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Re: UG-181053—NW Natural's Customer Notice of General Rate Case

In compliance with WAC 480-90-0198, Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural or Company), provides the enclosed copy of the customer notice of the Company's general rate case, filed in UG-181053. This notice complies with the requirements of WAC 480-190-0197 and was reviewed by Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) Staff and Public Counsel.

NW Natural serves approximately 82,527 natural gas customers in the state of Washington that may be affected by the proposed rate increase.

The customer notice is posted to NW Natural's website and will be included in customer bills in June 2019. All customers will have received the bill insert after the bill cycle is complete, in advance of the July 16, 2019 scheduled public comment hearing.

In addition, the Company will notify its Washington customers about the public comment hearing via a radio, television and newspaper outlet in its Washington service territory.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

NW NATURAL

/s/ Natasha Siores

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Attachment: UG-181053-NWNs-Customer-Notice-05-24-2019

cc: UG-181053 Service List



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have on this date served the foregoing NW Natural's Customer Notice of General Rate Case for docket UG-181053 upon all parties listed below via electronic transmission mail:

DATED at Portland, Oregon, this 24th day of May, 2019

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