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**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	)	CASE NO. AVU-E-12-08
OF AVISTA CORPORATION FOR THE	)	CASE NO. AVU-G-12-07
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES	)	
AND CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC AND	)	
NATURAL GAS SERVICE TO ELECTRIC	)	DIRECT TESTIMONY
AND NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS IN THE	)	OF
STATE OF IDAHO	)	ELIZABETH M. ANDREWS
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FOR AVISTA CORPORATION

(ELECTRIC AND NATURAL GAS)

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1 I. INTRODUCTION

2 Q. Please state your name, business address, and  
3 present position with Avista Corporation.

4 A. My name is Elizabeth M. Andrews. I am employed by  
5 Avista Corporation as Manager of Revenue Requirements in the  
6 State and Federal Regulation Department. My business  
7 address is 1411 East Mission, Spokane, Washington.

8 Q. Would you please describe your education and  
9 business experience?

10 A. I am a 1990 graduate of Eastern Washington  
11 University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Business  
12 Administration, majoring in Accounting. That same year, I  
13 passed the November Certified Public Accountant exam,  
14 earning my CPA License in August 1991<sup>1</sup>. I worked for  
15 Lemaster & Daniels, CPAs from 1990 to 1993, before joining  
16 the Company in August 1993. I served in various positions  
17 within the sections of the Finance Department, including  
18 General Ledger Accountant and Systems Support Analyst until  
19 2000. In 2000, I was hired into the State and Federal  
20 Regulation Department as a Regulatory Analyst until my  
21 promotion to Manager of Revenue Requirements in early 2007.  
22 I have also attended several utility accounting, ratemaking  
23 and leadership courses.

<sup>1</sup> Currently I keep a CPA-Inactive status with regards to my CPA license.



1 Idaho. The exhibits also show the calculation of the  
2 general revenue requirement, the derivation of the Company's  
3 overall proposed rate of return, the derivation of the net-  
4 operating-income-to-gross-revenue-conversion factor, and the  
5 specific pro forma adjustments proposed in this filing.

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## II. COMBINED REVENUE REQUIREMENT SUMMARY

8 **Q. Would you please summarize the results of the**  
9 **Company's pro forma study for both the electric and natural**  
10 **gas operating systems for the Idaho jurisdiction?**

11 A. Yes. After taking into account all standard  
12 Commission Basis adjustments, as well as additional pro  
13 forma and normalizing adjustments, the pro forma electric  
14 and natural gas rates of return ("ROR") for the Company's  
15 Idaho jurisdictional operations are 7.32% and 5.84%,  
16 respectively. Both return levels are below the Company's  
17 requested rate of return of 8.46%. The incremental revenue  
18 requirement necessary to give the Company an opportunity to  
19 earn its requested ROR is \$11,393,000 for the electric  
20 operations and \$4,561,000 for the natural gas operations.  
21 The overall base electric increase associated with this  
22 request is 4.58%. The base natural gas increase is 7.20%.

23 **Q. What are the Company's rates of return that were**  
24 **last authorized by this Commission for its electric and gas**  
25 **operations in Idaho?**



1 Mr. Ehrbar, the reduced load from the EELA causes an  
2 increase in revenue requirement in each of the major cost  
3 categories, because the foregone retail revenue from the  
4 load reduction is designed to recover costs in each of the  
5 categories.

6 **Q. What were the major components of the increased**  
7 **net plant investment included in the Company's electric and**  
8 **natural gas filings?**

9 A. Looking at the changes to "gross" plant in  
10 service, Idaho "gross" plant increased by approximately  
11 \$37.2 million electric and \$12.3 million natural gas, as  
12 compared to what was included in the last rate case. In  
13 order to meet the energy and reliability needs of our  
14 customers, \$15.4 million of the electric "gross" plant  
15 increase is due to the Company's investment in thermal and  
16 hydro generating facilities, as well as additional  
17 transmission investment. Electric distribution "gross"  
18 plant increased \$10.0 million above that included in the  
19 last rate case, while the electric portion of general and  
20 intangible "gross" plant increased \$11.8 million.

21 Related to gas, \$8.2 million of the natural gas "gross"  
22 plant increase is due to the Company's investment in natural  
23 gas distribution plant above that included in the last rate  
24 case, while the natural gas portion of general "gross" plant  
25 increased \$4.1 million.

1           The specific 2012 and 2013 pro forma capital  
2 expenditures undertaken by the Company to expand and replace  
3 its generation, transmission and distribution facilities are  
4 discussed further by Company witnesses Mr. Lafferty  
5 regarding production assets, and Mr. Kinney regarding  
6 transmission and distribution assets. In addition to  
7 discussing the actual restating and pro forma adjustments  
8 regarding net plant investment, Company witness Mr. DeFelice  
9 also describes all remaining 2012 and 2013 plant additions  
10 not described by Mr. Lafferty and Mr. Kinney.

11           **Q. Mr. DeFelice explains the restating pro forma**  
12 **capital adjustments included in this case. Could you please**  
13 **briefly describe the conclusions drawn by Mr. DeFelice**  
14 **regarding the increased capital investment?**

15           A. Yes. As described in Mr. DeFelice's testimony,  
16 the Company is making substantial new investment in its  
17 electric and natural gas system infrastructure to address  
18 the replacement and maintenance of Avista's aging system,  
19 and to sustain reliability and safety. As soon as this new  
20 plant is placed in service, the Company must start  
21 depreciating the new plant and incur other costs related to  
22 the investment. Unless this new investment is reflected in  
23 retail rates in a timely manner, it has a negative impact on  
24 Avista's earnings, particularly because the new plant is  
25 typically far more costly to install than the cost of the

1 plant that was embedded in rates decades earlier. As plant  
2 is completed and is providing service to customers, it is  
3 appropriate for the Company to receive timely recovery of  
4 the costs associated with that plant.

5 **Q. Could you please provide additional details**  
6 **related to the changes in electric production and**  
7 **transmission expense?**

8 A. Yes. As discussed in Company witness Mr. Johnson's  
9 testimony, the level of Idaho's share of power supply  
10 expense has decreased by approximately \$4.7 million (\$13.56  
11 million on a system basis) from the level included in the  
12 last rate case.

13 This decrease in pro forma power supply expense over  
14 the expense included in the last rate case is primarily a  
15 result of lower natural gas and power prices. For example,  
16 the natural gas price included in the Company's AURORA model  
17 has decreased from an annual average of \$4.62/dth to  
18 \$3.44/dth. The average modeled power purchase price has  
19 decreased from \$40.45/MWh to \$28.33/MWh. In addition, pro  
20 forma system loads are lower by 3.2 average megawatts (aMW)  
21 than the load included in the last rate case. Mr. Johnson  
22 discusses in further detail the changes in power supply  
23 expenses.

24 The reduction in power supply expense is partially  
25 offset by increased generation expense of approximately \$2.2

1 million, including one-third of the three-year amortization  
2 of deferred Colstrip & Coyote Springs 2 (CS2) operation and  
3 maintenance (O&M) expense<sup>4</sup> of \$1.3 million, (Idaho share)  
4 and increased hydro generation major maintenance expense of  
5 \$907,000 (Idaho share) planned in 2013.

6 Lastly, pro forma net transmission expenditures  
7 decreased, mainly due to approximately \$3.8 million (System)  
8 of increased electric revenues from various contracts,  
9 including the BPA Parallel Capacity support contract and a  
10 reduction in expenses from that included in the last rate  
11 case of \$1.9 million (System) associated with the  
12 Transmission Line Ratings Confirmation Plan to be completed  
13 in 2013, as discussed by Mr. Kinney.

14 **Q. Could you please identify the main components of**  
15 **the distribution, O&M and A&G expense changes included in**  
16 **the Company's filing?**

17 A. Yes. A number of expense items have increased  
18 since the 2010 test year pro forma used in the last rate  
19 case. For example, employee benefits such as wages, pension  
20 and post-retirement medical expenses have increased.

21 We are utilizing a June 30, 2012 twelve-months-ended  
22 test year. The Company has included a number of pro forma

<sup>4</sup> As approved in Case No. AVU-E-11-01, the Company is amortizing prior year's deferred operation and maintenance (O&M) expense (the amount of actual costs in excess of costs included in base rates for 2011 and 2012) related to the Company's Coyote Springs 2 (CS2) natural gas-fired generating plant and Avista's 15 percent ownership share of the Colstrip 3 & 4 coal-fired generating plants, over a three-year period.

1 adjustments to capture some of the cost changes that the  
2 Company will experience from the test year. In particular,  
3 the Company has pro formed in the increased costs associated  
4 with compensation, including labor, pension and medical  
5 expense increases of approximately \$2.4 million electric and  
6 \$700,000 natural gas, and increases in Information Systems  
7 and Technology expenses of approximately \$345,000 electric  
8 and \$74,000 natural gas, which equates to approximately 45%  
9 of the electric and 30% of the natural gas additional  
10 increases in distribution, O&M and A&G expense included in  
11 the Company's filing. The majority of the remaining  
12 increases reflect net increases in costs over the 18-month  
13 period since the Company's last general rate case filing.

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15 **III. DERIVATION OF REVENUE REQUIREMENT**

16 **Test Period for Ratemaking Purposes**

17 **Q. On what test period is the Company basing its need**  
18 **for additional electric and natural gas revenue?**

19 A. The test period being used by the Company is the  
20 twelve-month period ending June 30, 2012, presented on a pro  
21 forma basis. Currently authorized rates, effective October  
22 1, 2011, were based upon the twelve-months ending December  
23 31, 2010 test year utilized in cases AVU-E-11-01 and AVU-G-  
24 11-01, adjusted on a pro forma basis.

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1 **Revenue Requirement**

2 Q. Would you please explain what is shown in Exhibit  
3 No. 10, Schedules 1 and 2?

4 A. Yes. Exhibit No. 10, Schedules 1 and 2, show  
5 actual and pro forma electric and natural gas operating  
6 results and rate base for the test period for the State of  
7 Idaho. Column (b) of page 1 of Exhibit No. 10, Schedules 1  
8 and 2, show June 30, 2012 actual operating results and  
9 components of the average-of-monthly-average rate base as  
10 recorded<sup>5</sup>; column (c) is the total of all adjustments to net  
11 operating income and rate base; and column (d) is pro forma  
12 results of operations, all under existing rates. Column (e)  
13 shows the revenue increase required which would allow the  
14 Company to earn an 8.46% rate of return. Column (f)  
15 reflects pro forma operating results with the requested  
16 increase of \$11,393,000 for electric and \$4,561,000 for  
17 natural gas. The restating adjustments shown in columns  
18 (1.01) through (2.13), of pages 6 through 10 of Exhibit No.  
19 10, Schedule 1 (electric), and columns (1.01) through  
20 (2.09), of pages 6 through 10 of Exhibit No. 10, Schedule 2  
21 (natural gas) are consistent with current regulatory  
22 principles and the manner in which they have been addressed  
23 in recent cases.

