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Mr. Sean Mayo Director, Pipeline Safety Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (WUTC) P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: WA Isolated Steel Settlement Agreement Report (Docket PG-100049)

Dear Mr. Mayo,

Pursuant to Docket PG-100049 (WA Isolated Steel Settlement Agreement Report – "Stipulated Agreement to Close Docket"), Avista Utilities (Avista) is providing the quarterly status report on the Isolated Riser Program documenting progress through September 30, 2018.

As described in Avista's November 23, 2016 report to the WUTC - Completion of the Survey Program Phase - future quarterly reports will now document only on-going isolated steel replacement work required to be completed by 2021.

Refer to Table 1 which is an enclosure to this letter. The table summarizes riser replacement work completed and replacement work pending.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions related to this report.

Respectfully yours,

Michael J. Faulkenberry Director of Natural Gas

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Enclosure

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Table 1

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ISOLATED STEEL PROGRAM (Replacement Phase):	
Protected Isolated Segments < 100 ft ⁽¹⁾	
Segments Replaced Overall	4,079
Replacement Jobs Pending	602



⁽¹⁾ Mitigation required by November, 2021 - (WA-PG-100049-Par 12).
(2) Project totals updated to reflect actual work completed and recorded in Asset Maintenance Tracking system.