

*Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission*  
v.  
*Cascade Natural Gas Corporation*  
**Bench Request**  
**UG-200568**

**Bench Request No. 4**

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Referring to Kaiser JEK-1CT at 15:9-12, has the Company and the Union come to a collective bargaining agreement related to the 2021 union wage increase? If so, please provide the amount in percentage terms.

**Response:**

No. The currently effective collective bargaining agreement between Cascade and Local No. 121-C of the International Chemical Workers' Union Council/UFCW was negotiated in 2020 and expires on March 31, 2021. Negotiations for 2021 union wages are scheduled for March 8 – 19, 2021. If the Commission would like an update regarding the 2021 union wages after negotiations have concluded in March 2021, Cascade can provide an update to this response.