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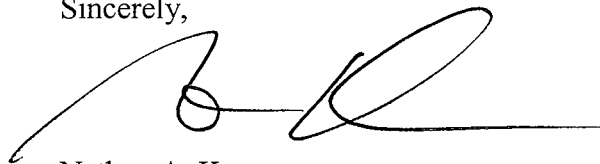
**Re: *Docket No. UM 1272***  
***Oregon Trail Electric Consumers Cooperative, Inc. v. Almega Cable***

Dear Filing Specialist:

Attached for filing is Oregon Trail Electric Consumers Cooperative, Inc.'s Notice of Substitution of Counsel regarding the above-referenced docket. The original is being sent via overnight delivery today, along with the PUC E-mail confirmation notice.

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,



Nathan A. Karman

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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

**UM 1272**

In the Matter of  
OREGON TRAIL ELECTRIC CONSUMERS  
COOPERATIVE, INC.

Petitioner,

vs.

ALMEGA CABLE,

Respondent.

**NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF  
COUNSEL**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that effective immediately Kirk H. Gibson and Nathan A. Karman will be substituted as counsel for Oregon Trail Electric Consumers Cooperative, Inc., in the captioned case in place of Amie Jamieson.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of **OREGON TRAIL ELECTRIC CONSUMERS COOPERATIVE, INC.'S NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL** regarding **Docket UM 1272** was served via electronic filing and first class mail on the following parties:

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