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TO ALL CUSTOMERS

RE: UW 139 – Whispering Pines Estates Water Settlement Conference

The Settlement Conference tentatively scheduled for February 11, 2010, is postponed until further notice. You will be notified in writing of the date, time, and place of the rescheduled Settlement Conference.

On December 2, 2009, Administrative Law Judge Patrick Power issued a Prehearing Conference Memorandum adopting a procedural schedule of events in Docket UW 139. The schedule included dates for two settlement conferences, testimony, data requests, data responses, and a hearing.

Due to various issues affecting the case, the January 15, 2010, Settlement Conference was postponed until February 11, 2010. However, on February 1, 2010, the owner of Whispering Pines, Roy Stuart, requested more time to work towards setting up an alternate source of water.

Customers will not be harmed by the delayed schedule because customer rates will not increase as long as the current rate case is pending.

Please contact me if you have questions about this matter.

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