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Northwest Natural Gas Company  
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RE: Schedule I, WA Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program Tariff  
Revisions

Dear Rick,

The Energy Project is in support of the revisions to the Schedule I, WA Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program Tariff revisions, which includes increasing the Health and Safety and Repair (HSR) allowance reimbursement to an average of \$1,000 per project over the course of the contract year. This change to the HSR allowance reimbursement will allow for more comprehensive projects to be completed in low-income homes and will very likely reduce the number of deferred projects resulting from needed repairs.

The Energy Project is appreciative of Northwest Natural's continued attention to serving the needs of low-income households in their Washing State territory.

Best Regards,



the  
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