## **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

## **OF OREGON**

## LC 64

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In the Matter of
Northwest Natural Gas Company
2016 Integrated Resource Plan

NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST AN ISSUE FUND GRANT OF THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD OF OREGON

The Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon (CUB) files this Notice of Intent to Request an Issue Fund Grant in LC 64, pursuant to OAR 860-001-0120 and the Third Amended and Restated Intervenor Funding Agreement (IFA), approved by the Oregon Public Utility Commission (Commission) in Order No. 15-335 (October 20, 2015).

- Northwest Natural Gas Company (NW Natural) has filed its 2016 Integrated Resource Plan. The Commission will examine this filing in Docket No. LC 64.
- LC 64 is an Eligible Proceeding under the IFA. The IFA defines an Eligible Proceeding as "any Commission proceeding that directly affects one or more of the Participating Public Utilities." IFA, Article 1(c).
- 3. LC 64 will directly affect NW Natural, which is a Participating Public Utility under Article 1(k) of the IFA.
- 4. As required by IFA Article 6.2, this Notice of Intent is being served on each affected Participating Public Utility, all precertified organizations, and all parties identified on the service list from LC 64.

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- CUB identifies the 2016 NW Natural Issue Fund Account as the account from which CUB intends to request the Issue Fund Grant.
- CUB has been pre-certified under Article 5.2(a) of the IFA and OAR 860-001-0120(3)(a), as eligible to receive an Issue Fund Grant.
- CUB will file a proposed budget with respect to the Issue Fund Grant, as provided in Article 6.3 of the IFA.

Dated this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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