

EXH. JAD-7
DOCKETS UE-240006 & UG-240007
WITNESS: JIM A. DENNISON

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ON BEHALF OF SIERRA CLUB

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AVISTA RESPONSE TO SIERRA CLUB DATA REQUEST SC-016

**AVISTA CORP.
RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

JURISDICTION:	WASHINGTON	DATE PREPARED:	05/07/2024
CASE NO.:	UE-240006 & UG-240007	WITNESS:	Josh DiLuciano
REQUESTER:	Sierra Club	RESPONDER:	Terrence Browne
TYPE:	Data Request	DEPT:	Gas Engineering
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SUBJECT: Capital Additions

REQUEST:

Please refer to Exhibit JDD-1T at page 50, lines 17 to 20. Please confirm that Avista has not performed an analysis of non-pipe alternatives for any program, project, or expenditure for which it is seeking cost recovery in this proceeding, other than the Natural Gas Reinforcement Program.

- a. For any answer other than an unqualified confirmation, please provide a detailed explanation and attach all documents, analyses, and communications in Avista's possession showing its analysis of non-pipe alternatives for other projects.

RESPONSE:

Avista confirms that it has not performed an analysis of non-pipe alternatives in WA. Beginning in 2023, Avista started looking into what NPA's may be available to potentially offset a significant pipeline reinforcement.