<sup>5</sup> Actual plant rate base (cost, accumulated depreciation and associated DFIT) uses the AMA December 31, 2011 balances. Plant rate base is adjusted to a 2013 AMA basis with restating and pro forma adjustments.





1 In past general rate case filings based on past  
2 Commission orders, this column represented actual net  
3 operating income and net utility plant, which included  
4 balances after accumulated depreciation and amortization,  
5 but before accumulated deferred income taxes (DFIT) and  
6 other rate base adjustments impacting the Company's actual  
7 net rate base results. Accumulated DFIT and other rate base  
8 adjustments were included as "Standard Commission Basis and  
9 Restating Adjustments" to be consistent with prior  
10 Commission orders, resulting in a "Restated Total" provided  
11 within the Company's filing.

12 In this filing however, column (1.00) Results of  
13 Operations reflects the actual operating results and total  
14 net rate base experienced by the Company on an average-of-  
15 monthly-average (AMA) basis, including Accumulated DFIT and  
16 other rate base adjustments previously shown as restating  
17 adjustments.<sup>6</sup> Columns following the Results of Operations  
18 column (1.00) reflect restating adjustments necessary to:  
19 restate the actual results based on prior Commission orders;  
20 reflect appropriate annualized expenses; correct for errors;  
21 or remove prior period amounts reflected in the actual  
22 results of operations.

<sup>6</sup> As noted above, actual plant rate base (cost, accumulated depreciation and associated DFIT) uses the AMA December 31, 2011 balances. Plant rate base is adjusted to a 2013 AMA basis with restating and pro forma adjustments. All other rate base amounts are included in column 1.00 on a June 30, 2012 AMA basis.



1 rate base by \$2,000. Idaho electric NOI increases by a  
2 total of \$16,000, while natural gas NOI decreases by \$8,000.

3 As noted above, the June 2012 AMA actual rate base  
4 amounts of other rate base adjustments are included in the  
5 Results of Operations column (1.00). Adjustments included  
6 in the Deferred Debits and Credits consolidated adjustment  
7 are those necessary to reflect restatements from actual  
8 results based on prior Commission orders, and are explained  
9 below. For consistency with prior rate case filings, a  
10 description of each previously separated adjustment is  
11 included below.

12 The following items are included in the consolidation:

13 • **Gain on Office Building** reflects the removal of  
14 the amortization expense and AMA rate base balance  
15 included in the Company's test period related to  
16 Idaho's portion of the amortized gain on the sale of  
17 the Company's general office facility. The facility  
18 was sold in December 1986 and leased back by the  
19 Company. Although the Company repurchased the building  
20 in November 2005, the Company opted to continue to  
21 amortize the deferred gain over the remaining  
22 amortization period ending in 2011.

23 • **Colstrip 3 AFUDC Elimination** is a reallocation of  
24 rate base and depreciation expense between  
25 jurisdictions. In Cause Nos. U-81-15 and U-82-10, the  
26 Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
27 (WUTC) allowed the Company a return on a portion of  
28 Colstrip Unit 3 construction work in progress (CWIP).  
29 A much smaller amount of Colstrip Unit 3 CWIP was  
30 allowed in rate base in Case No. U-1008-144 by the  
31 Idaho Public Utility Commission (IPUC). The Company  
32 eliminated the AFUDC associated with the portion of  
33 CWIP allowed in rate base in each jurisdiction. Since  
34 production facilities are allocated on the  
35 Production/Transmission formula, the allocation of  
36 AFUDC is reversed and a direct assignment is made.

37 • **Colstrip Common AFUDC** is also associated with the  
38 Colstrip plants in Montana, and increases rate base.

1 Differing amounts of Colstrip common facilities were  
2 excluded from rate base by this Commission and the WUTC  
3 until Colstrip Unit 4 was placed in service. The  
4 Company was allowed to accrue AFUDC on the Colstrip  
5 common facilities during the time that they were  
6 excluded from rate base. It is necessary to directly  
7 assign the AFUDC because of the differing amounts of  
8 common facilities excluded from rate base by this  
9 Commission and the WUTC. In September 1988, an entry  
10 was made to comply with a Federal Energy Regulatory  
11 Commission (FERC) Audit Exception, which transferred  
12 Colstrip common AFUDC from the plant accounts to  
13 Account 186. These amounts reflect a direct assignment  
14 of rate base for the appropriate average-of-monthly-  
15 averages amounts of Colstrip common AFUDC to the  
16 Washington and Idaho jurisdictions. Amortization  
17 expense associated with the Colstrip common AFUDC is  
18 charged directly to the Washington and Idaho  
19 jurisdictions through Account 406 and is a component of  
20 the actual results of operations.

21 • **Kettle Falls & Boulder Park Disallowances** reflects  
22 the Kettle Falls generating plant disallowance ordered  
23 by this Commission in Case No. U-1008-185 and the  
24 Boulder Park plant disallowance ordered by the IPUC in  
25 Case No. AVU-E-04-1. The IPUC disallowed a rate of  
26 return on \$3,009,445 of investment in Kettle Falls, and  
27 \$2,600,000 million of investment in Boulder Park. The  
28 disallowed investment, and related accumulated  
29 depreciation and accumulated deferred taxes are  
30 removed. These amounts are a component of actual  
31 results of operations.

32 • **Restating CDA Settlement Deferral** adjusts the net  
33 assets and DFIT balances associated with the 2008/2009  
34 past storage and \$10(e) charges deferred for future  
35 recovery to a 2013 AMA basis, and records the annual  
36 amortization expense based on a ten-year amortization,  
37 as approved in Docket No. AVU-E-10-01.

38 • **Restating Spokane River Deferral** adjusts the net  
39 asset and DFIT balances related to the Spokane River  
40 deferred relicensing costs to a 2013 AMA basis, and  
41 records the annual amortization expense based on a ten-  
42 year amortization as approved in Case No. AVU-E-10-01.

43 • **Restating Spokane River PM&E Deferral** adjusts the  
44 net asset and DFIT balances related to the Spokane  
45 River deferred PM&E costs to a 2013 AMA basis, and  
46 records the annual amortization expense based on a ten-  
47 year amortization as approved in Case No. AVU-E-10-01.

48 • **Restating Montana Riverbed Lease** reflects the  
49 costs associated with the Montana Riverbed lease

1 settlement. In this settlement, the Company agreed to  
2 pay the State of Montana \$4.0 million annually  
3 beginning in 2007, with annual inflation adjustments,  
4 for a 10-year period for leasing the riverbed under the  
5 Noxon Rapids Project and the Montana portion of the  
6 Cabinet Gorge Project. The first two annual payments  
7 were deferred by Avista as approved in Case No. AVU-E-  
8 07-10. In Case No. AVU-E-08-01 (see Order No. 30647),  
9 the Commission approved the Company's accounting  
10 treatment of the deferred payments, including accrued  
11 interest, to be amortized over the remaining eight  
12 years of the agreement starting October 1, 2008. This  
13 adjustment includes amortization of one-eighth of the  
14 deferred balance and the adjustment to lease payment  
15 expense for the additional annual inflation.

16 • **Weatherization and DSM Investment** includes in rate  
17 base the Sandpoint weatherization grant balance (FERC  
18 account 124.350), and removes the 1994 DSM Program  
19 amortization expense included in the test period.  
20 Beginning in July 1994 accumulation of AFUCE<sup>7</sup> ceased on  
21 Electric DSM and full amortization began on the balance  
22 based on the measure lives of the investment.  
23 Beginning in 1995 the amortization rates were  
24 accelerated to achieve a 14 year weighted average  
25 amortization period, which was completed in 2010. As  
26 no expense will be incurred during the 2013 rate year  
27 the portion of the 2010 amortization included in the  
28 test period is being eliminated.

29 • **Customer Advances** decreases rate base for moneys  
30 advanced by customers for line extensions, as they will  
31 be recorded as contributions in aid of construction at  
32 some future time.  
33

34 Electric Adjustment (1.03) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
35 (1.03) - **Working Capital**, maintains the working capital rate  
36 base amount at the June 30, 2012 AMA test period amount  
37 included in the Results of Operations column (1.00), and  
38 therefore there is no additional adjustment to rate base  
39 needed. The Company has calculated its working capital in  
40 this proceeding by including Idaho's portion of the June 30,

<sup>7</sup> Allowance for funds used to conserve energy.

1 2012 average-monthly-average balances of FERC accounts 151  
2 (Fuel Stock Inventory) and 154 (Plant Materials and  
3 Supplies).

4 Electric Adjustment (1.04) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
5 (1.04) - **Restate 2011 Capital**, restates the capital cost and  
6 expenses associated with adjusting the 2011 average-of-  
7 monthly-average (AMA) plant related balances to end-of-  
8 period (EOP) balances for plant in service at December 31,  
9 2011.<sup>8</sup> The effect on Idaho rate base is an increase of  
10 \$9,464,000 to electric and a reduction of \$242,000 to  
11 natural gas rate base. The effect on Idaho net operating  
12 income (NOI) is a reduction of \$327,000 electric and \$73,000  
13 natural gas.

14 Electric Adjustment (2.01) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
15 (2.02) - **Eliminate B & O Taxes**, eliminates the revenues and  
16 expenses associated with local business and occupation (B &  
17 O) taxes, which the Company passes through to its Idaho  
18 customers. The effect of this adjustment decreases electric  
19 NOI by \$5,000, while natural gas nets to a \$0 NOI change.

20 Electric Adjustment (2.02) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
21 (2.03) - **Uncollectible Expense**, restates the accrued expense  
22 to the actual level of net write-offs for the test period.

<sup>8</sup> Separate Pro Forma adjustments revise the total plant in service at December 31, 2011 to end-of-period December 31, 2012 and then to AMA 2013 in adjustments "Planned Capital Additions 2012" and "Planned Capital Additions 2013 AMA." See Electric Adjustments (3.09) and (3.10) and Natural Gas Adjustments (3.08) and (3.09) described below.

