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NW Natural's ANNUAL COMMISSION BASIS REPORT (For the 12 months ended December 31, 2022)

Dated: April 28, 2023

NW Natural

Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022

Line <u>No.</u>	Test Year <u>Results</u> (a)	Adjustments (b)	Test Year Adjusted (c)
Operating Revenues	(4)	(0)	(0)
1 Sale of Gas	\$107,562,597	-\$3,496,707	\$104,065,891
2 Transportation	2,388,654	0	2,388,654
3 Miscellaneous Revenues	-4,489,501	57,601	-4,431,900
4 Total Operating Revenues	105,461,750	-3,439,106	102,022,644
Margin		-,,	60,734,658
Operating Revenue Deductions			,,
5 Gas Purchased	\$44,037,912	-\$2,749,926	\$41,287,986
6 Uncollectible Accrual for Gas S		74,059	184,537
7 Other Operating & Maintenanc		73,215	21,850,845
8 Total Operating & Maintenan		-2,602,651	63,323,368
9 Federal Income Tax	2,490,076	-144,629	2,345,447
10 Property Taxes	1,717,922	0	1,717,922
11 Other Taxes	5,217,156	-146,231	5,070,925
12 Depreciation & Amortization	13,533,847	0	13,533,847
13 Total Operating Revenue Dec	luctions \$88,885,020	-\$2,893,511	\$85,991,509
14 Net Operating Revenues	\$16,576,730	-\$545,595	\$16,031,135
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<u>Average Rate Base</u>			
15 Utility Plant in Service	\$460,744,930	-\$70,814	\$460,674,116
16 Accumulated Depreciation	-172,187,237	0	-172,187,237
17 Net Utility Plant	288,557,693	-70,814	288,486,879
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18 Working Capital	3,930,135	0	3,930,135
19 Storage Gas	2,911,368	0	2,911,368
20 Customer Advances	-3,271,483	0	-3,271,483
21 Leasehold Improvements	2,944,403	0	2,944,403
22 Accumulated Deferred Income T	axes -41,607,665	0	-41,607,665
23 Total Rate Base	\$253,464,452	-\$70,814	\$253,393,638
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24 Rate of Return	6.54%	_	6.33%
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25 Return on Common Equity	9.09%	=	8.66%

NW Natural State Allocation Factors Updated for year ended 2022 data

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Customers	System	Washington	Oregon
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Total Customers	70.4.407	00.000	600 404
December 2022	794,497	96,003	698,494
December 2021	785,897	94,092	691,805
Average	790,197	95,048	695,150
% of System		12.03%	87.97%
Residential Customers			
December 2022	724,287	88,730	635,557
December 2021	714,000	84,738	629,262
Average	719,144	86,734	632,410
% of System		12.06%	87.94%
Commercial Customers			
December 2022	69,234	7,200	62,034
December 2021	68,961	7,325	61,636
Average	69,098	7,263	61,835
% of System		10.51%	89.49%
Industrial Customers			
December 2022	976	73	903
December 2021	978	71	907
Average	977	72	905
% of System		7.37%	92.63%
The Dalles			
December 2022	8,749	2,198	6,551
December 2021	8,665	2,179	6,486
Average	8,707	2,189	6,519
% of System	5,707	25.13%	74.87%
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NW Natural State Allocation Factors Updated for year ended 2022 data Volumes - 12 Months Ended 12/31/22			
Firm Sales Delivered	811,887,559	89,840,587	722,046,972
% of System		11.07%	88.93%
Sales Volumes	878,660,879	87,793,271	790,867,608
% of System		9.99%	90.01%
Sendout Volumes	1,259,961,618	111,423,396	1,148,538,222
% of System		8.84%	91.16%
3-factor formula (simple average) Gross Plant Directly Assigned		12.27%	87.73%
Number of Employees Directly Assigned	_	10.13%	89.87%
Number of Customers		12.03%	87.97%
Average		11.48%	88.52%

Derivation of factor for 3-factor - Gross Plant Directly Assigned

December 31, 2022	System	Washington	Oregon
Intangible - Other Production	84,795 675,198	447 0	84,348 675,198
Transmission	232,435,660	•	•
Distribution	2,721,579,656	356,478,905	2,365,100,751
December 31, 2021	System	Washington	Oregon
Intangible	84,795	447	84,348
Production	675,198	0	675,198
Transmission	207,852,729		
Distribution	2,606,701,502	344,497,651	2,262,203,851
Average	System	Washington	Oregon
Intangible - Other	84,795	447	84,348
Production	675,198	0	675,198
Transmission	220,144,195	3,598,211	216,545,983
Distribution	2,664,140,579	350,488,278	2,313,652,301
Gross Plant Directly Assigned % of System	2,885,044,767	354,086,936 12.27%	2,530,957,831 87.73%

