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July 25, 2022

Amanda Maxwell Executive Director and Secretary Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission 621 Woodland Square Loop SE Lacey, WA 98503

Re: Docket No. UE-210804 – Developing a Commission jurisdictional specific costeffectiveness test for distributed energy resources incorporating CETA

Dear Ms. Maxwell,

Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities (Avista or the Company), has reviewed the Policy Inventory and DER impacts template attached to the Notice of Opportunity to File Written Comments (Notice) issued by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) on July 5, 2022 in the above-captioned docket. Due to resource constraints Avista was unable to fully complete the template at this time. However, Avista has reviewed the template filed by Puget Sound Energy (PSE) and generally supports the information PSE has provided. Avista may treat certain elements differently, such as our incorporation of Non-Energy Impacts and Demand Response, but for the most part, Avista is aligned with what PSE provided. Please questions regarding 509-495-2782 direct any these comments to me at shawn.bonfield@avistacorp.com.

Sincerely,

## Is/Shawn Bonfield

Shawn Bonfield Sr. Manager of Regulatory Policy & Strategy