ISSUED: September 11, 2017

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

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In the Matter of

AVISTA CORPORATION, dba AVISTA UTILITIES,

RULING

Request for a General Rate Revision.

DISPOSITION:

MOTIONS GRANTED; TESTIMONY AND EXHIBITS

ADMITTED; RECORD CLOSED.

Avista Corporation, the Oregon Citizens' Utility Board (CUB), the Northwest Industrial Gas Users (NWIGU), and the Commission Staff have each filed motions to admit their pre-filed testimony and exhibits in this proceeding. The motions were supported by witness affidavits and declarations, and no party objected to the motions. The parties also filed a joint brief in response to a bench request supported by declarations of witnesses.

I find testimony and exhibits offered by the parties meet the standards for relevance as required by OAR 860-001-0450(1) and satisfy the requirements of OAR 860-001-0480. The following testimony and exhibits, joint brief and declarations along with errata pages or corrections and supporting affidavits, are admitted into the record:

Staff/100-106, Gardner; Staff/200-211, Muldoon; Staff/300-303, Gorsuch; Staff/400-403, Johnson; Staff/500-502, Peng; Staff 600-609, St. Brown; Staff/700-708, Kaufman; Staff/800-807, Moore; Staff/900-910, Anderson; Staff/1000-1002, Barry; Staff/1100-1105, Gibbens; Staff/1200-1204, Ihle; Staff/1300-1308, Boyle; Staff/1400-1403, Zarate

CUB/100-129, McGovern

NWIGU 101-103, Gorman

AVISTA/100-103, Morris; AVISTA/200-203 and 1100-1102/Thies; AVISTA/300-302 and 1200-1201, McKenzie; AVISTA/400-401, Morehouse; AVISTA/500-502 and 1300, Smith; AVISTA/600 and 1400-1404, Machado; AVISTA/700-701, Forsyth; AVISTA/800-802 and 1800/Miller; AVISTA/900-903 and 1900-1901, Ehrbar; AVISTA/1000-1001, Norwood; AVISTA/1500-1503, Rosentrater; AVISTA/1600-1604; Kensok

Joint Testimony/100-101

Joint Brief in Response to Bench Request Declaration of Patrick D. Ehrbar Declaration of Mitchell Moore

The record is closed.

Dated this 11th day of September, 2017, at Salem, Oregon.

Aflan J. Arlow Administrative Law Judge