Allocation Factors - Summary	Washington	Oregon
Customers-all	12.030%	87.970%
Customers-Residential	12.060%	87.940%
Customers-Commercial	10.510%	89.490%
Customers-Industrial	7.370%	92.630%
Customers-The Dalles	25.130%	74.870%
3-factor	11.480%	88.520%
firm sales volumes	11.070%	88.930%
sales volumes	9.990%	90.010%
sendout volumes	8.840%	91.160%
sales/sendout volumes	9.410%	90.590%
Customers Portland/Vancouver	16.220%	83.780%
Customers Portland/Vancouver 80%	12.980%	87.020%
Customers Portland/Vancouver Commercial	15.790%	84.210%
Payroll	9.039%	90.961%
Admin Transfer	11.759%	88.241%
Employee Cost	9.773%	90.227%
Regulatory	30.000%	70.000%
Telemetering	12.727%	87.273%
Direct-Wa	100.000%	0.000%
Direct-Or	0.000%	100.000%
Gross plant direct assign	12.270%	87.730%
Transmission	1.240%	98.760%
Accum Depreciation	10.900%	89.100%
Rate Base	13.940%	86.060%

Rate Base															
	2021	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	2022	Dec 21 - Dec 22	
	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	13 month average	
SYSTEM															
	System	Allocation Method													
Gross Plant															
Intangible Software	177,438,535	177,727,509	178,302,908	176,340,709	176,366,079	176,368,622	176,399,835	177,210,677	177,316,380	249,129,359	274,072,939	248,145,478	248,470,716		Total Customers
Other	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	84,795	
Production	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	
Transmission	207,852,729	207,860,384	208,457,213	208,996,043	211,728,593	216,247,229	217,045,993	217,057,599	217,062,056	217,949,412	229,661,117	229,954,076	232,438,997	216,847,131	
Distribution	2,606,701,502	2,608,348,147	2,614,047,812	2,622,763,048	2,627,507,604	2,632,762,387	2,647,892,029	2,651,625,377	2,657,213,800	2,664,988,579	2,699,439,914	2,705,143,296	2,721,579,656	2,649,656,048	
General	322,820,353	323,381,116	324,242,372	323,160,414	323,729,870	323,608,422	325,485,101	326,206,792	326,504,568	342,303,360	382,243,463	374,637,325	375,588,941	337,058,954	3-Factor & Direct
Storage and storage transmission CNG and LNG	386,258,607 3,790,768	386,344,069 3,790,768	386,576,099 3,790,768	387,991,685 3,790,768	388,599,664 3,790,768	392,768,660 3,790,768	394,385,222 3,790,768	401,174,570 3,790,768	403,562,064 3,790,768	415,362,838 3,790,768	419,829,452 3,790,768	420,310,007 3,790,768	420,632,120 3,790,768	400,029,141 3,790,768	Firm Delivered Volurr 3-Factor
Gas Reserves	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	Direct
Total Gross Plant (less Gas Reserves)	3,705,622,487	3,708,211,987	3,716,177,164	3,723,802,661	3,732,482,571	3,746,306,082	3,765,758,941	3,777,825,776	3,786,209,630	3,894,284,311	4,009,797,646	3,982,740,945	4,003,261,191	3,808,169,963	
Accumulated Depreciation															
