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VIA FACSIMILE and REGULAR MAIL

Honorable C. Robert Wallis, Administrative Law Judge
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW
P.O. Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Rabanco Joint Applications GA-79141, GA-79142, GA-79159
Docket Nos. TG-030433, TG-030434, and TG-030590

Dear Judge Wallis:


This letter confirms today's conversation with Michael Schechter of this office earlier. Based on conversations with Rabanco's attorneys and Don Trotter, all parties involved are amenable to dismissal of this matter and have agreed to cancel the pre-hearing conference scheduled for Monday, March 28.

As you may know, Division I of the Court of Appeals ruled in favor of King County on the issues that were before the WUTC, namely that a G-certificate issued for collection routes in multiple counties does not require the affected counties to enter into an interlocal agreement unless a collection route crosses county lines. Rabanco has not appealed this decision.

Enclosed is a copy of our motion to dismiss with the Division I opinion appended, which was filed with the WUTC Records Center per WUTC procedure. Thank you for your consideration in this regard.

Very truly yours,

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