1 The effect of this adjustment increases electric NOI by  
2 \$106,000 and natural gas NOI by \$211,000.

3 Electric Adjustment (2.03) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
4 (2.04) - **Regulatory Expense**, restates recorded test period  
5 regulatory expense to reflect the IPUC assessment rates  
6 applied to expected revenues for the test period and the  
7 actual levels of FERC fees paid during the test period. The  
8 effect of this adjustment increases electric NOI by \$23,000,  
9 while natural gas NOI decreases by \$1,000.

10 Electric Adjustment (2.04) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
11 (2.05) - **Injuries and Damages**, is a restating adjustment  
12 that replaces the accrual with the six-year rolling average  
13 of actual injuries and damages payments not covered by  
14 insurance. This methodology was accepted by the Idaho  
15 Commission in Case No. WWP-E-98-11, and has been used since  
16 that time. The effect of this adjustment decreases electric  
17 NOI by \$234,000 and natural gas NOI by \$13,000.

18 Electric Adjustment (2.05) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
19 (2.06) - **FIT/DFIT/ITC/PTC Expenses**, adjusts the FIT and DFIT  
20 expenses calculated at 35% within Results of Operations by  
21 removing the effect of certain Schedule M items, matching  
22 the jurisdictional allocation of other Schedule M items to  
23 related Results of Operations allocations and adjusts the  
24 appropriate level of production tax credits and income tax  
25 credits on qualified electric generation.

1 For the electric adjustment, the net FIT and production  
2 tax credit adjustments increase Idaho electric NOI by  
3 \$188,000, while adjusting for the proper level of deferred  
4 federal income tax (DFIT) expense for the test period,  
5 decreases Idaho NOI by \$180,000, resulting in a net NOI  
6 reduction of \$8,000. For the natural gas adjustment, the  
7 net effect of the FIT and DFIT adjustments results in a \$0  
8 impact to NOI.

9 Electric Adjustment (2.06) - **Idaho PCA**, removes the  
10 effects of the financial accounting for the Power Cost  
11 Adjustment (PCA). The PCA normalizes and defers certain  
12 power supply costs on an ongoing basis between general rate  
13 filings. Certain differences in actual power supply costs,  
14 compared to those included in base retail rates are deferred  
15 and then surcharged or rebated to customers in a future  
16 period. Revenue adjustments due to the PCA and the power  
17 cost deferrals affect actual results of operations and need  
18 to be eliminated to produce a normal period. Actual  
19 revenues and power supply costs are normalized in  
20 adjustments (2.09) Revenue Normalization and (3.01) Power  
21 Supply, respectively. The effect of this adjustment  
22 increases Idaho NOI by \$2,060,000.

23 Electric Adjustment (2.07) - **Nez Perce Settlement**  
24 **Adjustment**, reflects a decrease in production operating  
25 expenses. An agreement was entered into between the Company

1 and the Nez Perce Tribe to settle certain issues regarding  
2 earlier owned and operated hydroelectric generating  
3 facilities of the Company. This adjustment directly assigns  
4 the Nez Perce Settlement expenses to the Washington and  
5 Idaho jurisdictions. This is necessary due to differing  
6 regulatory treatment in Idaho Case No. WWP-E-98-11 and  
7 Washington Docket No. UE-991606. The effect of this  
8 adjustment increases Idaho NOI by \$12,000.

9 Electric Adjustment (2.08) - **Restating CS2 Levelized**  
10 **Adjustment**, adjusts the deferred return amounts related to  
11 Coyote Springs 2 (CS2) to the amounts that will be recorded  
12 during the rate year. In the Company's electric general  
13 rate case, Case No. AVU-E-04-1, Order No. 29602, dated  
14 October 8, 2004, the Commission approved the deferral of  
15 return on CS2 investment in early years for recovery in  
16 later years in order to levelize the revenue requirement on  
17 CS2 plant investment for the first ten years of operation of  
18 the plant. The ten-year period runs from September 1, 2004  
19 through August 31, 2014. This adjustment restates the test  
20 period amount of amortization expense, inclusive of the  
21 carrying charge on the deferred return, to the amount that  
22 will be recorded in the rate year. The change in deferred  
23 income tax expense from the test period to the rate period  
24 is also reflected. This adjustment reduces NOI by \$150,000.

1 Electric Adjustment (2.09) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
2 (2.01) - **Revenue Normalization**, is an adjustment taking into  
3 account known and measurable changes that include 1) revenue  
4 normalization (which reprices customer usage using the  
5 current authorized rates, which were approved in the current  
6 cases, Case Nos. AVU-E-11-01 and AVU-G-11-01, that were  
7 effective October 1, 2011), 2) weather normalization, and 3)  
8 an unbilled revenue calculation. For the electric  
9 adjustment, Schedule 91 Tariff Rider and Schedule 59  
10 Residential Exchange are excluded from pro forma revenues,  
11 and the related amortization expense is eliminated as well.  
12 For the natural gas adjustment, associated natural gas costs  
13 are replaced with natural gas costs computed using  
14 normalized volumes at the currently effective weighted-  
15 average-cost-of-gas, or WACOG rates in Schedule 150.  
16 Revenues associated with the temporary Gas Rate Adjustment  
17 Schedule 155, Schedule 191 Tariff Rider, and Schedule 199  
18 Deferred SIT Adjustment are excluded from pro forma  
19 revenues, and the related amortization expenses are  
20 eliminated as well. Company witness Ms. Knox sponsors these  
21 adjustments. The effect of this adjustment increases  
22 electric NOI by \$1,724,000 and natural gas NOI by \$275,000.

23 Electric Adjustment (2.10) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
24 (2.07) - **Miscellaneous Restating Adjustment** removes a number  
25 of non-operating or non-utility expenses associated with

1 advertising, dues and donations, etc., included in error,  
2 and removes or restates other expenses incorrectly charged  
3 between service and or jurisdiction. The effect of this  
4 adjustment increases electric NOI by \$16,000 and natural gas  
5 NOI by \$5,000.

6 Electric Adjustment (2.11) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
7 (2.08) - **Restating Incentives**, restates the actual employee  
8 payroll incentives included in the Company's test period  
9 using a six-year average adjusted by the Consumer Price  
10 Index.

11 **Q. Please briefly explain the Company's incentive**  
12 **plan.**

13 A. Avista's current incentive plan was first  
14 implemented in 2002, with a goal of focusing employees on  
15 controlling O & M costs per customer by improving our  
16 processes and driving efficiencies to better manage our  
17 business (O & M cost per customer and capital spending)  
18 while paying close attention to our customers' voices  
19 regarding the products and services we provide. Since that  
20 time, we have maintained the basic framework of the plan  
21 incorporating additional measures to create a more balanced  
22 approach to electric and natural gas reliability, as well as  
23 continuous improvement through our Performance Excellence  
24 measure.





1 percentage of customers that experienced more than three  
2 sustained outages in the year, 4) a response time metric  
3 that measures the percentage of time the Company responds  
4 within targeted time goals for dispatched natural gas  
5 emergency calls, and 5) a performance excellence metric  
6 demonstrating the Company's commitment to continuously look  
7 for opportunities for efficiencies in order to keep costs  
8 reasonable for our customers.

9 Each of these targets are independent components to the  
10 incentive plan with individual targets or measures that must  
11 be achieved for a portion of the payout. The customer  
12 satisfaction, reliability index, response time and  
13 performance excellence measures are core objectives to our  
14 business therefore; these non-financial measures are  
15 designed as a "meets" or "not meets" metric, paying out only  
16 if the target of "meets" is achieved.

17 The O&M cost per customer target is based on the actual  
18 year end number of customers, targeted O&M expense and a  
19 formula for the payout to employees, based on the level of  
20 O&M savings below the target. This measure provides an  
21 incentive for employees to keep actual O&M costs as low as  
22 possible. Payments under this portion of the plan can range  
23 from 0% to 150% depending on the level of performance  
24 achieved. The formula for the payout, which was adopted in  
25 2010, is structured such that as the level of savings below

1 the O&M target increases, the payout to employees, as a  
2 percentage of the savings, is reduced.

3 **Q. Please explain the use of a six-year average to**  
4 **restate incentive expense.**

5 A. Since annual Company incentive plan payouts will  
6 vary year-to-year, the Company believes an average of annual  
7 payouts is most appropriate in order to "normalize" these  
8 costs. Often where there are revenues or expenses that can  
9 vary significantly from year-to-year, the Commission has  
10 approved averages to properly reflect a fair and reasonable  
11 level of revenue or expense to be included in customers'  
12 rates. Utilizing a six-year average of the Company's  
13 incentive plan payouts is consistent with other averaging  
14 methods utilized by this Commission in past proceedings.  
15 For example, as shown in Illustration No. 1 below using the  
16 years 2006 through 2011, one can see the large variability  
17 that can occur in each year in payout, and therefore the  
18 variability in customer rates if an average was not  
19 utilized, and the impact of the six-year average as proposed  
20 in this case:

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**Illustration No. 1**

Historical Incentive Plan Payout						
Line No.	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
1 Test Period						
2 Rate Case		<u>AVU-E-08-01</u>	<u>AVU-E-09-01</u>	<u>AVU-E-10-01</u>	<u>AVU-E-11-01</u>	<u>Current Filing</u>
3 System Expense	\$ 4.406	\$ 3.255	\$ 2.856	\$ 5.059	\$ 9.371	\$ 3.428
4 ID - Electric Share	\$ 1.128	\$ 0.833	\$ 0.717	\$ 1.270	\$ 2.277	\$ 0.819
5 Normalization Adjustment					(0.986)	0.311
6 Recovered in Rates/Proposed	\$ 1.128	\$ 0.833	\$ 0.717	\$ 1.270	\$ 1.291	\$ 1.130
Note:	CPI Index was removed from analysis.					

Illustration No. 1 above<sup>9</sup>, reflects the restating (reduction) / increase to test period expense of (\$.986) million and \$0.276 million (Idaho electric) for the years 2010 and 2011 respectively (Line No. 5). Therefore, customers benefited from the \$.986 million reduction to the Company's revenue requirement in the previous GRC. To exclude this six-year average in the current case, would understate the expense that the Company has incurred over time, preventing the Company from recovering its costs over time, although customers have benefited from the O&M savings that have occurred, and triggered the incentive payout.

**Q. What are some other examples where the use of an average has been used by the Company, and approved by the**

<sup>9</sup> The incentive amounts shown on Line No. 6 (Recovered in Rates/Proposed) in Illustration No. 1 for columns 2009 and 2010 represent an approximate amount approved in the Company's prior general rate case proceedings (Case Nos. AVU-E-10-01 and AVU-E-11-01). Due to the black-box nature of the Company's prior settlements approved by the IPUC in Case Nos. AVU-E-10-01 and AVU-E-11-01, the Company made certain assumptions as to the incentive amounts approved in order to create the comparison used in Illustration No. 1, and the discussion that follows.