Intangible	(80,092,795)	(81,057,060)	(82,024,551)	(80,718,126)	(81,682,760)	(82,647,424)	(83,611,608)	(84,591,578)	(85,571,911)	(87,100,623)	(88,754,783)	(65,319,909)	(66,472,586)		Total Customers
Production	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	(691,036)	
Transmission	(51,588,811)	(51,911,604)	(52,234,877)	(52,559,033)	(52,885,754)	(53,218,216)	(53,554,593)	(53,891,791)	(54,229,003)	(54,566,988)	(54,914,748)	(55,257,021)	(55,600,237)	(53,568,179)	
Distribution	(1,167,731,191)	(1,171,220,591)	(1,173,582,421)	(1,177,132,007)	(1,180,083,858)	(1,183,718,632)	(1,186,149,290)	(1,189,232,188)	(1,191,623,002)	(1,195,161,614)	(1,198,527,266)	(1,199,776,832)	(1,206,039,430)	(1,186,091,084)	
General	(86,040,772)	(87,584,978)	(89,058,976)	(88,926,771)	(90,448,430)	(91,745,710)	(93,185,524)	(95,050,692)	(96,301,537)	(98,067,867)	(99,510,652)	(93,176,039)	(92,832,682)	(92,707,825)	3-Factor
Storage and storage transmission	(158,815,203)	(159,447,581)	(160,080,393)	(160,714,510)	(161,350,413)	(161,991,833)	(162,639,579)	(163,290,573)	(163,946,162)	(164,422,307)	(165,088,160)	(165,857,164)	(166,626,918)		Firm Delivered Volurr
CNG and LNG	(2,411,338)	(2,418,000)	(2,424,662)	(2,431,324)	(2,437,986)	(2,444,648)	(2,451,310)	(2,457,972)	(2,464,634)	(2,471,438)	(2,478,242)	(2,485,007)	(2,491,772)	(2,451,398)	3-Factor
Gas Reserves	(155,310,844)	(155,835,475)	(156,283,504)	(156,791,411)	(157,287,170)	(157,802,438)	(158,295,238)	(158,831,842)	(159,360,268)	(159,837,579)	(160,313,736)	(160,622,709)	(160,899,925)	(158,280,563)	Direct
Total Accumulated Depreciation (less Gas Reserves)	(1,547,371,146)	(1,554,330,849)	(1,560,096,916)	(1,563,172,807)	(1,569,580,237)	(1,576,457,500)	(1,582,282,939)	(1,589,205,830)	(1,594,827,284)	(1,602,481,872)	(1,609,964,886)	(1,582,563,006)	(1,590,754,661)	(1,579,502,253)	
Storage Gas	28,096,574	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493		Firm Delivered Volurr
Customer Advances	(8,157,679)	(8,389,845)	(8,574,827)	(8,786,834)	(9,062,747)	(8,927,405)	(8,901,781)	(9,048,102)	(9,167,570)	(9,222,901)	(9,732,787)	(9,879,448)	(10,142,617)	(9,070,367)	Direct
Leasehold Improvements	26,154,104	26,073,178	25,975,942	25,912,127	25,858,807	25,748,402	25,675,395	25,489,360	25,380,108	25,259,354	25,237,966	25,375,284	25,428,785	25,648,114	Direct & 3-Factor
Total Rate Base Excluding ADIT and WC	2,204,344,339	2,197,785,964	2,199,702,857	2,203,976,639	2,205,919,887	2,212,891,071	2,226,471,109	2,231,282,697	2,233,816,377	2,334,060,384	2,441,559,432	2,441,895,267	2,454,014,191	2,271,545,079	
Less: ADIT	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	(485,761,071)	
Total Rate Base Excluding WC	1,718,583,268	1,712,024,893	1,713,941,785	1,718,215,568	1,720,158,816	1,727,130,000	1,740,710,038	1,745,521,626	1,748,055,306	1,848,299,312	1,955,798,361	1,956,134,196	1,968,253,120	1,785,784,008	

