October 6, 2006

NOTICE OF PREHEARING CONFERENCE

(Monday, October 9, 2006, at 8:30 a.m.)

Re: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Cascade Natural Gas Corporation, Docket UG-060256

TO ALL PARTIES:

The evidentiary hearing in this proceeding is scheduled to begin on Monday, October 9, 2006, at 9:30 a.m. After the parties provided the Commission with estimates of cross-examination time on Wednesday, October 4, 2006, certain parties have entered into partial settlements and additional settlement discussions are underway. In order to discuss any changes to the proposed schedule for the hearing and to discuss stipulations filed with the Commission, it is necessary to hold a prehearing conference prior to the start of the hearing.

THE COMMISSION GIVES NOTICE That a prehearing conference in this matter will be held on Monday, October 9, 2006, beginning at 8:30 a.m. in Room 206, $2^{\rm nd}$ Floor, Chandler Plaza Building, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W., Olympia, Washington.

Sincerely,

ANN E. RENDAHL Administrative Law Judge