1 **Commission, to determine the appropriate level of revenue or**  
2 **expense to include in its general rate case filings?**

3 A. There are several examples of revenue or expense  
4 amounts which have been averaged or normalized and approved  
5 by this Commission. One example is the calculation of  
6 injuries and damages expense, which includes the restating  
7 adjustment described earlier in my testimony that replaces  
8 the amount accrued in the test period with a six-year  
9 rolling average of actual payments for injuries and damages  
10 not covered by insurance. Another example is the use of a  
11 five-year average for power plant availability.

12 **Q. Briefly explain the reasoning behind the use of**  
13 **the CPI to adjust the average incentive level.**

14 A. Incentive compensation is based on employees  
15 salary levels at the time of payout. These salary levels  
16 increase over time. If one does not adjust the historical  
17 years' expenses so that they are based on a comparable level  
18 of salaries, when the calculation is computed to determine  
19 the average, one is not using comparable levels of expenses  
20 in order to get to an "apples to apples" comparison.

21 **Q. What is the impact of the Company's adjustment for**  
22 **a six-year average in this case?**

23 A. The Company adjusted the six-year average by the  
24 CPI explained above, but also excluded all incentive target  
25 payouts that are not specifically related to reliability,

1 customer service and operational efficiency targets, i.e.,  
2 the earnings per share portion of the officer incentive plan  
3 are excluded from utility expenditures. The effect of this  
4 adjustment decreases electric NOI by \$174,000 and natural  
5 gas NOI by \$47,000.

6 **Q. Please continue with explaining the adjustments on**  
7 **Page 7 of Exhibit 10, Schedules 1 and 2.**

8 A. The next adjustment, is Electric Adjustment (2.12)  
9 - **Colstrip/CS2 Maintenance.** As approved in Order 32371 on  
10 September 30, 2011, (in Case Nos. AVU-E-11-01 and AVU-G-11-  
11 01), the Company deferred the non-fuel O&M costs (the amount  
12 of actual costs in excess of costs included in base rates)  
13 associated with the Company's thermal generating plant and  
14 is amortizing the prior year's deferred costs over a 3-year  
15 period. The amortization expense (one-third of the amount  
16 deferred for calendar years 2011 and 2012), increases  
17 expense by approximately \$1.3 million, and decreases NOI by  
18 \$857,000.

19 Electric Adjustment (2.13) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
20 (2.09) - **Restate Debt Interest,** restates debt interest using  
21 the Company's pro forma weighted average cost of debt, as  
22 outlined in the testimony and exhibits of Mr. Thies, on the  
23 Results of Operations level of rate base shown in column  
24 (1.00) only, resulting in a revised level of tax deductible  
25 interest expense on actual test period rate base. The

1 Federal income tax effect of the restated level of interest  
2 for the test period decreases electric NOI by \$191,000 and  
3 natural gas NOI by \$33,000.

4 The Federal income tax effect of the restated level of  
5 interest on all other rate base adjustments included in the  
6 Company's filing are included and shown as an income impact  
7 of each individual rate base adjustment described elsewhere  
8 in this testimony.

9 **Pro Forma Adjustments**

10 **Q. Please explain the significance of the adjustments**  
11 **beginning at page 8 on your Exhibit No. 10, Schedules 1 and**  
12 **2.**

13 A. The adjustments starting on page 8 are pro forma  
14 adjustments that recognize the jurisdictional impacts of  
15 items that will impact the pro forma operating period for  
16 known and measurable changes. They encompass revenue and  
17 expense items as well as additional capital projects. These  
18 adjustments bring the operating results and rate base to the  
19 final pro forma level for the test year. The pro forma  
20 adjustments shown in columns (3.01) through (3.13), of pages  
21 8 through 9 of Exhibit No. 15, Schedule 1 (electric), and  
22 columns (3.01) through (3.11), of pages 8 through 9 of  
23 Exhibit No. 10, Schedule 2 (natural gas) are consistent with  
24 current regulatory principles and the treatment reflected in

1 the last rate case, with a few proposed changes by the  
2 Company as described in my testimony below.

3 In addition to the explanation of adjustments provided  
4 herein, the Company has also provided workpapers, both in  
5 hard copy and electronic formats, outlining additional  
6 details related to each of the adjustments.

7 A summary of the adjustments follow:

8 Electric Adjustment (3.01) - **Pro Forma Power Supply**,  
9 was made under the direction of Mr. Johnson and is explained  
10 in detail in his testimony. This adjustment includes pro  
11 forma power supply related revenue and expenses to reflect  
12 the twelve-month period January 1, 2013 through December 31,  
13 2013, using historical loads. Mr. Johnson's testimony  
14 outlines the system level of pro forma power supply revenues  
15 and expenses that are included in this adjustment. The  
16 adjustment in column 3.01 calculates the Idaho  
17 jurisdictional share of those figures. The net effect of  
18 this adjustment increases electric NOI by \$1,529,000.

19 Electric Adjustment (3.02) - **Pro Forma Transmission**  
20 **Rev/Exp**, was made under the direction of Mr. Kinney and is  
21 explained in detail in his testimony. This adjustment  
22 includes pro forma transmission-related revenues and  
23 expenses to reflect the twelve-month period January 1, 2013  
24 through December 31, 2013. The net effect of this  
25 adjustment increases electric NOI by \$236,000.

1 Electric Adjustment (3.03) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
2 (3.01) - **Pro Forma Labor - Non-Exec**, reflects known and  
3 measurable changes to test period union and non-union wages  
4 and salaries, excluding executive salaries. For non-union  
5 employees, test period wages and salaries are restated to  
6 include the March 2012 overall actual increase of 2.6%, and  
7 10 months of the planned March 2013 minimum increase of  
8 2.6%. This 2012 minimum increase was presented to the  
9 Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors and was  
10 approved at the Board's May 2012 meeting.

11 Also included in this adjustment are the 2012 and 2013  
12 union contract increases agreed to in 2010 of 3% for both  
13 years.

14 The net effect of this adjustment decreases electric  
15 NOI by \$499,000 and natural gas NOI by \$137,000.

16 Electric Adjustment (3.04) - **Pro Forma Generation Major**  
17 **O&M**, adjusts for incremental non-labor generation plant O&M  
18 costs planned for 2013 above the test period. These  
19 additional expenditures are mainly due to major O&M  
20 expenditures planned for the Company's thermal generation  
21 plant at Kettle Falls, and its hydro generation plants.<sup>10</sup>

<sup>10</sup> Major O&M expenditures of approximately \$560,000 (system) planned at Avista's Kettle Falls thermal generation plant include upgrades to its boiler feed pump and main reclaimer bull gear, as well as replacement of its hog motor and expansion joint-turbine/condenser work. Major O&M expenditures of approximately \$3.4 million (system) are planned at Avista's hydro facilities. This work includes approximately \$2.1 million at Cabinet Unit for re-wedge stator winding maintenance, discharge ring repair, hub and oil head repair, replacement of wicket gate bushings,

1 The net effect of this adjustment decreases electric NOI by  
2 \$590,000.

3 Electric Adjustment (3.05) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
4 (3.03)<sup>11</sup> - **Pro Forma Employee Benefits**, adjusts for changes  
5 in both the Company's pension and medical insurance expense  
6 and decreases electric NOI by \$883,000 and natural gas NOI  
7 by \$243,000.

8 **Q. Please describe the pension expense portion of the**  
9 **Employee Benefits adjustment and Idaho's share of this**  
10 **expense.**

11 A. The Company's pension expense portion of this  
12 adjustment is determined in accordance with Accounting  
13 Standard Codification 715 (ASC-715), and has increased on a  
14 system basis from approximately \$23.5 million for the actual  
15 test year costs for the twelve months ended June 30, 2012,  
16 to \$29.7 million for 2013. The increase in Idaho pension  
17 expense (\$885,000 electric and \$242,000 natural gas) is  
18 primarily due to a decrease in the discount rate used in  
19 calculating the pension expense and liability as well as a  
20 decrease in the expected return on assets and changes in  
21 other actuarial assumptions that are not predictable. At

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re-insulation of field windings, and rock scaling for access road safety. Additional major maintenance include projects at Long Lake dam of approximately \$1 million for a FERC committed project to refurbish the interior coating of the four long lake penstocks and at the Post Falls north channel dam of approximately \$300,000 for the rehabilitation of the piers and spillway aprons. For detail descriptions of activities, see Andrews workpapers filed with the Company's case.

<sup>11</sup> Natural Gas Adjustment (3.02) intentionally left blank.

1 this time the amounts included in this case are based on the  
2 most current available data. Preliminary pension expense is  
3 determined by an outside actuarial firm, in accordance with  
4 ASC-715, and provided to the Company late in the first  
5 quarter of each year. These calculations and assumptions  
6 are reviewed by the Company's outside accounting firm  
7 annually for reasonableness and comparability to other  
8 companies.

9 **Q. Please now describe the medical insurance expense**  
10 **portion of the Employee Benefits adjustment and Idaho's**  
11 **share of this expense.**

12 A. Medical insurance expense has increased on a  
13 system basis from \$27.7 million for the actual test year  
14 costs for the twelve months ended June 30, 2012, to \$31.3  
15 million for 2013. The Company's Idaho medical insurance and  
16 post-retirement expense portion of this adjustment (\$506,000  
17 electric and \$138,000 natural gas) adjusts for the medical-  
18 related costs planned for 2013 above the test period. In  
19 recent years, the Company has experienced increasing ASC 715  
20 expense. ASC 715 requires employers to recognize the cost of  
21 providing post-retirement benefits on an accrual basis. The  
22 cost must be recognized during the working years of the  
23 employees to full eligibility date. Most of the increase in  
24 ASC 715 expense can be explained by declining interest  
25 rates, lower than expected investment returns, and greater

1 amortization expense due to changes in the valuation of the  
2 actuarial liability.

3 The net impact of the increases in pension and medical  
4 costs is an increase in Idaho electric expense of  
5 approximately \$1.4 million and natural gas expense of  
6 \$380,000.