Rate Base														
005000	2021 2021	2022 2022	Dec 21 - Dec 22											
OREGON	2021 Dec	Jan	Feb	2022 Mar	2022 Apr	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Dec 21 - Dec 22 13 month average
Gross Plant	OREGON													
Intangible Software Other	156,092,679 84,348	156,346,890 84,348	156,853,068 84,348	155,126,922 84,348	155,149,240 84,348	155,151,477 84,348	155,178,935 84,348	155,892,232 84,348	155,985,220 84,348	219,159,097 84,348	241,101,964 84,348	218,293,577 84,348	218,579,689 84,348	175,964,567 Total Customers 84,348 Direct
Production	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198	675,198 Direct
Transmission	204,561,129	204,568,355	204,568,662	205,099,072	207,824,108	212,342,406	213,141,171	213,152,776	213,157,234	214,044,589	225,756,295	226,049,254	228,534,174	213,020,964 Direct
Distribution	2,262,203,851	2,263,353,934	2,268,234,030	2,275,359,309	2,279,368,043	2,283,605,755	2,297,540,855	2,300,149,434	2,304,997,477	2,312,355,524	2,346,346,950	2,351,638,347	2,365,100,751	2,299,716,830 Direct
General	282,107,069	283,251,704	284,012,498	283,054,103	283,557,845	283,446,295	285,106,587	285,745,411	286,008,911	299,994,002	334,788,431	328,043,271	328,879,334	295,208,521 3-Factor & Direct
Storage and storage transmission CNG and LNG	347,152,880 3,355,588	347,228,881 3,355,588	347,435,225 3,355,588	348,694,106 3,355,588	349,234,781 3,355,588	352,942,270 3,355,588	354,379,878 3,355,588	360,417,645 3,355,588	362,540,844 3,355,588	373,035,272 3,355,588	377,007,432 3,355,588	377,434,789 3,355,588	377,721,244 3,355,588	359,399,015 Firm Delivered Volum 3,355,588 3-Factor
Gas Reserves	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385	187,307,385 Direct
Total Gross Plant (less Gas Reserves)	3,256,232,742	3,258,864,898	3,265,218,617	3,271,448,646	3,279,249,152	3,291,603,337	3,309,462,560	3,319,472,633	3,326,804,820	3,422,703,619	3,529,116,206	3,505,574,373	3,522,930,327	3,347,425,033
Accumulated Depreciation														
Intangible Production Transmission Distribution General	(70,457,632) (691,036) (51,337,407) (1,036,965,938) (75,684,901)	(71,305,896) (691,036) (51,655,042) (1,039,853,563) (77,144,000)	(72,156,998) (691,036) (51,972,691) (1,041,787,996) (78,444,148)	(71,007,735) (691,036) (52,290,748) (1,044,708,899) (78,322,482)	(71,856,324) (691,036) (52,611,358) (1,047,142,058) (79,664,816)	(72,704,939) (691,036) (52,937,702) (1,050,182,948) (80,808,526)	(73,553,132) (691,036) (53,267,962) (1,052,255,219) (82,078,401)	(74,415,211) (691,036) (53,599,043) (1,054,885,717) (83,724,799)	(75,277,610) (691,036) (53,930,137) (1,056,849,684) (84,827,399)	(76,622,418) (691,036) (54,262,005) (1,059,790,984) (86,386,305)	(78,077,582) (691,036) (54,603,647) (1,062,635,712) (87,658,280)	(57,461,924) (691,036) (54,940,030) (1,063,327,947) (82,045,589)	(58,475,934) (691,036) (55,277,357) (1,068,795,029) (81,736,341)	(71,575,546) Total Customers (691,036) Direct (53,281,479) Direct (1,052,191,768) Direct (81,651,280) 3-Factor
Storage and storage transmission CNG and LNG	(142,335,405) (2,134,517)	(142,902,257) (2,140,414)	(143,469,496) (2,146,311)	(144,037,896) (2,152,208)	(144,607,883) (2,158,105)	(145,182,777) (2,164,003)	(145,763,296) (2,169,900)	(146,346,704) (2,175,797)	(146,934,198) (2,181,694)	(147,362,113) (2,187,717)	(147,958,735) (2,193,739)	(148,646,564) (2,199,728)	(149,335,061) (2,205,716)	(145,753,929) Firm Delivered Volurr (2,169,978) 3-Factor
Gas Reserves	(155,310,844)	(155,835,475)	(156,283,504)	(156,791,411)	(157,287,170)	(157,802,438)	(158,295,238)	(158,831,842)	(159,360,268)	(159,837,579)	(160,313,736)	(160,622,709)	(160,899,925)	(158,280,563) Direct
Total Accumulated Depreciation (less Gas Reserves)	(1,379,606,835)	(1,385,692,209)	(1,390,668,675)	(1,393,211,004)	(1,398,731,580)	(1,404,671,931)	(1,409,778,945)	(1,415,838,307)	(1,420,691,758)	(1,427,302,577)	(1,433,818,731)	(1,409,312,817)	(1,416,516,474)	(1,407,315,016)
Storage Gas	24,986,283	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,318,774	23,388,253 Firm Delivered Volurr
Customer Advances	(5,421,491)	(5,563,545)	(5,680,308)	(5,750,199)	(5,826,142)	(5,691,596)	(5,673,265)	(5,768,989)	(5,778,710)	(5,829,544)	(6,029,679)	(6,153,050)	(6,261,656)	(5,798,883) Direct
Leasehold Improvements	23,151,613	23,079,977	22,993,904	22,937,415	22,890,216	22,792,485	22,727,860	22,563,182	22,466,472	22,359,580	22,340,647	22,462,201	22,509,561	22,703,710 Direct & 3-Factor
Total Rate Base Excluding ADIT and WC Less: ADIT Total Rate Base Excluding WC	1,919,342,312 (443,590,907) 1,475,751,406	1,914,007,895 (443,590,907) 1,470,416,989	1,915,182,311 (443,590,907) 1,471,591,405	1,918,743,631 (443,590,907) 1,475,152,724	1,920,900,420 (443,590,907) 1,477,309,513	1,927,351,069 (443,590,907) 1,483,760,162	1,940,056,983 (443,590,907) 1,496,466,077	1,943,747,292 (443,590,907) 1,500,156,386	1,946,119,598 (443,590,907) 1,502.528,692	2,035,249,851 (443,590,907) 1.591,658,944	2,134,927,216 (443,590,907) 1.691,336,309	2,135,889,480 (443,590,907) 1,692,298,574	2,145,980,531 (443,590,907) 1,702,389,624	1,980,403,097 (443,590,907) 1,536,812,191
Total Rate base excluding WC	1,4/3,/51,406	1,470,416,989	1,471,391,405	1,4/3,152,/24	1,477,309,513	1,403,760,162	1,490,466,077	1,500,156,386	1,302,328,692	1,391,038,944	1,091,336,309	1,092,298,574	1,702,389,624	1,000,012,101

