

DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO: COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER
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DATE: NOVEMBER 25, 2020

**SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF AVISTA CORPORATION'S COMPLIANCE
FILING TO UPDATE AND ESTABLISH ITS CAPACITY DEFICIENCY
PERIOD TO BE USED FOR AVOIDED COST CALCULATIONS; CASE
NO. AVU-E-20-11.**

On October 21, 2020, Avista Corporation d/b/a/ Avista Utilities ("Company") filed its capacity deficiency update ("Filing"). The Company's 2020 Integrated Resource Portfolio identified the Company's first load deficit in January 2026. See Order No. 34814. The Company requested its Filing be processed via Modified Procedure.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention Deadline establishing a 21-day intervention period.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention Deadline establishing a 21-day intervention period?



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