

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

CASCADE NATURAL GAS
CORPORATION,

Respondent.

DOCKET UG-200568

OFFER OF PUBLIC COMMENT
EXHIBIT BE-5

1. Public Counsel hereby offers this Public Comment Exhibit No. BE-5 for admission into the record of the proceeding.
2. Public Comment Exhibit No. BE-5. The exhibit consists of an e-mail and other written materials submitted by the public to provide comment on the Cascade Natural Gas Corporation's general rate case. These comments were submitted to the Commission Consumer Protection Staff. Public Counsel did not receive any public comments throughout the course of this case.
3. The Commission received a majority of comments via their online comment form, along with e-mail, for which there are no original hard copies to submit. Commission Consumer Protection and Communications Staff entered the text of these comments directly into a database. The output from this database has been included in .pdf format, and this one (1) file, provide all comments submitted to the Commission.¹

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¹ Please see attachment '200568 BE-5 UTC Cmt Matrix Rpt 03-03-2021.pdf'.

4. The submitted material has been counted as follows:
- a. Comments received by WUTC

Opposing the rate increase	8
Supporting the rate increase	0
Undecided comments	0
 - b. Comments received by Public Counsel

Opposing the rate increase	0
Supporting the rate increase	0
Undecided Comments	0
5. Public Counsel submits a total of eight (8) public comments in this exhibit. Of these, eight (8) oppose the requested rate increase and zero (0) support the request.

DATED this 3rd day of March, 2021.

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