Rate Base														
WASHINGTON	2021 2021	2022 2022	Dec 21 - Dec 22 Dec 21 - Dec 22											
WASHINGTON	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	13 month average
Gross Plant	WASHINGTON													
Intangible Software Other	21,345,856 447	21,380,619 447	21,449,840 447	21,213,787 447	21,216,839 447	21,217,145 447	21,220,900 447	21,318,444 447	21,331,161 447	29,970,262 447	32,970,975 447	29,851,901 447	29,891,027 447	24,063,360 Total Customers 447 Direct
Production Transmission Distribution General	3,291,600 344,497,651 40,713,283	3,292,029 344,994,213 40,129,412	3,888,550 345,813,782 40,229,873	3,896,971 347,403,739 40,106,311	3,904,485 348,139,561 40,172,025	3,904,822 349,156,633 40,162,127	3,904,822 350,351,174 40,378,514	3,904,822 351,475,943 40,461,382	3,904,822 352,216,322 40,495,657	3,904,822 352,633,055 42,309,359	3,904,822 353,092,964 47,455,032	3,904,822 353,504,949 46,594,055	3,904,822 356,478,905 46,709,607	0 Direct 3,826,167 Direct 349,939,218 Direct 41,850,433 3-Factor & Direct
Storage and storage transmission CNG and LNG	39,105,728 435,180	39,115,188 435,180	39,140,874 435,180	39,297,580 435,180	39,364,883 435,180	39,826,391 435,180	40,005,344 435,180	40,756,925 435,180	41,021,221 435,180	42,327,566 435,180	42,822,020 435,180	42,875,218 435,180	42,910,876 435,180	40,630,126 Firm Delivered Volurr 435,180 3-Factor
Total Gross Plant (less Gas Reserves)	449,389,746	449,347,089	450,958,547	452,354,015	453,233,420	454,702,745	456,296,382	458,353,143	459,404,810	471,580,692	480,681,441	477,166,573	480,330,864	460,744,930
Accumulated Depreciation														
Intangible Production	(9,635,163)	(9,751,164)	(9,867,554)	(9,710,391)	(9,826,436)	(9,942,485)	(10,058,476)	(10,176,367)	(10,294,301)	(10,478,205)	(10,677,200)	(7,857,985)	(7,996,652)	(9,788,039) Total Customers Direct
Transmission Distribution	(251,404) (130,765,253)	(256,562) (131,367,028)	(262,186) (131,794,425)	(268,285) (132,423,108)	(274,396) (132,941,800)	(280,513) (133,535,684)	(286,631) (133,894,070)	(292,749) (134,346,471)	(298,866) (134,773,318)	(304,984) (135,370,630)	(311,101) (135,891,554)	(316,991) (136,448,885)	(322,881) (137,244,401)	(286,701) Direct (133,899,317) Direct
General	(10,355,871)	(10,440,977)	(10,614,828)	(10,604,289)	(10,783,614)	(10,937,185)	(11,107,123)	(11,325,893)	(11,474,138)	(11,681,561)	(11,852,372)	(11,130,450)	(11,096,341)	(11,056,545) 3-Factor
Storage and storage transmission CNG and LNG	(16,479,798) (276,822)	(16,545,323) (277,586)	(16,610,896) (278,351)	(16,676,614) (279,116)	(16,742,530) (279,881)	(16,809,056) (280,646)	(16,876,283) (281,410)	(16,943,869) (282,175)	(17,011,964) (282,940)	(17,060,194) (283,721)	(17,129,425) (284,502)	(17,210,599) (285,279)	(17,291,857) (286,055)	(16,875,215) Firm Delivered Volum (281,421) 3-Factor
Total Accumulated Depreciation (less Gas Reserves)	(167,764,312)	(168,638,641)	(169,428,241)	(169,961,803)	(170,848,657)	(171,785,569)	(172,503,994)	(173,367,523)	(174,135,527)	(175,179,295)	(176,146,154)	(173,250,189)	(174,238,187)	(172,187,237)
Storage Gas Customer Advances Leasehold Improvements	3,110,291 (2,736,189) 3,002,491	2,902,719 (2,826,300) 2,993,201	2,902,719 (2,894,518) 2,982,038	2,902,719 (3,036,635) 2,974,712	2,902,719 (3,236,606) 2,968,591	2,902,719 (3,235,810) 2,955,917	2,902,719 (3,228,517) 2,947,535	2,902,719 (3,279,114) 2,926,179	2,902,719 (3,388,861) 2,913,636	2,902,719 (3,393,357) 2,899,774	2,902,719 (3,703,108) 2,897,318	2,902,719 (3,726,398) 2,913,083	2,902,719 (3,880,961) 2,919,225	2,911,368 Firm Delivered Volurr (3,271,483) Direct 2,944,403 Direct & 3-Factor
Total Rate Base Excluding ADIT and WC Less: ADIT Total Rate Base Excluding WC	285,002,027 (42,170,165) 242,831,862	283,778,069 (42,170,165) 241,607,904	284,520,545 (42,170,165) 242,350,381	285,233,009 (42,170,165) 243,062,844	285,019,467 (42,170,165) 242,849,302	285,540,002 (42,170,165) 243,369,837	286,414,126 (42,170,165) 244,243,961	287,535,405 (42,170,165) 245,365,240	287,696,779 (42,170,165) 245,526,614	298,810,533 (42,170,165) 256,640,368	306,632,216 (42,170,165) 264,462,051	306,005,787 (42,170,165) 263,835,622	308,033,660 (42,170,165) 265,863,496	291,141,982 (42,170,165) 248,971,817

