

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

UM 2192

In the Matter of

NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS  
COMPANY dba NW NATURAL,

Application for Approval of Deferred  
Accounting for TSA Security Directive 2  
Compliance Expenses.

RULING

**DISPOSITION: PETITION TO INTERVENE GRANTED FOR LIMITED  
PURPOSES**

The Commission has received a petition to intervene in this docket from Alliance of Western Energy Consumers.

This proceeding is not a contested case proceeding under ORS 183.310(2). Nonetheless, obtaining party status is necessary for purposes of receiving copies of filings made by others and to be eligible to sign a protective order to obtain access to confidential information. For those reasons, the Commission will grant the petitions to intervene, even though party status does not confer the general rights and duties to individuals who participate in contested case proceedings.

The petition to intervene filed by Alliance of Western Energy Consumers is granted for the limited purposes described above.

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2022, at Salem, Oregon.



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Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick  
Administrative Law Judge