7 Electric Adjustment (3.06) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
8 (3.04) - **Pro Forma Insurance**, adjusts the test period  
9 insurance expense for general liability, directors and  
10 officers ("D&O") liability, and property to the actual cost  
11 of insurance policies that are in effect for 2012. Costs of  
12 system-wide insurance policies for 2012 varied only slightly  
13 from those policies in 2011. Insurance costs that are  
14 properly charged to non-utility operations have been  
15 excluded from this adjustment. The net effect of this  
16 adjustment increases electric NOI by \$8,000 and natural gas  
17 NOI by \$2,000.

18 Electric Adjustment (3.07) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
19 (3.05) - **Property Tax**, restates the test period accrued  
20 levels of property taxes to the 2013 rate period level using  
21 the most current information. As can be seen from my  
22 workpapers provided with the Company's filing, the property  
23 on which the tax is calculated is the property value as of  
24 December 31, 2012, reflecting the 2013 level of expense the  
25 Company will experience during the rate period. The net

1 effect of this adjustment decreases electric NOI by \$291,000  
2 and natural gas NOI by \$66,000.

3 Natural Gas Adjustment (3.06) - **Pro Forma Atmospheric**  
4 **Testing**, adjusts the test period expense for Atmospheric  
5 Corrosion expense to a three-year average. This expense is  
6 on a three-year rotation between the Company's jurisdictions  
7 (Idaho, Washington and Oregon) and was therefore, coded  
8 directly to Idaho operations for the year in which the  
9 inspection occurs (2011 for Idaho was at a total cost of  
10 \$390,000). The Company has included one-third of these costs  
11 in order to recover over a three-year period (2011-2013),  
12 and, therefore, has pro formed \$130,000 for atmospheric O&M  
13 expense. The Company has received approval of this  
14 accounting treatment in its Oregon jurisdiction and has  
15 requested this treatment in the Company's recent filed  
16 Washington general rate case as well, so the Company remains  
17 whole on an annual basis. This adjustment was made under  
18 the direction of Mr. Kopczynski and is described further in  
19 his testimony. The net effect of this adjustment increases  
20 natural gas NOI by \$77,000.

21 Electric Adjustment (3.08) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
22 (3.07) - **Pro Forma IS/IT Costs**, adjusts for incremental  
23 IS/IT costs planned for 2013 above the test period. These  
24 additional expenditures are mainly due to the Company's  
25 replacement of the Customer Service Information System

1 (CIS), incremental labor to support various business  
2 processes, application support and additional security  
3 requirements, as well as increases in annual contractual  
4 agreements and maintenance and license fees.<sup>12</sup> The net  
5 effect of this adjustment decreases electric NOI by \$224,000  
6 and natural gas NOI by \$47,000.

7 Electric Adjustment (3.09) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
8 (3.08) - **Pro Forma Capital Additions 2012**, pro forms in the  
9 capital cost and expenses associated with capital  
10 expenditures for 2012. This adjustment includes projects  
11 expected to be completed and transferred to plant-in-service  
12 by December 31, 2012, and thus were normalized to reflect  
13 annual amounts. The capital costs have been included for  
14 the appropriate pro forma period with the associated  
15 depreciation expense, as well as the appropriate accumulated  
16 depreciation and deferred income tax rate base offsets. In  
17 addition, the total plant in service at December 31, 2011  
18 (including accumulated depreciation and deferred FIT) was  
19 adjusted to an EOP December 31, 2012 adjusted balance. The

<sup>12</sup> Net increases in Information System / Information Technology O&M expenses total approximately \$1.4 million system (\$354,000 Idaho electric and \$74,000 Idaho natural gas). These increases include increased expenses associated with the Company's Customer Service System (CIS) project (as described further in Company witness Mr. Kopczynski's testimony), due to incremental labor to support the new business processes and application support, and increased hosting, license and software maintenance fees. Additional increases are due to incremental labor to support other new and existing applications and security requirements, cost of living adjustments on existing contract obligations, and new software purchases, licenses and maintenance fees. For detail descriptions of incremental costs, see Andrews workpapers filed with the Company's case.

1 net effect of this adjustment decreases electric NOI by  
2 \$1,859,000 and natural gas NOI by \$442,000. The impact to  
3 total rate base is an increase in electric rate base of  
4 \$20,705,000 and natural gas rate base of \$4,449,000.

5 Electric Adjustment (3.10) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
6 (3.09) - **Pro Forma Capital Additions 2013**, pro forms in the  
7 capital cost and expenses associated with capital  
8 expenditures for 2013. This adjustment includes projects  
9 expected to be completed and transferred to plant-in-service  
10 during 2013, and thus were included on an AMA plant basis  
11 for the 2013 rate period. The capital costs have been  
12 included for the appropriate pro forma period with the  
13 associated depreciation expense, as well as the appropriate  
14 accumulated depreciation and deferred income tax rate base  
15 offsets. In addition, the total plant in service at  
16 December 31, 2012 (including accumulated depreciation and  
17 deferred FIT) was adjusted to a 2013 AMA plant basis. The  
18 net effect of this adjustment decreases electric NOI by  
19 \$589,000 and natural gas NOI by \$124,000. The impact to  
20 total rate base is an increase in electric rate base of  
21 \$1,582,000 and a reduction to natural gas rate base of  
22 \$1,309,000.

23 Electric Adjustment (3.11) - **Pro Forma Energy**  
24 **Efficiency Load Adjustment (EELA)**, reflects the reduction in  
25 retail revenues due to energy efficiency programs, the

1 resulting savings in power supply expense, and includes the  
2 change in all other revenue related expenses and taxes  
3 associated with this adjustment, as described in detail by  
4 Mr. Ehrbar. The net effect of this adjustment decreases  
5 electric NOI by \$1,034,000.

6 Electric Adjustment (3.12) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
7 (3.10) - **Operation & Maintenance (O&M) Offsets**, includes a  
8 reduction to expense for anticipated operation and  
9 maintenance savings expected during the pro forma period, as  
10 compared to the test period. These O&M savings include  
11 reductions related to certain additional generation,  
12 transmission, distribution and general plant investment  
13 included in the 2011, 2012 and 2013 capital addition  
14 adjustments. The savings related to capital projects have  
15 been discussed further within Mr. Lafferty's (generation  
16 projects), Mr. Kinney's (distribution and transmission  
17 projects), and Mr. DeFelice's (general plant) direct  
18 testimony. Additional detail can be found within my  
19 workpapers included with the Company's filing. The net  
20 effect of this adjustment increases electric NOI by \$72,000  
21 and natural gas NOI by \$4,000.

22 Electric Adjustment (3.13) and Natural Gas Adjustment  
23 (3.11) - **Depreciation Study**, as described in detail by Mr.  
24 DeFelice, reflects an increase in depreciation expense due  
25 to the utilization of new depreciation rates that were the

1 result of a detailed depreciation study performed by a  
2 consultant from Gannett Fleming, Inc. The Company last  
3 changed its depreciation rates on January 1, 2008. The net  
4 effect of this adjustment decreases electric NOI by \$300,000  
5 and natural gas NOI by \$306,000.

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7 **Summary**

8 **Q. How much additional net operating income would be**  
9 **required for the State of Idaho electric operations to allow**  
10 **the Company an opportunity to earn its proposed 8.46% rate**  
11 **of return on a pro forma basis?**

12 A. The net operating income deficiency amounts to  
13 \$7,259,000, as shown on line 5, page 2 of Exhibit No. 10,  
14 Schedule 1. The resulting revenue requirement is shown on  
15 line 7 and amounts to \$11,393,000, or an increase of 4.58%  
16 over pro forma general business revenues.

17 **Q. How much additional net operating income would be**  
18 **required for the State of Idaho natural gas operations to**  
19 **allow the Company an opportunity to earn its proposed 8.46%**  
20 **rate of return on a pro forma basis?**

21 A. The net operating income deficiency amounts to  
22 \$2,906,000, as shown on line 5, page 2 of Exhibit No. 10,  
23 Schedule 2. The resulting revenue requirement is shown on  
24 line 7 and amounts to \$4,561,000, or an increase of 7.20%  
25 over pro forma general business and transportation revenues.

1 **IV. ALLOCATION PROCEDURES**

2 Q. Have there been any changes to the Company's  
3 system and jurisdictional procedures since the Company's  
4 last general electric and natural gas cases, Case Nos. AVU-  
5 E-11-01 and AVU-G-11-01?

6 A. No. For ratemaking purposes, the Company  
7 allocates revenues, expenses and rate base between electric  
8 and natural gas services and between Idaho, Washington and  
9 Oregon jurisdictions where electric and/or natural gas  
10 service is provided. The annually updated allocation  
11 factors used in this case have been provided with my  
12 workpapers.

13 Q. Does that conclude your pre-filed direct  
14 testimony?

15 A. Yes, it does.

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FOR AVISTA CORPORATION

(ELECTRIC AND NATURAL GAS)

AVISTA UTILITIES  
IDAHO ELECTRIC RESULTS  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2012  
(000'S OF DOLLARS)

