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June 6, 2012

Oregon Public Utility Commission 550 Capitol Street NE Salem, OR 97310-1380

ATTN: Ms. Vikie Malkasian

Subject: Revised Spring Earnings Review

Dear Ms. Malkasian:

Enclosed is Cascade Natural Gas Corporation's revised earnings deferral amount for the period ended December 31, 2011. In its original filing made on April 30, 2012, Cascade inadvertently used an incorrect earnings threshold amount of 10.92%. This revised filing uses the correct amount of 10.82% and includes a revised earnings sharing amount of \$368,759.

If there are any questions regarding these documents or the filing in general, please contact Mike Parvinen at (509) 734-4593.

Sincerely,

Pamela J. Orcher Pamela J. Archer

Supervisor

Regulatory Analysis

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## Cascade Natural Gas Corporation

## **Earnings Deferral**

# State of Oregon 12 months ended December 31, 2011

| Adjusted overall rate of return         |    | 9.95%      |
|---|----|------------|
| Less return required for:               |    | 2 449/     |
| Long term debt                          |    | -3.44%     |
| Preferred stock                         |    | 0.00%      |
| Return available for common             |    | 6.51%      |
| Capitalization ratio for common         |    | 50.98%     |
| Implied ROE (common return / ratio)     |    | 12.77%     |
| Threshold per OPUC order                | 4  | 10.82%     |
| Return on Equity in excess of threshold |    | 1.95%      |
| Capitalization ratio for common         |    | 50.98%     |
| Overall Return in excess of threshold   |    | 0.99%      |
| Average rate base                       | \$ | 66,526,347 |
| Excess earnings                         | \$ | 658,611    |
| Net to Gross Conversion Factor          |    | 0.58939    |
| Pre-Tax over the threshold Earnings     | \$ | 1,117,451  |
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| Earnings sharing percentage             |    | 33.00%     |
| Earnings Sharing for CY 11              | \$ | 368,759    |