Rate Base Average Allocation Factors			
	OR	WA	SYSTEM
Gross Plant Average Factor	3,347,425,033 87.90%	460,744,930 12.10%	3,808,169,963
Accumulated Deprec Average Factor	(1,407,315,016) 89.10%	(172,187,237) 10.90%	(1,579,502,253)
Leasehold Improvement Average Factor	22,703,710 88.52%	2,944,403 11.48%	25,648,114
Customer Advance Average Factor	(5,798,883) 63.93%	(3,271,483) 36.07%	(9,070,367)
Gross Plant Growth Factor	266,697,585 89.60%	30,941,119 10.40%	297,638,704
Average Total Rate Base	1,536,812,191 86.06%	248,971,817 13.94%	1,785,784,008

Rate Base														
Extracts from Balance Sheet	2021 December 2021	2022 January 2022	2022 February 2022	2022 March 2022	2022 April 2022	2022 May 2022	2022 June 2022	2022 July 2022	2022 August 2022	2022 September 2022	2022 October 2022	2022 November 2022	2022 December 2022	Dec 21 - Dec 22
Leasehold Improvement														
WA Leasehold Improvements (direct+3-factor on the rest) System Leasehold Improvements	3,002,491 26,154,104	2,993,201 26,073,178	2,982,038 25,975,942	2,974,712 25,912,127	2,968,591 25,858,807	2,955,917 25,748,402	2,947,535 25,675,395	2,926,179 25,489,360	2,913,636 25,380,108	2,899,774 25,259,354	2,897,318 25,237,966	2,913,083 25,375,284	2,919,225 25,428,785	
Customer Advances and Deposits														
System Contributions Washington Contributions	8,157,679 2,736,189	8,389,845 2,826,300	8,574,827 2,894,518	8,786,834 3,036,635	9,062,747 3,236,606	8,927,405 3,235,810	8,901,781 3,228,517	9,048,102 3,279,114	9,167,570 3,388,861	9,222,901 3,393,357	9,732,787 3,703,108	9,879,448 3,726,398	10,142,617 3,880,961	
System Deposits	(1,534,781)	(1,388,063)	(1,453,036)	(1,477,473)	(1,500,524)	(1,499,207)	(1,507,992)	(2,041,500)	(2,046,393)	(2,037,489)	(2,024,413)	(2,074,286)	(1,559,067)	
Gas in Storage Extract	28,096,574	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	26,221,493	

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Deferred Income Taxes

Allocation factor: Accumulated Depreciation			10.90%		
2021 December Balances:					
	Federal	State	SYS Total	Washington Allocation	Oregon Allocation
Accumulated Deferred Income Tax - Depreciation	(374,071,067)	(82,294,887)	(456,365,954)	(40,810,329)	(415,555,62
Accumulated Deferred Income Tax - Encana	(13,033,981)	(1,811,323)	(14,845,304)	0	(14,845,30
Accumulated Deferred Income Tax - Other	(7,442,026)	(1,693,240)	(9,135,266)	(837,463)	(8,297,80
2021 Balances	(394,547,074)	(85,799,450)	(480,346,524)	(41,647,792)	(438,698,73
2022 December Balances:					
	Federal	State	SYS Total	Washington Allocation	Oregon Allocation
Accumulated Deferred Income Tax - Depreciation	(382,879,335)	(86,116,385)	(468,995,720)	(41,768,875)	(427,226,8
Accumulated Deferred Income Tax - Encana	(10,749,787)	(1,352,726)	(12,102,513)	0	(12,102,5
Accumulated Deferred Income Tax - Other	(8,037,905)	(2,039,481)	(10,077,386)	(923,662)	(9,153,7
2022 Balances	(401,667,027)	(89,508,592)	(491,175,619)	(42,692,537)	(448,483,0
Simple Average December Balances (use for Rat	e Base)			(42,170,165)	(443,590,90
			Base - 13 AMA DIT Rate Base	562,500 (41,607,665)	

NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022 Tax Adjustment

Line No.	-	Amount (a)	
1	Utility Income before Interest and Taxes	\$19,066,806	
2	Interest on Historic Average Rate Base	5,424,139	
3	Pre-Tax Net Income	13,642,667	
4	Less: Permanent Differences	602	10.90% Depreciation Factor
5	Taxable Income	13,643,269	
6	Tax Rate	21.00%	
7	Federal Income Tax	2,865,086	
8	Credits and EDIT Amortization	(375,011)	3-Factor
9	Total Tax	\$2,490,076	

NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022 Proforma Cost of Capital and Input Assumptions

		13 month average				
Line		Percent of	S month average	Weighted		
No.		Total Capital	Average Cost	Cost		
		(a)	(b)	(c)		
(Cost of Capital		(-)			
_	<u>.</u>					
1	Long Term Debt	45.68%	4.44%	2.03%		
2	Short Term Debt	5.91%	1.89%	0.11%		
3	Preferred Stock	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
4	Common Stock	48.41%	9.40%	4.55%		
_		100.000/		6,600/		
5	Total	100.00%	=	6.69%		
<u> </u>	Revenue Sensitive Costs					
-						
6	Gas Sales	102.00%				
7	Transportation	2.34%				
8	Other	-4.34%				
9	Subtotal	100.00%				
10	O & M - Uncollectible	0.175%				
11	Franchise Taxes	0.000%				
12	WA Utility Tax	3.852%				
13	WUTC Fee	0.400%				
14	State Taxable Income	95.57%				
15	State Income Tax	0.00%				
16	Federal Taxable Income	95.57%				
17	Federal Income Tax	20.07%				
18	Total Income Taxes	20.07%				
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19	Total Revenue Sensitive Costs	24.50%				
20	Utility Operating Income	75.50%				
21	Net-to-gross factor	1.32446				
22	Interest Coordination Factor	0.0214				
		0.0211				
23	Federal tax rate	21.00%				
24	State tax rate	0.00%				
25	Uncollectible Accounts	0.18%				
23		0.10 /0				

NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Adjustments to Test Period Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022