Line No.	DESCRIPTION	WITH PRESENT RATES			WITH PROPOSED RATES	
		Actual Per Results Report	Total Adjustments	Pro Forma Total	Proposed Revenues & Related Exp	Pro Forma Proposed Total
	a	b	c	d	e	f
REVENUES						
1	Total General Business	\$256,134	(\$7,623)	\$248,511	\$11,393	\$259,904
2	Interdepartmental Sales	209	-	209		209
3	Sales for Resale	46,558	(24,190)	22,368		22,368
4	Total Sales of Electricity	302,901	(31,813)	271,088	11,393	282,481
5	Other Revenue	56,621	(49,262)	7,359		7,359
6	Total Electric Revenue	359,522	(81,075)	278,447	11,393	289,840
EXPENSES						
Production and Transmission						
7	Operating Expenses	128,217	(51,506)	76,711		76,711
8	Purchased Power	88,611	(33,409)	55,202		55,202
9	Depreciation/Amortization	13,551	(882)	12,669		12,669
10	Regulatory Amortization	(10,077)	10,597	520		520
11	Taxes	6,246	380	6,626		6,626
12	Total Production & Transmission	226,548	(74,820)	151,728	-	151,728
Distribution						
13	Operating Expenses	10,958	353	11,311		11,311
14	Depreciation/Amortization	11,013	2,757	13,770		13,770
15	Taxes	5,623	(3,085)	2,538		2,538
16	State Income Taxes	442	(188)	254	169	423
17	Total Distribution	28,036	(163)	27,873	169	28,042
18	Customer Accounting	4,362	(19)	4,343	30	4,373
19	Customer Service & Information	8,061	(7,460)	601		601
20	Sales Expenses	4	-	4		4
Administrative & General						
21	Operating Expenses	22,070	1,793	23,863	27	23,890
22	Depreciation/Amortization	5,758	3,526	9,284		9,284
23	Taxes	-	7	7		7
24	Total Admin. & General	27,828	5,326	33,154	27	33,181
25	Total Electric Expenses	294,839	(77,136)	217,703	226	217,929
26	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	64,683	(3,939)	60,744	11,167	71,911
FEDERAL INCOME TAX						
27	Current Accrual	6,740	(4,454)	2,286	3,908	6,194
28	Debt Interest	-	(327)	(327)		(327)
29	Deferred Income Taxes	8,783	3,275	12,058		12,058
30	Amortized Investment Tax Credit	(61)	(15)	(76)		(76)
31	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$49,221	(\$2,418)	\$46,803	\$7,259	\$54,062
RATE BASE						
PLANT IN SERVICE						
32	Intangible	\$43,231	\$10,992	\$54,223		\$54,223
33	Production	376,635	21,877	398,512		398,512
34	Transmission	174,765	18,459	193,224		193,224
35	Distribution	415,615	33,999	449,614		449,614
36	General	74,006	14,482	88,488		88,488
37	Total Plant in Service	1,084,252	99,809	1,184,061	-	1,184,061
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION						
38	Intangible	1,966	4,747	6,713		6,713
39	Production	152,541	17,674	\$170,215		170,215
40	Transmission	59,218	6,838	66,056		66,056
41	Distribution	129,763	21,919	151,682		151,682
42	General	31,320	7,630	38,950		38,950
43	Total Accumulated Depreciation	374,808	58,808	433,616	-	433,616
44	NET PLANT BEFORE DFIT	709,444	41,001	750,445	-	750,445
45	DEFERRED TAXES	(110,003)	(9,535)	(119,538)		(119,538)
46	NET PLANT AFTER DFIT	599,441	31,466	630,907	-	630,907
47	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	1,150	(409)	741		741
48	WORKING CAPITAL	7,382	-	7,382		7,382
49	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$607,973	\$31,057	\$639,030	\$0	\$639,030
50	RATE OF RETURN	8.10%		7.32%		8.46%

**AVISTA UTILITIES**  
**Calculation of General Revenue Requirement**  
**Idaho - Electric System**  
**TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2012**

<u>Line No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>(000's of Dollars)</u>
1	Pro Forma Rate Base	\$639,030
2	Proposed Rate of Return	<u>8.46%</u>
3	Net Operating Income Requirement	\$54,062
4	Pro Forma Net Operating Income	<u>\$46,803</u>
5	Net Operating Income Deficiency	\$7,259
6	Conversion Factor	0.63711
7	Revenue Requirement	<b>\$11,393</b>
8	Total General Business Revenues	\$248,720
9	Percentage Revenue Increase	<u><u>4.58%</u></u>

**AVISTA UTILITIES**  
**Pro Forma Cost of Capital**  
**Idaho - Electric System**

**Proposed:**

<u>Component</u>	<u>Capital Structure</u>	<u>ProForma Cost</u>	<u>ProForma Weighted Cost</u>
Total Debt	50.00%	6.02%	3.01%
Common	50.00%	10.90%	5.45%
Total	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>8.46%</u>

**AVISTA UTILITIES**  
**Revenue Conversion Factor**  
**Idaho - Electric System**  
**TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2012**

Line No.	Description	Factor
1	<b>Revenues</b>	1.000000
	<b>Expenses:</b>	
2	Uncollectibles	0.002650
3	Commission Fees	0.002340
4	Idaho Income Tax	<u>0.014845</u>
5	Total Expenses	<u>0.019835</u>
6	Net Operating Income Before FIT	0.980165
7	Federal Income Tax @ 35%	<u>0.343058</u>
8	<b>REVENUE CONVERSION FACTOR</b>	<u><u>0.63711</u></u>

AVISTA UTILITIES  
IDAHO ELECTRIC RESULTS  
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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Results of Operations	Deferred FIT Rate Base	Deferred Debits and Credits	Working Capital	Restate 2011 Capital	Eliminate B & O Taxes
	Adjustment Number	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	2.01
	Workpaper Reference	E-ROO	E-DFIT	E-DDC	E-WC	E-RCAP	E-EBO
<b>REVENUES</b>							
1	Total General Business	\$256,134	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$3,161)
2	Interdepartmental Sales	209	-	-	-	-	-
3	Sales for Resale	46,558	-	-	-	-	-
4	Total Sales of Electricity	302,901	0	0	0	0	(3,161)
5	Other Revenue	56,621	-	-	-	-	-
6	Total Electric Revenue	359,522	0	0	0	0	(3,161)
<b>EXPENSES</b>							
<b>Production and Transmission</b>							
7	Operating Expenses	128,217	-	(64)	-	-	-
8	Purchased Power	88,611	-	-	-	-	-
9	Depreciation/Amortization	13,551	-	-	-	236	-
10	Regulatory Amortization	(10,077)	-	-	-	-	-
11	Taxes	6,246	-	-	-	-	-
12	Total Production & Transmission	226,548	0	(64)	0	236	0
<b>Distribution</b>							
13	Operating Expenses	10,958	-	-	-	-	-
14	Depreciation/Amortization	11,013	-	-	-	187	-
15	Taxes	5,623	-	-	-	-	(3,153)
16	State Income Taxes	442	-	-	-	(14)	(0)
17	Total Distribution	28,036	0	0	0	173	(3,153)
18	Customer Accounting	4,362	-	-	-	-	-
19	Customer Service & Information	8,061	-	-	-	-	-
20	Sales Expenses	4	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
21	Operating Expenses	22,070	-	32	-	-	-
22	Depreciation/Amortization	5,758	-	-	-	247	-
23	Taxes	0	-	-	-	-	-
24	Total Admin. & General	27,828	0	32	0	247	0
25	Total Electric Expenses	294,839	0	(32)	0	656	(3,153)
26	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	64,683	0	32	0	(656)	(8)
<b>FEDERAL INCOME TAX</b>							
27	Current Accrual	6,740	-	11	-	(230)	(3)
28	Debt Interest	0	3	4	-	(100)	-
29	Deferred Income Taxes	8,783	-	-	-	-	-
30	Amortized ITC - Noxon	(61)	-	-	-	-	-
31	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$49,221	(\$3)	16	\$0	(\$327)	(\$5)
<b>RATE BASE</b>							
<b>PLANT IN SERVICE</b>							
32	Intangible	\$43,231	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$584)	\$0
33	Production	376,635	-	-	-	3,377	-
34	Transmission	174,765	-	-	-	6,496	-
35	Distribution	415,615	-	-	-	8,422	-
36	General	74,006	-	-	-	3,992	-
37	Total Plant in Service	1,084,252	-	-	-	21,703	-
<b>ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/AMORT</b>							
38	Intangible	1,966	-	-	-	(311)	-
39	Production	152,541	-	-	-	3,439	-
40	Transmission	59,218	-	-	-	1,294	-
41	Distribution	129,763	-	-	-	3,706	-
42	General	31,320	-	-	-	704	-
43	Total Accumulated Depreciation	374,808	-	-	-	8,832	-
44	NET PLANT	709,444	-	-	-	12,871	-
45	DEFERRED TAXES	(110,003)	(285)	-	-	(3,407)	-
46	Net Plant After DFIT	599,441	(285)	-	-	9,464	-
47	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	1,150	-	(409)	-	-	-
48	WORKING CAPITAL	7,382	-	-	-	-	-
49	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$607,973	(\$285)	(\$409)	\$0	9,464	\$0
50	RATE OF RETURN	8.10%	0				
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	3,474	(33)	(80)	-	1,770	8

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Uncollect. Expense	Regulatory Expense	Injuries and Damages	FIT/DFIT/ITC/PTC Expense	ID PCA	Nez Perce Settlement Adjustment
	Adjustment Number	2.02	2.03	2.04	2.05	2.06	2.07
	Worksheet Reference	E-UE	E-RE	E-ID	E-FIT	E-EPCA	E-NPS
REVENUES							
1	Total General Business	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$6,732)	\$0
2	Interdepartmental Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Sales for Resale	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Total Sales of Electricity	0	0	0	0	(6,732)	0
5	Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Total Electric Revenue	0	0	0	0	(6,732)	0
EXPENSES							
Production and Transmission							
7	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	(9,871)	(18)
8	Purchased Power	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Regulatory Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Total Production & Transmission	0	0	0	0	(9,871)	(18)
Distribution							
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	State Income Taxes	2	1	(11)	-	-	0
17	Total Distribution	2	1	(11)	0	0	0
Customer Accounting							
18	Customer Accounting	(165)	-	-	-	(15)	-
19	Customer Service & Information	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative & General							
21	Operating Expenses	-	(37)	371	-	(16)	-
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Total Admin. & General	0	(37)	371	0	(16)	0
25	Total Electric Expenses	(163)	(36)	360	0	(9,902)	(18)
26	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	163	36	(360)	0	3,170	18
FEDERAL INCOME TAX							
27	Current Accrual	57	13	(126)	188	(2,345)	6
28	Debt Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Deferred Income Taxes	-	-	-	(180)	3,455	-
30	Amortized ITC - Noxon	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$106	\$23	(\$234)	(\$8)	\$2,060	\$12
RATE BASE							
PLANT IN SERVICE							
32	Intangible	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
33	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Transmission	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	General	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Total Plant in Service	-	-	-	-	-	-
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/AI							
38	Intangible	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Transmission	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	General	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Total Accumulated Depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	NET PLANT	-	-	-	-	-	-
DEFERRED TAXES							
45	Net Plant After DFIT	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
50	RATE OF RETURN						
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	(166)	(37)	367	13	(3,233)	(18)

