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October 13, 2017

Mr. Steven V. King  
Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission  
P.O. Box 47250  
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

**Re:** Cascade Natural Gas Hedging Plan

Dear Mr. King:

Cascade Natural Gas Corporation (“Cascade” or “Company”) hereby encloses for filing the attached hedging plan.

As directed by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission Staff in its October 13, 2017 communication to the companies, enclosed is the Company’s 2017-18 Hedging Plan. This plan was originally filed as an attachment to Cascade’s PGA filing, which was filed in Docket No. UG-171010 on Sept. 29, 2017.

The information contained in the plan is confidential pursuant to WAC 480-07-160(2)(c) as the plan contains valuable commercial information. Details regarding Cascade’s price forecast development, projected WACOGs along with the Company’s procurement and hedging strategies could put Cascade at a negotiation disadvantage when contracting for physical supplies or hedging opportunities. This in turn could potentially negatively impact the gas costs paid by ratepayers.

If you have any questions, please direct them to me at (509) 734-4593.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Michael Parvinen*

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