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Heather Rosentrater Senior Vice President, Energy Delivery Avista Utilities Corporation 1411 East Mission Ave PO Box 3727 Spokane WA 99220-3727

RE: 2020 Natural Gas Standard Comprehensive Inspection – Avista Utilities Corporation – Transmission (Insp. No. 8032)

Dear Ms. Rosentrater:

Staff from the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (staff) conducted a standard comprehensive inspection of the Avista Utilities Corporation, (Avista), Gas Transmission pipeline on Jun. 16 and Aug. 26 thru 27, 2020. The inspection included a procedures and records review and an inspection of pipeline facilities.

No apparent violations were noted as a result of the inspection; therefore, this inspection will be closed as of the date of this letter.

Staff thanks Avista personnel for their professionalism and cooperation during this inspection.

If you have any questions or if we may be of any assistance, please contact Anthony Dorrough at (360) 481-4035.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mayo Pipeline Safety Director

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