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	CS2 Levelized	Revenue Normalization	Misc Restating	Restate Incentives	Colstrip / CS2 Maintenance	Restate Debt Interest	Restated TOTAL
	Adjustment Number	2.08	2.09	2.10	2.11	2.12	2.13	R-Ttl
	Workpaper Reference	E-CS2	E-RN	E-MR	E-RI	E-CCOM	E-RDI	
REVENUES								
1	Total General Business	\$0	\$4,874	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$251,115
2	Interdepartmental Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-	209
3	Sales for Resale	-	-	-	-	-	-	46,558
4	Total Sales of Electricity	0	4,874	0	0	0	0	297,882
5	Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	-	-	56,621
6	Total Electric Revenue	0	4,874	0	0	0	0	354,503
EXPENSES								
Production and Transmission								
7	Operating Expenses	-	612	-	-	-	-	118,876
8	Purchased Power	-	-	-	-	-	-	88,611
9	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,787
10	Regulatory Amortization	235	9,023	-	-	1,339	-	520
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,246
12	Total Production & Transmission	235	9,635	0	0	1,339	0	228,040
Distribution								
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,958
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,200
15	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,470
16	State Income Taxes	(3)	40	1	(8)	(20)	-	430
17	Total Distribution	(3)	40	1	(8)	(20)	0	25,058
18	Customer Accounting	-	14	-	-	-	-	4,196
19	Customer Service & Information	-	(7,478)	-	-	-	-	583
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Administrative & General								
21	Operating Expenses	-	11	(25)	276	-	-	22,682
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,005
23	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Total Admin. & General	0	11	(25)	276	0	0	28,687
25	Total Electric Expenses	232	2,222	(24)	268	1,319	0	286,568
26	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	(232)	2,652	24	(268)	(1,319)	0	67,935
FEDERAL INCOME TAX								
27	Current Accrual	(81)	928	8	(94)	(462)	191	4,803
28	Debt Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	(92)
29	Deferred Income Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,058
30	Amortized ITC - Noxon	-	-	-	-	-	-	(61)
31	NET OPERATING INCOME	(\$150)	\$1,724	\$16	(\$174)	(857)	(191)	51,228
RATE BASE								
PLANT IN SERVICE								
32	Intangible	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$42,647
33	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	380,012
34	Transmission	-	-	-	-	-	-	181,261
35	Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	424,037
36	General	-	-	-	-	-	-	77,998
37	Total Plant in Service	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,105,955
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/AI								
38	Intangible	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,655
39	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	155,980
40	Transmission	-	-	-	-	-	-	60,512
41	Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	133,469
42	General	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,024
43	Total Accumulated Depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	383,640
44	NET PLANT	-	-	-	-	-	-	722,315
45	DEFERRED TAXES	-	-	-	-	-	-	(113,695)
46	Net Plant After DFIT	-	-	-	-	-	-	608,620
47	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	-	-	-	-	-	-	741
48	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,382
49	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$616,743
50	RATE OF RETURN							8.31%
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	236	(2,706)	(25)	273	1,346	300	1,489

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Pro Forma Power Supply	Pro Forma Transmission Rev/Exp	Pro Forma Labor Non-Exec	Pro Forma Generation Major O&M	Pro Forma Employee Benefits	Pro Forma Insurance	Pro Forma Property Tax
	Adjustment Number	3.01	3.02	3.03	3.04	3.05	3.06	3.07
	Workpaper Reference	E-PPS	E-PTR	E-PLN	E-HMM	E-PEB	E-PI	E-PT
REVENUES								
1	Total General Business	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2	Interdepartmental Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Sales for Resale	(24,190)	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Total Sales of Electricity	(24,190)	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Other Revenue	(49,633)	371	-	-	-	-	-
6	Total Electric Revenue	(73,823)	371	0	0	0	0	0
EXPENSES								
Production and Transmission								
7	Operating Expenses	(43,777)	3	290	921	353	-	-
8	Purchased Power	(32,433)	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Regulatory Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	380
12	Total Production & Transmission	(76,210)	3	290	921	353	0	380
Distribution								
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	207	-	212	-	-
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	68
16	State Income Taxes	35	5	(15)	(14)	(32)	0	(7)
17	Total Distribution	35	5	192	(14)	180	0	61
18	Customer Accounting	-	-	72	-	82	-	-
19	Customer Service & Information	-	-	8	-	10	-	-
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative & General								
21	Operating Expenses	-	-	205	-	733	(13)	-
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
24	Total Admin. & General	0	0	205	0	733	(13)	7
25	Total Electric Expenses	(76,175)	8	767	907	1,358	(13)	448
26	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	2,352	363	(767)	(907)	(1,358)	13	(448)
FEDERAL INCOME TAX								
27	Current Accrual	823	127	(269)	(318)	(475)	4	(157)
28	Debt Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Deferred Income Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Amortized ITC - Noxon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$1,529	\$236	(\$499)	(\$590)	(\$883)	\$8	(\$291)
RATE BASE								
PLANT IN SERVICE								
32	Intangible	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
33	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Transmission	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	General	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	Total Plant in Service	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/AI								
38	Intangible	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Production	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Transmission	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Distribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	General	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Total Accumulated Depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	NET PLANT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	DEFERRED TAXES	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Net Plant After DFIT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
50	RATE OF RETURN							
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	(2,399)	(370)	783	926	1,386	(13)	457

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Pro Forma IS/IT Costs 3.08	Planned Capital Add 2012 3.09	Planned Capital Add 2013 AMA 3.10	PF Energy Efficiency Load Adj. 3.11	O&M Offsets 3.12	Depreciation Study 3.13	FINAL TOTAL F-Ttl
	Adjustment Number	3.08	3.09	3.10	3.11	3.12	3.13	F-Ttl
	Workpaper Reference	E-ISIT	E-CAP12	E-CAP13	E-EELA	E-Other	E-DS	
REVENUES								
1	Total General Business	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$2,604)	\$0	\$0	\$248,511
2	Interdepartmental Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-	209
3	Sales for Resale	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,368
4	Total Sales of Electricity	0	0	0	(2,604)	0	0	271,088
5	Other Revenue	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,359
6	Total Electric Revenue	0	0	0	(2,604)	0	0	278,447
EXPENSES								
Production and Transmission								
7	Operating Expenses	80	-	-	-	(35)	-	76,711
8	Purchased Power	-	-	-	(976)	-	-	55,202
9	Depreciation/Amortization	-	534	128	-	-	(1,780)	12,669
10	Regulatory Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	520
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,626
12	Total Production & Transmission	80	534	128	(976)	(35)	(1,780)	151,728
Distribution								
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	(66)	-	11,311
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	457	263	-	-	1,850	13,770
15	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,538
16	State Income Taxes	(9)	(83)	(23)	(24)	2	(13)	254
17	Total Distribution	(9)	374	240	(24)	(64)	1,837	27,873
18	Customer Accounting	-	-	-	(7)	-	-	4,343
19	Customer Service & Information	-	-	-	-	-	-	601
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Administrative & General								
21	Operating Expenses	274	-	-	(6)	(12)	-	23,863
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	2,311	563	-	-	405	9,284
23	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
24	Total Admin. & General	274	2,311	563	(6)	(12)	405	33,154
25	Total Electric Expenses	345	3,219	931	(1,013)	(111)	462	217,703
26	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	(345)	(3,219)	(931)	(1,591)	111	(462)	60,744
FEDERAL INCOME TAX								
27	Current Accrual	(121)	(1,127)	(326)	(557)	39	(162)	2,286
28	Debt Interest	-	(218)	(17)	-	-	-	(327)
29	Deferred Income Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,058
30	Amortized ITC - Noxon	-	(15)	-	-	-	-	(76)
31	NET OPERATING INCOME	(\$224)	(\$1,859)	(\$589)	(\$1,034)	\$72	(\$300)	\$46,803
RATE BASE								
PLANT IN SERVICE								
32	Intangible	\$0	\$9,395	\$2,181	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$54,223
33	Production	-	13,940	4,560	-	-	-	398,512
34	Transmission	-	9,788	2,175	-	-	-	193,224
35	Distribution	-	16,366	9,211	-	-	-	449,614
36	General	-	7,474	3,016	-	-	-	88,488
37	Total Plant in Service	-	56,963	21,143	-	-	-	1,184,061
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/AI								
38	Intangible	-	2,816	2,242	-	-	-	6,713
39	Production	-	9,848	4,387	-	-	-	170,215
40	Transmission	-	3,769	1,775	-	-	-	66,056
41	Distribution	-	11,353	6,860	-	-	-	151,682
42	General	-	4,351	2,575	-	-	-	38,950
43	Total Accumulated Depreciation	-	32,137	17,839	-	-	-	433,616
44	NET PLANT	-	24,826	3,304	-	-	-	750,445
45	DEFERRED TAXES	-	(4,121)	(1,722)	-	-	-	(119,538)
46	Net Plant After DFIT	-	20,705	1,582	-	-	-	630,907
47	DEFERRED DEBITS AND CREDITS	-	-	-	-	-	-	741
48	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,382
49	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$0	20,705	1,582	-	-	\$0	\$639,030
50	RATE OF RETURN							7.32%
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	352	5,667	1,134	1,623	(113)	471	11,394

AVISTA UTILITIES  
IDAHO NATURAL GAS RESULTS  
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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	WITH PRESENT RATES			WITH PROPOSED RATES	
		Actual Per Results Report	Total Adjustments	Pro Forma Total	Proposed Revenues & Related Exp	Pro Forma Proposed Total
	<i>a</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>e</i>	<i>f</i>
<b>REVENUES</b>						
1	Total General Business	\$68,808	\$ (5,750)	\$63,058	\$4,561	\$67,619
2	Total Transportation	400	(120)	280		280
3	Other Revenues	36,759	(36,603)	156		156
4	Total Gas Revenues	105,967	(42,473)	63,494	4,561	68,055
<b>EXPENSES</b>						
Production Expenses						
5	City Gate Purchases	75,399	(42,501)	32,898		32,898
6	Purchased Gas Expense	88	2	90		90
7	Net Nat Gas Storage Trans	(2,404)	2,767	363		363
8	Total Production	73,083	(39,732)	33,351	-	33,351
Underground Storage						
9	Operating Expenses	275	-	275		275
10	Depreciation	188	(23)	165		165
11	Taxes	13	1	14		14
12	Total Underground Storage	476	(22)	454	-	454
Distribution						
13	Operating Expenses	4,880	92	4,972		4,972
14	Depreciation	3,619	457	4,076		4,076
15	Taxes	2,137	(1,127)	1,010		1,010
16	State Income Taxes	75	(22)	53	68	121
17	Total Distribution	10,711	(600)	10,111	68	10,179
18	Customer Accounting	2,559	(253)	2,306	12	2,318
19	Customer Service & Information	2,308	(1,909)	399		399
20	Sales Expenses	3	-	3		3
Administrative & General						
21	Operating Expenses	5,497	403	5,900	11	5,911
22	Depreciation/Amortization	1,434	1,089	2,523		2,523
23	Regulatory Amortizations	(34)	34	-		-
24	Taxes	-	-	-		-
25	Total Admin. & General	6,897	1,526	8,423	11	8,434
26	Total Gas Expense	96,037	(40,990)	55,047	91	55,138
27	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	9,930	(1,483)	8,447	4,470	12,917
<b>FEDERAL INCOME TAX</b>						
28	Current Accrual	826	(477)	349	1,565	1,914
29	Debt Interest	-	(34)	(34)	-	(34)
30	Deferred FIT	1,679	(9)	1,670		1,670
31	Amort ITC	(17)	-	(17)		(17)
32	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$7,442	(\$963)	\$6,479	\$2,905	\$9,384
<b>RATE BASE: PLANT IN SERVICE</b>						
33	Underground Storage	\$9,622	\$1,210	\$10,832		\$10,832
34	Distribution Plant	152,677	8,263	160,940		160,940
35	General Plant	17,567	6,550	24,117		24,117
36	Total Plant in Service	179,866	16,023	195,889	-	195,889
<b>ACCUMULATED DEPREC/AMORT</b>						
37	Underground Storage	3,623	347	3,970		3,970
38	Distribution Plant	48,748	7,572	56,320		56,320
39	General Plant	5,542	2,992	8,534		8,534
40	Total Accum. Depreciation/Amort.	57,913	10,911	68,824	-	68,824
41	NET PLANT	121,953	5,112	127,065	-	127,065
42	DEFERRED FIT	(22,364)	(1,917)	(24,281)		(24,281)
43	Net Plant After DFIT	99,589	3,195	102,784	-	102,784
44	GAS INVENTORY	6,702	-	6,702		6,702
45	GAIN ON SALE OF BUILDING	(2)	2	-		-
46	OTHER	(66)	-	(66)		(66)
47	WORKING CAPITAL	1,510	-	1,510		1,510
48	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$107,733	\$3,197	\$110,930	\$0	\$110,930
49	RATE OF RETURN	6.91%		5.84%		8.46%

