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NWN Advice No. WUTC 11-1

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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Re: Housekeeping Filing

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural ("NW Natural" or the "Company"), files herewith the following revisions and additions to its Tariff WN U-6 stated to become effective on and after **April 29, 2011**:

Sixth Revision of Sheet 200.1,
Schedule 200,
"Summary of Adjustments,"

and

Eleventh Revision of Sheet 215.1,
Schedule 215,
"Energy Efficiency Service and Programs."

The purpose of this housekeeping filing is to revise Schedule 200 to correctly show the applicability of Schedule 215 and to change Schedule 215 to state that costs associated with the residential and commercial energy efficiency program are amortized on an equal cost per margin basis.

The Company respectfully requests that the tariff sheets filed herein be approved to become effective with service on and after **April 29, 2011**.

As required by WAC 480-80-103(4)(a), I certify that I have authority to issue tariff revisions on behalf of NW Natural.

A copy of the filing is available for public inspection in the Company's main office in Portland, Oregon and on its website at www.nwnatural.com.

Please address correspondence on this matter to me with copies to the following:

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Sincerely,

/s/ Jennifer Gross

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Tariff and Regulatory Compliance

NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS COMPANY

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Sixth Revision of Sheet 200.1

Cancels Fifth Revision of Sheet 200.1

SCHEDULE 200 SUMMARY OF ADJUSTMENTS

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Schedule is to list and summarize the adjustment Schedules applicable to each of the Company's Rate Schedules.

SCHEDULE	A	201	203	207	210	215	220	230
R1	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
C1	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
2	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
03CSF	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
03ISF	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC		INC	INC
10	ADD			INC				
27	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
C41SF	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
C41SI	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
C41TF	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
I41SF	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC		INC	INC
I41SI	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC		INC	INC
I41TF	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
C42SF	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
C42SI	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC	INC
C42TF	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
C42TI	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
I42SF	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC		INC	INC
I42SI	ADD	INC	INC	INC	INC		INC	INC
I42TF	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
I42TI	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
C43TI/I43TI	ADD	INC		INC	INC			
C43TF/I43TF	ADD	INC		INC	INC			

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Table Code Key:

ADD This adjustment is added to the billing rates at the time the bill is issued.

INC This adjustment is included in the billing rates shown on the Rate Schedule

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Eleventh Revision of Sheet 215.1

Cancels Tenth Revision of Sheet 215.1

SCHEDULE 215 ADJUSTMENT TO RATES ENERGY EFFICIENCY SERVICE AND PROGRAMS

PURPOSE:

To identify adjustments to rates in the Rate Schedules listed below for the amortization, with interest, of balances in a deferred account that recover costs associated with providing energy conservation services offered under Schedule G, "Energy Efficiency Services and Programs" of this Tariff.

APPLICABLE:

To Sales Service Customers throughout the Company's service territory in Washington that take service under the Rate Schedules listed herein.

Schedule 1	Schedule 3 CSF	Schedule 41 CSF/CSI	(C)
Schedule 2	Schedule 27	Schedule 42CSF/CSI	

APPLICATION TO RATE SCHEDULES:

Effective: November 1, 2010

Each year, in accordance with the terms agreed to in Docket No. U-091044, Sales Service rates for the Rate Schedules listed below will be adjusted on an equal cents per margin basis, to recover the actual costs of energy conservation programs incurred during the most recent 12-month period October 1 through September 30. Adjustments to rates shall be made coincident with the Company's annual Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) filing, or at such other time as the Commission may authorize.

(C)

The rates in the Rate Schedules listed below include the following adjustments:

Schedule	Block	Schedule G Energy Efficiency
1R		\$0.03168
1C		\$0.02478
2		\$0.01871
3 (CSF)		\$0.01672
27		\$0.01241
41 (CSF)	Block 1	\$0.01306
	Block 2	\$0.01151
41 (CSI)	Block 1	\$0.01257
	Block 2	\$0.01108
42(CSF)	Block 1	\$0.00963
	Block 2	\$0.00862
	Block 3	\$0.00661
	Block 4	\$0.00529
	Block 5	\$0.00353
	Block 6	\$0.00132
42(CSI)	Block 1	\$0.00578
	Block 2	\$0.00517
	Block 3	\$0.00396
	Block 4	\$0.00317
	Block 5	\$0.00211
	Block 6	\$0.00079

GENERAL TERMS:

This schedule is governed by the terms of this Schedule, the General Rules and Regulations contained in this Tariff and by all rules and regulations prescribed by regulatory authorities, as amended from time to time.

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