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June 11, 2018

Mark L. Johnson  
Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities & Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S. W.  
P.O. Box 47250  
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

Re: Docket No. U-180418

Dear Mr. Johnson,

Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities (Avista or Company), submits its customer notice in accordance with WAC 480-100-194 (3).

On Friday, June 8, 2018, the Company released the attached Press Release at approximately 4:00 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time) to its news/media outlets in its Washington service territory.

Also, the following Community Action Agencies have been provided a copy of the Press Release:

Spokane Neighborhood Action Partners (SNAP) - Spokane County  
Rural Resources - Stevens, Ferry and Lincoln Counties  
Opportunities Industrialization Center - Grant and Adams Counties  
Community Action Partnership - Asotin County  
Community Action Center - Whitman County  
Washington Gorge Action Programs - Klickitat and Skamania Counties

Avista has mailed a copy of the Press Release to each customer who has requested to be notified of an option to not receive a non-communicating meter. This mailing consisted of

approximately 110 customers in Washington. A copy of the Press Release has been posted to the Company's website.

Please direct any questions regarding this attachment to me at 509-495-4975.

Sincerely,

*/S/Linda Gervais*

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