

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of

AVISTA CORPORATION, DBA
AVISTA UTILITIES

Request for General Rate Revision

STAFF'S UNOPPOSED MOTION TO MODIFY
SCHEDULE

Staff respectfully requests modifications to the current schedule in order to allow the Parties the time necessary to get needed, but not yet fully provided, discovery before holding settlement discussions. Other than the proposed dates listed below, Staff requests the remainder of the current schedule remain the same. Staff has circulated these proposed changes to the parties and understands that no party opposes these proposed modifications. Staff requests the following schedule modifications:


Settlement conference:	September 21, 2009 ¹
Staff and Intervenor Testimony:	October 8, 2009
Oral Arguments:	Rescheduled to a date closer to the hearing

For the foregoing reasons, Staff respectfully requests a ruling adopting these schedule modifications.

DATED this 4th day of September 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ Settlement conferences are scheduled by Staff and it is not necessary for the ALJ to establish their dates. However, Staff notes the proposed settlement date for the convenience of the ALJ and parties.

1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 I certify that on September 4, 2009 I served the foregoing Staff Motion upon the parties
3 in this proceeding by electronic mail and by sending a true, exact and full copy by regular mail,
4 postage prepaid, or by hand-delivery/shuttle, to the parties accepting paper service.

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