

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UI 276

In the Matter of)	
)	ORDER
NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS)	
COMPANY, dba NW NATURAL)	
)	
Application for Affiliated Interest)	
Agreement with Palomar Gas)	
Transmission, LLC.)	

**DISPOSITION: APPLICATION FOR RECONSIDERATION
WITHDRAWN; DOCKET CLOSED**

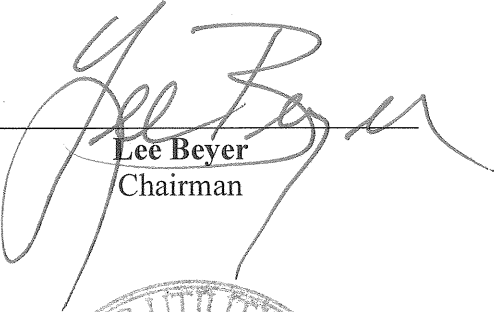
On November 1, 2007, Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (NW Natural) filed an Application for an affiliated interest agreement between NW Natural and Palomar Gas Transmission, LLC, with the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission). The Commission approved the application in Order No. 08-107. On February 22, 2008, Northwest Pipeline GP (Northwest Pipeline) filed an Application for Reconsideration or Rehearing of Order No. 08-107 and Petition for Commission Investigation (Rehearing Application).

Since filing its Rehearing Application, Northwest Pipeline has been in discussions with NW Natural regarding this proceeding. Northwest Pipeline has determined that this proceeding may not be the most effective forum for resolving the issues addressed in the Rehearing Application. NW Natural and Northwest Pipeline recognize that NW Natural's interest and support of the Palomar Gas Transmission pipeline is not attributable to NW Natural's assessment of Northwest Pipeline's performance. Northwest Pipeline has confirmed with NW Natural that it does not oppose the withdrawal of the Rehearing Application.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the motion to withdraw the Application for Reconsideration or Rehearing of Order No. 08-107 and Petition for a Commission Investigation filed by Northwest Pipeline GP, is granted. Docket UI 276 is closed.

Made, entered, and effective MAR 11 2008.



Lee Beyer
Chairman



John Savage
Commissioner



Ray Baum
Commissioner



A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480-183.484.