## **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

## **OF OREGON**

## LC 81

In the Matter of ) ) AVISTA CORPORATION, dba AVISTA ) UTILITIES. ) ) 2023 Natural Gas Integrated Resource Plan. )

OREGON CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD'S NOTICE OF INTENT TO **REQUEST ISSUE FUND GRANT** 

The Oregon Citizens' Utility Board (CUB) files this Notice of Intent to Request Issue Fund Grant in LC 81, pursuant to OAR 860-001-0120(3)(a) and the Fifth Intervenor Funding Agreement (IFA), approved by the Oregon Public Utility Commission (Commission) in Order No. 22-506 (December 29, 2022).

- 1. The Public Utility Commission of Oregon has opened a docket to explore issues related to Avista Corporation's 2023 Integrated Resource Plan. The Commission will examine this filing in Docket No. LC 81.
- 2. LC 81. is an Eligible Proceeding under the IFA. The IFA defines an Eligible Proceeding in part as "an Integrated Resource Plan,...;" IFA, Article 1(e)(iii).
- 3. LC 81 will directly affect Avista Corporation, 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 pre-certified organizations, and all parties identified on the service list from LC 81.
- 5. CUB identifies the 2023 Avista Corporation Issue Fund Account as the account from which CUB intends to request the Issue Fund Grant.

- 6. CUB has been pre-certified under Article 5.1 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 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2023

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