Line No.	-	Column A Page 1	Weather Normalized Gas Sales & Purchases (a)	Miscellaneous Revenues Adjustment (b)	Bonus Adjustment (c)	Uncollect. Accounts Adjustment (d)	Working Capital Adjustment (e)	Claims Adjustment (g)	Clearing Adjustment (h)	Total Adjustments (i)	Column C Page 1
	Operating Revenues										
1	Sale of Gas	107,562,597	(3,496,707)							(3,496,707)	104,065,891
2	Transportation	2,388,654	0							0	2,388,654
3	Miscellaneous Revenues	(4,489,501)		57,601						57,601	(4,431,900)
4	Total Operating Revenues	105,461,750	(3,496,707)	57,601	0	0	0	0	0	(3,439,106)	102,022,644
	Operating Revenue Deductions										
5	Gas Purchased	44,037,912	(2,749,926)							(2,749,926)	41,287,986
6	Uncollectible Accrual	110,478	(6,259)	0		80,318				74,059	184,537
7	Other Operating & Maintenance Expenses	21,777,630			58,089			15,126	0	73,215	21,850,845
8	Total Operating & Maintenance Expense	65,926,020	(2,756,185)	0	58,089	80,318	0	15,126	0	(2,602,651)	63,323,368
9 10	Federal Income Tax Property Taxes	2,490,076 1,717,922	(124,287)	11,582	(11,867)	(16,867)	0	(3,190)	0	(144,629) 0	2,345,447 1,717,922
11	Other Taxes	5,217,156	(148,680)	2,449						(146,231)	5,070,925
12	Depreciation & Amortization	13,533,847								0	13,533,847
13	Total Operating Revenue Deductions	88,885,020	(3,029,152)	14,031	46,222	63,451	0	11,936	0	(2,893,511)	85,991,509
14	Net Operating Revenues =	16,576,730	(467,555)	43,569	(46,222)	(63,451)	0	(11,936)	0	(545,595)	16,031,135
	Average Rate Base										
15	Utility Plant in Service	460,744,930			(73,882)			3,068	0	(70,814)	460,674,116
16	Accumulated Depreciation	(172,187,237)								0	(172,187,237)
17	Net Utility Plant	288,557,693	0	0	(73,882)	0	0	3,068	0	(70,814)	288,486,879
18	Working Capital	3,930,135								0	3,930,135
19	Storage Gas	2,911,368								0	2,911,368
20	Customer Advances	(3,271,483)								0	(3,271,483)
21	Leasehold Improvements	2,944,403								0	2,944,403
22	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes	(41,607,665)								0	(41,607,665)
23	Total Rate Base	253,464,452	0	0	(73,882)	0	0	3,068	0	(70,814)	253,393,638
24	Interest Coordination		0	0	(1,581)	0	0	66	0	(1,515)	(1,515)

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Revenues

2 3 4 **Test Period** Normalized Net 5 **Test Period** Normalized Normalized Normalizing Sales in Sales in 6 Therms Revenue Therms Revenues Rate Effect 7 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) 8 Sales 9 Residential 59,400,888 \$72,984,915 59,087,287 \$72,808,151 \$0.56366 (\$176,763) 10 Commercial 26,967,788 \$29,695,251 22,632,955 \$27,487,347 \$0.50934 (\$2,207,904) 11 **Industrial Firm** 3,471,912 \$2,853,668 3,471,912 \$2,853,668 \$0 12 Interruptible 1,212,306 \$916,725 1,212,306 \$916,725 \$0 13 14 15 **Total Sales** 91,052,895 \$106,450,558 86,404,460 \$104,065,891 (\$2,384,668) 16 Unbilled amounts 17 767,015 \$1,112,039 (\$1,112,039) 18 19 **Unaccounted For Gas** 20 21 **Total Sales Sendout** 91,819,910 \$107,562,597 \$86,404,460 \$104,065,891 (\$3,496,707) 22 23 24 Transportation \$1,529,641 25 **Firm Transportation** 11,746,655 11,746,655 \$1,529,641 \$0.13022 \$0 26 Interuptible Transportation 7,856,832 \$859,013 7,856,832 \$859,013 \$0.10933 \$0 27 **Special Contracts** 0 \$0 0 \$0 \$0 28 **Other Charges** 0 \$0 0 \$0 \$0 29 **Total Transportation** 19,603,487 \$2,388,654 \$19,603,487 \$2,388,654 \$0 30 31 **Total Deliveries / Revenues** 111,423,397 \$109,951,251 \$106,007,947 \$106,454,545 (\$3,496,707) 32 33 34

Cost of Gas

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36 37 38 39	_	Actual Therms	Actual Costs	Normalized Therms	Normalized Costs	Normalized Rate	Normalizing Effect
40 41	Demand Incurred & Deferred	92,326,077	\$8,632,011	85,192,154	\$8,082,283	0.10151	(\$549,728)
42	Commodity Incurred & Deferred	93,538,383	\$32,241,860	86,404,460	\$30,177,055	0.38128	(\$2,064,805)
43 44	Commodity and Demand Amortizations	-	\$3,164,041	-	\$3,028,648	-	(\$135,393)
45 46	Total Cost of Gas	=	\$44,037,912	=	\$41,287,986	=	(\$2,749,926)

Worksheet b

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Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022 Adjustment to Miscellaneous Revenue

Line		Washington			
No.		Actual	Normalized	Adjustment	
		(a)	(b)	(c)	
1	Other Miscellaneous Revenues				
2	Reconnect Charges	\$400	\$24,056	\$23,656	[1]
3	Late Payment Charges	94,184	94,184	0	
4	Automated Payment Charge	0	2,678	2,678	[1]
5	Returned Check	55,635	37,329	(18,306)	[1]
6	Field Collection	135	19,385	19,250	[1]
7	Meter Rentals	18,202	18,039	(163)	[1]
8	Utility Property Rental	0	28,298	28,298	[1]
9	Curtailment Unauthorized Take	0	0	0	[1]
10	Technical Adjustments & Amortizations	(4,676,598)	(4,676,598)	0	
11	Miscellaneous	18,541	20,729	2,188	[1]
12					
13		(\$4,489,501)	(\$4,431,900)	\$57,601	
14					

