ISSUED: May 19, 2023

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

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In the Matter of

NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS COMPANY, dba NW Natural,

2022 Integrated Resource Plan.

MEMORANDUM REGARDING SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETINGS

As set forth in the May 11 and 15, 2023 memorandum and errata memorandum, respectively, issued in this docket, the Commission will hold a Special Public Meeting to hear final Staff, company, and public comments on Northwest Natural Gas Company's 2022 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) on June 1, 2023. Additionally, the Commission has reserved time on June 6, 2023, for a Special Public Meeting to finalize its decision on acknowledgment to the extent that there is not enough time to reach a decision at the earlier meeting. The agenda for each meeting is outlined below.

June 1, 2023 Special Public Meeting for Final Public Comment (9:30 a.m.)

- Welcome and Commissioner remarks
- Staff recommendations on the IRP
- Northwest Natural's comments
- Public comments

The Commission requests that members of the public wishing to provide oral comment on Staff's recommendations and Northwest Natural's 2022 IRP notify the Commission at least 24 hours before the meeting. Prior notice is not required, but it helps the Commission manage time for public comment and makes it more likely that all comments can be heard. At the appropriate time, the Chair will take comments from those who have made requests to speak in advance, and if time permits, from those indicating an interest to comment during the meeting. The Commission may set time limits for each speaker depending on the number of people interested in providing comment. If you would like to comment, please send an email to the Commission at puc.oregon.gov and provide your name, who you're representing and what agenda item you would like to comment on.

June 6, 2023 Special Public Meeting for Decision on Acknowledgment (10:30 a.m.)

This Special Public Meeting will only be held to the extent that the Commission does not make a decision on acknowledgment at the June 1, 2023 Special Public Meeting. If this meeting is held, the Commission will make a decision regarding whether to acknowledge,

and the Commission will not accept comment from the company, stakeholders, or the public at this meeting. The Commission may, however, ask specific follow-up questions to Staff, the company, or other participants in attendance.

Dated this 19th day of May, 2022, at Salem, Oregon.

Sarah Spruce Administrative Law Judge

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