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Glenn and Bob:

We have taken a look at this item and reviewed the Staff memorandum. It appears the Staff has done a careful factual investigation and made a well-reasoned recommendation. Historically, the WUTC has done a good job in reviewing this type of request and applying the factors it has developed to determine whether requests are appropriate, balancing local needs for service with broad company ratepayer interests. We do not plan to take a position on this request. Thank you for contacting us. Please feel free to call me if you would like to discuss this further.