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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
Attn: Filing Center  
201 High Street SE Suite 100  
Post Office Box 1088  
Salem, Oregon 97308-1088

**Re: Schedule 80, Firm Storage Service**

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural or Company), files herewith the following revision to its Tariff, P.U.C. Or. 25, stated to become effective with service on and after February 15, 2019:

Second Revision of Sheets 80-6,  
Rate Schedule 80,  
“Firm Storage Service.”

The purpose of this filing is to update the rates for Schedule 80 service to reflect changes in rates approved by FERC resulting from the Company’s most recent Mist Interstate Storage Rate Petition filed on October 12, 2018. As the Petition was filed under FERC's Optional Notice Procedure regulations, the new rates are automatically deemed effective without the issuance of a written letter order from FERC, since no protests were filed by the December 11 protest due date. The rate changes became effective November 1, 2018.

The Company is required to periodically file with the FERC to update rates for this service; the next required update is due on or before November 1, 2023.

Rate Schedule 80 first went into effect on November 23, 2005 on an experimental basis, and the experimental designation was removed effective April 1, 2014.

The Company requests that the tariff sheets filed herewith be permitted to become effective with service on and after February 15, 2018.

Copies of this letter and the filing made herewith are available in the Company's main office in Portland, Oregon and on its website at [www.nwnatural.com](http://www.nwnatural.com).

Please address correspondence on this matter to me with copies to the following:

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Please contact me at (503) 721-2452, if you have questions.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Onita King*

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Attachments

# NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS COMPANY

P.U.C. Or. 25

Second Revision of Sheet 80-6  
Cancels First Revision of Sheet 80-6

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## RATE SCHEDULE 80 FIRM STORAGE SERVICE (continued)

### RATES AND CHARGES:

Effective: November 1, 2018

#### ***Monthly Deliverability Reservation Charge.***

A monthly charge, as set forth in the Service Agreement, shall apply for each Dekatherm (Dth) of Customer's MDWQ. The maximum Monthly Deliverability Reservation Charge is \$4.6445/month and the minimum charge is \$0. (R)

#### ***Monthly Capacity Charge.***

A monthly charge, as set forth in the Service Agreement, shall apply for each Dth of Customer's MSC. The maximum Monthly Capacity Charge is \$0.0562/month and the minimum charge is \$0. (R)

#### ***Authorized Overrun Charge.***

A charge, as set forth in the Service Agreement, may apply for each Dth of Gas withdrawn in excess of Customer's MDWQ or injected in excess of Customer's MDIQ (Authorized Overrun Quantities) on each Gas Day of a given Month. The maximum charge is \$0.1527 and the minimum charge is \$0.0000. (R)

#### ***Fuel Charge.***

Customers shall be assessed a 2.1% fuel-in-kind charge for each Dth of gas injected. (R)

#### ***Other Applicable Charges.***

Any other applicable charges as provided for in the Tariff may be set forth on the Service Agreement or monthly invoice, as appropriate.

#### ***Service Charge Credit.***

If the Company fails to deliver to the designated Storage Delivery Point or receive at the Receipt Point hereunder, other than as may be excused by Force Majeure, ninety-five percent (95%) or more of the aggregate Confirmed Daily Nominations (as hereinafter defined) of all firm intrastate Storage Service Customers for more than twenty-eight (28) Days in any given Contract Year, then for each Gas Day during that Contract Year in excess of twenty-eight (28) Days that the Company so fails to deliver or receive (a "Credit Day"), Customer, as its sole remedy, shall be entitled to a Service Charge Credit calculated as set forth below.

(continue to Sheet 80-7)

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