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Heather Rosentrater Senior Vice President, Energy Delivery and Shared Services Avista Utilities Corporation 1411 E Mission Ave Spokane, WA 99220

RE: 2022 Natural Gas Uprate Review – Avista Utilities Corporation – Ritzville (Insp. No. 8485)

Dear Ms. Rosentrater:

Staff from the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (staff) conducted a records and procedures review for the Warden 4-inch high pressure uprate.

Staff has reviewed the project records, and are satisfied that Avista has met the applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 192, Subpart K and WAC 480-93-155. This inspection will be closed as of the date of this letter.

Staff thanks Avista's personnel for their cooperation during this review.

If you have any questions or if we may be of any assistance, please contact Scott Anderson at (360) 481-6978.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mayo Pipeline Safety Director

cc: Randy Bareither, Pipeline Safety Engineer, Avista Brian Shultz, Manager of Natural Gas Pipeline Integrity and Compliance, Avista Jody Morehouse, Director of Natural Gas, Avista