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18 <u>Notes:</u>

19 [1] Normalized to 3-year average

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NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022 Bonus Adjustment

Line No.		2019 paid in 2020	2020 paid in 2021	2021 paid in 2022	Three Year Average	2022 Accrual	Adjustment
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)=(e)-(f)
	Performance Bonus - 0 & M						
1	Officers/Exempt	\$6,790,399	\$6,492,245	\$7,470,160	\$6,917,601	\$6,323,240	\$594,361
2	Clerical/Hourly	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Total	6,790,399	6,492,245	7,470,160	6,917,601	6,323,240	594,361
	Performance Bonus - Construction						
4	Officers/Exempt	3,267,796	3,124,312	4,649,954	3,680,687	4,282,825	(602,138)
5	Clerical/Hourly	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Total	3,267,796	3,124,312	4,649,954	3,680,687	4,282,825	(602,138)
	Key Goals Bonus - O & M						
7	Officers/Exempt	0	0	0	0	0	
8	Clerical/Hourly	0	0	0	0	0	
9	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Key Goals Bonus - Construction						
10	Officers/Exempt	0	0	0	0	0	
11	Clerical/Hourly	0	0	0	0	0	
12	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Total Adjusted O & M (line 3 + line 9)						\$594,361
14	Washington Allocation Factor				Employee Cost		9.773%
15	Adjustment to Washington - O&M						\$58,089
16	Total Adjusted Construction (line 6 + lin	ne 12)					(\$602,138)
17	Washington Allocation Factor	2			Gross Plant		12.270%
18	Adjustment to Washington - Rate Ba	ise					(\$73,882)

Adjustment takes expense from test period accrual to 3 year paid average

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Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022 Uncollectible Accounts Adjustments (\$000's, except Washington amounts at lines 22-24)

Line No.		2022-2020 <u>Total</u> (a)	2022 Actual (b)	2021 Actual (c)	2020 Actual (d)
	Gas Revenues	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
1	Residential	\$1,508,259	\$572,746	\$484,611	\$450,902
2	Commercial	682,506	274,398	214,853	193,255
3	Industrial	68,389	26,499	21,740	20,151
4	Interruptible	45,912	3,407	23,927	18,578
5	Total	2,305,067	877,050	745,131	682,886
1	Net Write-Offs				
6	Residential	3,418	1,503	1,476	438
7	Commercial	741	291	276	174
8	Industrial	(25)	(28)	(4)	7
9	Interruptible		-	-	-
10	Total	4,134	1,766	1,748	620
,	Write-Off % - 3-Year Average				
11	Residential	0.227%	0.262%	0.305%	0.097%
12	Commercial	0.109%	0.106%	0.128%	0.090%
13	Industrial	-0.037%	-0.107%	-0.020%	0.037%
14	Interruptible	0.000%	0.000%	0.000%	0.000%
15	Weighted Total [1]	0.179%	0.201%	0.235%	0.091%
I	Normalized Uncollectible				
16	Residential	\$1,298			
17	Commercial	298			
18	Industrial	(10)			
19	Interruptible	0			
20	Total	\$1,586			
21	Allocation Factor	12.030%	Customers - All		
22	Washington Normalized Amount (X 1000)	\$190,796			
23	Washington Allocation of Accrued Amount	\$110,478			
24	Adjustment (Normalized less Accrued)	\$80,318			

[1] Weighted uncollectible rate of

0.179% is used on page 1, column (b)

Worksheet e

NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Investor Supplied Working Capital Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022

Line No.		 Average Balance
1	Current Working Capital Assets	\$ 233,322,250
2	Current Working Capital Liabilities	\$ (195,521,264)
3	Net Working Capital	\$ 37,800,986
4		
5	WA Allocation of Total Investments	10.40%
6		
	Total WA Working Capital	\$ 3,930,135

Worksheet g

NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2022 Claims Expense Adjustment

Line			
No.		O&M Expense	Construction
	_	(a)	(b)
1	Expensed during Test period	\$150,127	\$27,560
	Normalized Expenses		
2	Actual Claims - Ordinary	\$150,127	52,560
3	3-Year Average Claims - Extraordinary	131,755	0
4	Subtotal	281,882	52,560
5	Adjustment - System (line 4 - line 1)	131,755	25,000
6	Allocation to Washington		
	(O&M on 3-factor, const on gross plant)	11.480%	12.270%
7	Adjustment	\$15,126	\$3,068

NW Natural Washington Annual Commission Basis Report ##	Worksheet h
Elimination of Clearing Account Balances	
Line	.
No. 1 Adjustment to O&M	Amount \$0
2 Allocation to Washington (3-Factor)	11.48%
3 Adjustment	\$0
4 Adjustment to Construction	\$0
5 Allocation to Washington (Gross Plant)	12.27%
6 Adjustment	\$0

Clearing accounts are completely allocated by year end closing.