sempra Energy | \$9.50 | \$5.60 | \$88.75 | 41.1% | 10.7% | 1.0533 | 11.3% | 4.6% | 0.0578 | 0.4621 | 2.67% | 7.3% |

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|----|----------------------|----------|----------------|---------------|----------|----------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|----------|----------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| | | 2019 | | | 2024 | | | Chg | hg 2024 | | | _ | Common Shares | | |
| | Company | Eq Ratio | <u>Tot Cap</u> | <u>Com Eq</u> | Eq Ratio | <u>Tot Cap</u> | <u>Com Eq</u> | <u>Equity</u> | <u>High</u> | Low | Avg. | <u>M/B</u> | <u>2019</u> | <u>2024</u> | Growth |
| 1 | Algonquin Pwr & Util | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| 2 | ALLETE | 61.4% | \$3,633 | \$2,231 | 59.0% | \$4,775 | \$2,817 | 4.8% | \$90.00 | \$65.00 | \$77.50 | 1.498 | 51.70 | 54.25 | 0.97% |
| 3 | Ameren Corp. | 47.1% | \$17,116 | \$8,062 | 49.0% | \$24,500 | \$12,005 | 8.3% | \$85.00 | \$60.00 | \$72.50 | 1.629 | 246.20 | 270.00 | 1.86% |
| 4 | Avangrid, Inc. | 69.4% | \$21,953 | \$15,235 | 57.5% | \$27,800 | \$15,985 | 1.0% | \$50.00 | \$35.00 | \$42.50 | 0.821 | 309.01 | 309.00 | 0.00% |
| 5 | Avista Corp. | 50.6% | \$3,835 | \$1,940 | 49.0% | \$4,750 | \$2,328 | 3.7% | \$60.00 | \$45.00 | \$52.50 | 1.654 | 67.18 | 73.00 | 1.68% |
| 6 | Black Hills Corp. | 42.9% | \$5,502 | \$2,360 | 48.0% | \$6,200 | \$2,976 | 4.7% | \$90.00 | \$65.00 | \$77.50 | 1.658 | 61.48 | 64.00 | 0.81% |
| 7 | CenterPoint Energy | 29.1% | \$22,603 | \$6,577 | 42.0% | \$23,000 | \$9,660 | 8.0% | \$25.00 | \$18.00 | \$21.50 | 1.410 | 502.24 | 640.00 | 4.97% |
| 8 | CMS Energy Corp. | 29.4% | \$17,082 | \$5,022 | 32.0% | \$24,100 | \$7,712 | 9.0% | \$75.00 | \$55.00 | \$65.00 | 2.549 | 283.86 | 300.00 | 1.11% |
| 9 | DTE Energy Co. | 42.3% | \$27,607 | \$11,678 | 41.5% | \$39,000 | \$16,185 | 6.7% | \$160.00 | \$120.00 | \$140.00 | 1.767 | 192.21 | 205.00 | 1.30% |
| 10 | Edison International | 39.9% | \$33,360 | \$13,311 | 37.5% | \$47,200 | \$17,700 | 5.9% | \$95.00 | \$65.00 | \$80.00 | 1.720 | 361.99 | 378.00 | 0.87% |
| 11 | Emera Inc. | 38.5% | \$22,245 | \$8,566 | 46.4% | \$23,875 | \$11,075 | 5.3% | \$85.00 | \$60.00 | \$72.50 | 1.613 | 242.48 | 262.00 | 1.56% |
| 12 | Entergy Corp. | 37.1% | \$27,557 | \$10,224 | 39.5% | \$33,800 | \$13,351 | 5.5% | \$140.00 | \$105.00 | \$122.50 | 1.914 | 199.15 | 210.00 | 1.07% |
| 13 | Exelon Corp. | 50.4% | \$63,943 | \$32,227 | 50.0% | \$80,300 | \$40,150 | 4.5% | \$60.00 | \$40.00 | \$50.00 | 1.242 | 973.00 | 990.00 | 0.35% |
| 14 | FirstEnergy Corp. | 26.2% | \$26,593 | \$6,967 | 34.0% | \$35,000 | \$11,900 | 11.3% | \$60.00 | \$40.00 | \$50.00 | 2.439 | 540.65 | 580.00 | 1.42% |
| 15 | Hawaiian Elec. | 54.6% | \$4,177 | \$2,281 | 51.5% | \$5,425 | \$2,794 | 4.1% | \$40.00 | \$30.00 | \$35.00 | 1.429 | 108.97 | 114.00 | 0.91% |
| 16 | IDACORP, Inc. | 58.7% | \$4,201 | \$2,466 | 53.5% | \$5,450 | \$2,916 | 3.4% | \$115.00 | \$85.00 | \$100.00 | 1.724 | 50.42 | 50.40 | -0.01% |
| 17 | NorthWestern Corp. | 47.5% | \$4,290 | \$2,038 | 50.0% | \$4,825 | \$2,413 | 3.4% | \$85.00 | \$65.00 | \$75.00 | 1.639 | 50.45 | 53.00 | 0.99% |
| 18 | OGE Energy Corp. | 56.4% | \$7,335 | \$4,137 | 51.0% | \$8,050 | \$4,106 | -0.2% | \$55.00 | \$40.00 | \$47.50 | 2.317 | 200.10 | 200.00 | -0.01% |
| 19 | Otter Tail Corp. | 53.1% | \$1,471 | \$781 | 53.0% | \$1,850 | \$981 | 4.7% | \$60.00 | \$45.00 | \$52.50 | 2.258 | 40.16 | 42.00 | 0.90% |
| 20 | PNM Resources | 39.9% | \$4,208 | \$1,679 | 49.0% | \$5,475 | \$2,683 | 9.8% | \$55.00 | \$35.00 | \$45.00 | 1.538 | 79.65 | 92.00 | 2.92% |
| 21 | Sempra Energy | 43.4% | \$40,734 | \$17,679 | 51.5% | \$58,500 | \$30,128 | 11.3% | \$190.00 | \$140.00 | \$165.00 | 1.859 | 291.71 | 340.00 | 3.11% |

(a) The Value Line Investment Survey (Jul. 24, Aug. 14 and Sep. 11, 2020).

- (h) Average of High and Low expected market prices divided by 2024 BVPS.
- (e) Computed as 1 B/M Ratio.
- (b) Computed using the formula 2*(1+5-Yr. Change in Equity)/(2+5 Yr. Change in Equity).
- (g) Five-year compound rate of change.
- (c) Product of average year-end "r" for 2024 and Adjustment Factor.
- (d) Product of change in common shares outstanding and M/B Ratio.
- (f) Product of total capital and equity ratio.