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

RE: Cascade Natural Gas Corporation 2014 Integrated Resource Plan  
(Docket **UG-140181**)

Dear Mr. King:

Subsequent to recent discussions with Commission Staff in regards to a medical emergency, Cascade Natural Gas Corporation respectfully requests an extension of the filing deadline for the upcoming Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) from May 29, 2015 to July 17, 2015.

With this extension Cascade has agreed to also run a scenario where the amount of Washington conservation modeled in the IRP for cost-effectiveness be equivalent to 100% of the achievable economic potential (with administrative costs included).

Attached is the proposed work plan and schedule based on the requested extension being granted.

If there are any questions regarding this matter, please contact Brian Robertson at (509) 734-4546 or myself at (509) 734-4589. Alternatively, we may be reached at [brian.robertson@cngc.com](mailto:brian.robertson@cngc.com) and [mark.sellers-vaughn@cngc.com](mailto:mark.sellers-vaughn@cngc.com).

Sincerely,  
CASCADE NATURAL GAS CORPORATION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Sellers-Vaughn". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mark Sellers-Vaughn  
Manager, Supply Resource Planning

Enclosures

Date	Reason	Location
<b>Tuesday, June 24, 2014</b>	<b>TAG 1: Process, Key Assumptions (IRP Team, Timeline, Highlights Most Recent IRPs, Latest Economic Indicators, Price Forecast and Demand Forecast Methodology and High Level Presentation of 20 Yr Forecast)</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Tuesday, September 02, 2014	Distribute Supplemental Forecast #1	
<b>Tuesday, September 16, 2014</b>	<b>Workshop #1: Open discussion and live walk through of the forecast model</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Tuesday, November 11, 2014	Distribute Supplemental Forecast #2	
<b>Thursday, November 20, 2014</b>	<b>Workshop #2: Open discussion and live walk through of the forecast model</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Wednesday, November 26, 2014	Create TAG #2/Workshop #3 Presentation	
Wednesday, November 26, 2014	Approve TAG #2/Workshop #3 Presentation	
Wednesday, November 26, 2014	Distribute TAG #2/Workshop #3 Presentation	
<b>Tuesday, December 02, 2014</b>	<b>Workshop #3: Open discussion and live walk through of the forecast model</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Wednesday, December 10, 2014	Deliver Draft Avoided Cost Calc to Conservation	
Wednesday, December 10, 2014	Engineering 3 YR Outlook Deliver Draft Avoided Cost Calc to Conservation	
Wednesday, December 10, 2014	Conservation Study/Presentation	
Monday, December 29, 2014	Create Tag #2 Presentation	
Friday, January 2, 2015	Approve Tag #2 Presentation	
Friday, January 2, 2015	Distribute Tag #2 Presentation	
<b>Tuesday, January 13, 2015</b>	<b>TAG 2: (Drilling down into the segments of 20 Yr. Demand Forecast, Current Supply Resources,)</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Tuesday, January 20, 2015	Economic Resource Optimization (Sendout)	
Tuesday, January 27, 2015	Review and Approve Resource Optimization	
Tuesday, February 10, 2015	Create TAG #3 Presentation	
Thursday, February 12, 2015	Approve TAG #3 Presentation	
Thursday, February 12, 2015	Distribute TAG #3 Presentation	
<b>Thursday, February 19, 2015</b>	<b>TAG 3: Conservation, Current Supply Resource</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Monday, February 27, 2015	Work begins on IRP Draft (conservation and system overview, supply resources)	
Tuesday, March 25, 2015	Create TAG #4 Presentation	
Thursday, March 27, 2015	Approve TAG #4 Presentation	
Thursday, March 27, 2015	Distribute TAG #4 Presentation	
<b>Wednesday, April 1, 2015</b>	<b>TAG 4: Transport Issues, Alternative Resources, SENDOUT Scenarios, Avoided</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>

	<b>Costs, Price Forecast</b>	
Thursday, June 2, 2015	Create TAG #5 Presentation	
Thursday, June 2, 2015	Approve TAG #5 Presentation	
Thursday, June 2, 2015	Distribute TAG #5 Presentation	
<b>Tuesday, June 9, 2015</b>	<b>TAG 5: Integration Results, Distribution Enhancements, Update on 2 Year Plan</b>	<b>Portland Airport Conference Center</b>
Friday, June 12, 2015	Internal Approval of IRP Draft	
Friday, June 19, 2015	Draft of IRP distributed	
Friday, July 3, 2015	Comments due on draft from all stakeholders	
Monday, July 6, 2015	Update IRP per all stakeholder Comments	
Thursday, July 9, 2015	IRP Internal Review	
<b>Friday, July 17, 2015</b>	<b>IRP filing (OR and WA) combined/concurrent single document</b>	