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Via UTC Web Portal

Steven V. King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W.
P.O. Box 47250
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Re: Avista Utilities 2017 Low Income Rate Assistance Program Report

Dear Mr. King,

Pursuant to authorizations in Docket Nos. UE-010436 and UG-010437, attached for electronic filing with the Commission is a copy of Avista Utilities' Low-Income Rate Assistance Program (LIRAP) Annual Summary Report for the program period October 1, 2016 through September 31, 2017.

Please contact me at (509) 495-4975 or Ana Matthews at (509) 495-7979 or Ryan Finesilver at (509) 495-4873 regarding any related matters.

Sincerely,

/s/Linda M. Gervais/

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