



Via: Electronic Mail

April 30, 2013

Mr. Steve King, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive, S.W.
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Avista Utilities 2012 Natural Gas Commission Basis Report Pursuant to
WAC 480-090-257

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed for filing is an electronic copy of Avista Utilities 2012 Natural Gas Commission Basis Report. The original and two copies are being provided via overnight mail. The Company's report is being filed pursuant to WAC 480-090-257 and is based on the period of twelve months ended December 31, 2012. This report is being supplied for informational purposes only.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (509) 495-8601.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Liz M. Andrews".

Liz M. Andrews
Manager, Revenue Requirements

Enclosure