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*VIA Electronic Mail*

David Danner

Executive Director

Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission

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Dear Mr. Danner:

RE: Avista Utilities Compliance Filing with WAC 480-109-010

In compliance with RCW 19.285 and WAC 480-109-010, Avista Corporation, respectfully submits its “2012-2013 Biennial Conservation Plan.” Appended to the plan is the Company’s “2012 DSM Business Plan,” and the “2012 Evaluation, Measurement & Verification Annual Plan.” The term “conservation” will be used interchangeably with energy efficiency and demand-side management (“DSM”) throughout this filing. If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Bruce Folsom at 509-495-8706 or myself at 509-495-4975.

Sincerely,

/s/Linda Gervais//

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