**AVISTA UTILITIES**  
**Calculation of General Revenue Requirement**  
**Idaho - Natural Gas**  
**TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2012**

Line No.	Description	(000's of Dollars)
1	Pro Forma Rate Base	\$110,930
2	Proposed Rate of Return	<u>8.46%</u>
3	Net Operating Income Requirement	\$9,385
4	Pro Forma Net Operating Income	<u>\$6,479</u>
5	Net Operating Income Deficiency	\$2,906
6	Conversion Factor	0.63711
7	Revenue Requirement	<b>\$4,561</b>
8	Total General Business Revenues	\$63,338
9	Percentage Revenue Increase	<u><u>7.20%</u></u>

**AVISTA UTILITIES  
PRO FORMA COST CAPITAL  
Idaho - Natural Gas**

Proposed:			
<u>Component</u>	<u>Capital Structure</u>	<u>Pro Forma Cost</u>	<u>Pro Forma Weighted Cost</u>
Total Debt	50.00%	6.02%	3.01%
Common Equity	50.00%	10.90%	5.45%
Total	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>8.46%</u>

**AVISTA UTILITIES**  
**Revenue Conversion Factor**  
**Idaho - Natural Gas System**  
**TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2012**

<u>Line No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Factor</u>
1	<b>Revenues</b>	1.000000
	<b>Expenses:</b>	
2	Uncollectibles	0.002651
3	Commission Fees	0.002340
4	Idaho State Income Tax	<u>0.014845</u>
5	Total Expenses	<u>0.019836</u>
6	Net Operating Income Before FIT	0.980164
7	Federal Income Tax @ 35%	<u>0.343057</u>
8	REVENUE CONVERSION FACTOR	<u><u>0.63711</u></u>

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Per Results Report 1.00 G-ROO	Deferred FIT Rate Base 1.01 G-DFIT	Deferred Debits and Credits 1.02 G-DDC	Working Capital Restating 1.03 G-WC	Restating 2011 Capital 1.04 G-PCAP	Revenue Normalization & Gas Cost Adjust 2.01 G-RNGC
	Adjustment Number Workpaper Reference						
REVENUES							
1	Total General Business	\$68,808	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	(4,528)
2	Total Transportation	400	-	-	-	-	(113)
3	Other Revenues	36,759	-	-	-	-	(36,603)
4	Total Gas Revenues	\$105,967	-	-	-	-	(41,244)
EXPENSES							
Production Expenses							
5	City Gate Purchases	75,399	-	-	-	-	(42,501)
6	Purchased Gas Expense	88	-	-	-	-	(30)
7	Net Nat Gas Storage Trans	(2,404)	-	-	-	-	2,767
8	Total Production	73,083	-	-	-	-	(39,764)
Underground Storage							
9	Operating Expenses	275	-	-	-	-	-
10	Depreciation/Amortization	188	-	-	-	2	-
11	Taxes	13	-	-	-	-	-
12	Total Underground Storage	476	-	-	-	2	-
Distribution							
13	Operating Expenses	4,880	-	-	-	-	-
14	Depreciation/Amortization	3,619	-	-	-	42	-
15	Taxes	2,137	-	-	-	-	-
16	State Income Taxes	75	-	(0)	-	(2)	6
17	Total Distribution	10,711	-	(0)	-	40	6
18	Customer Accounting	2,559	-	1	-	-	(12)
19	Customer Service & Information	2,308	-	-	-	-	(1,920)
20	Sales Expenses	3	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative & General							
21	Operating Expenses	5,497	-	11	-	-	(11)
22	Depreciation/Amortization	1,434	-	-	-	66	-
23	Regulatory Amortizations	(34)	-	-	-	-	34
24	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Total Admin. & General	6,897	-	11	-	66	23
26	Total Gas Expense	96,037	-	12	-	108	(41,667)
27	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	9,930	-	(12)	-	(108)	423
FEDERAL INCOME TAX							
28	Current Accrual	826	-	(4)	-	(38)	148
29	Debt Interest	-	(3)	(0)	-	3	-
30	Deferred FIT	1,679	-	-	-	-	-
31	Amort ITC	(17)	-	-	-	-	-
32	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ 7,442	\$ 3	\$ (8)	\$ -	\$ (73)	\$ 275
RATE BASE							
PLANT IN SERVICE							
33	Underground Storage	\$9,622	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	927	\$ -
34	Distribution Plant	152,677	-	-	-	437	-
35	General Plant	17,567	-	-	-	778	-
36	Total Plant in Service	179,866	-	-	-	2,142	-
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/AMORT							
37	Underground Storage	3,623	-	-	-	72	-
38	Distribution Plant	48,748	-	-	-	1,875	-
39	General Plant	5,542	-	-	-	17	-
40	Total Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization	57,913	-	-	-	1,964	-
41	NET PLANT	121,953	-	-	-	178	-
42	DEFERRED TAXES	(22,364)	297	-	-	(420)	-
43	Net Plant After DFIT	99,589	297	-	-	(242)	-
44	GAS INVENTORY	6,702	-	-	-	-	-
45	GAIN ON SALE OF BUILDING	(2)	-	2	-	-	-
46	OTHER	(66)	-	-	-	-	-
47	WORKING CAPITAL	1,510	-	-	-	-	-
48	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$ 107,733	\$ 297	\$ 2	\$ -	\$ (242)	\$ -
49	RATE OF RETURN	6.91%					
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	2,625	35	12	-	82	(431)

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Eliminate B & O Taxes 2.02 G-EBO	Uncollectible Expense 2.03 G-UE	Regulatory Expense Adjustment 2.04 G-RE	Injuries and Damages 2.05 G-ID	FIT / DFIT Expense 2.06 G-FIT	Misc Restating Adjustments 2.07 G-MR
	Adjustment Number Workpaper Reference						
REVENUES							
1	Total General Business	\$ (1,222)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-
2	Total Transportation	(7)	-	-	-	-	-
3	Other Revenues	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Total Gas Revenues	(1,229)	-	-	-	-	-
EXPENSES							
Production Expenses							
5	City Gate Purchases	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Purchased Gas Expense	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Net Nat Gas Storage Trans	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Total Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
Underground Storage							
9	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Total Underground Storage	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution							
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Taxes	(1,229)	-	-	-	-	-
16	State Income Taxes	-	5	(0)	(0)	-	0
17	Total Distribution	(1,229)	5	(0)	(0)	-	0
18	Customer Accounting	-	(330)	-	-	-	-
19	Customer Service & Information	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative & General							
21	Operating Expenses	-	-	2	20	-	(8)
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Regulatory Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Total Admin. & General	-	-	2	20	-	(8)
26	Total Gas Expense	(1,229)	(325)	2	20	-	(8)
27	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	-	325	(2)	(20)	-	8
FEDERAL INCOME TAX							
28	Current Accrual	-	114	(1)	(7)	9	3
29	Debt Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Deferred FIT	-	-	-	-	(9)	-
31	Amort ITC	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ -	\$ 211	\$ (1)	\$ (13)	\$ -	\$ 5
RATE BASE							
PLANT IN SERVICE							
33	Underground Storage	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-
34	Distribution Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	General Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Total Plant in Service	-	-	-	-	-	-
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/							
37	Underground Storage	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Distribution Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	General Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Total Accumulated Depreciation/Amor	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	NET PLANT	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	DEFERRED TAXES	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Net Plant After DFIT	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	GAS INVENTORY	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	GAIN ON SALE OF BUILDING	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	OTHER	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
49	RATE OF RETURN						
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	-	(332)	2	20	-	(8)

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Restating Incentive Adjustment 2.08 G-RI	Restate Debt Interest 2.09 G-DI	Restated Total R-Ttl
	Adjustment Number Workpaper Reference			
	REVENUES			
1	Total General Business	\$ -	\$ -	63,058
2	Total Transportation	-	-	280
3	Other Revenues	-	-	156
4	Total Gas Revenues	-	-	63,494
	EXPENSES			
	Production Expenses			
5	City Gate Purchases	-	-	32,898
6	Purchased Gas Expense	-	-	58
7	Net Nat Gas Storage Trans	-	-	363
8	Total Production	-	-	33,319
	Underground Storage			
9	Operating Expenses	-	-	275
10	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	190
11	Taxes	-	-	13
12	Total Underground Storage	-	-	478
	Distribution			
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	4,880
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	3,661
15	Taxes	-	-	908
16	State Income Taxes	(1)	-	83
17	Total Distribution	(1)	-	9,532
18	Customer Accounting	-	-	2,218
19	Customer Service & Information	-	-	388
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	3
	Administrative & General			
21	Operating Expenses	73	-	5,584
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	1,500
23	Regulatory Amortizations	-	-	-
24	Taxes	-	-	-
25	Total Admin. & General	73	-	7,084
26	Total Gas Expense	72	-	53,022
27	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	(72)	-	10,472
	FEDERAL INCOME TAX			
28	Current Accrual	(25)	33	1,058
29	Debt Interest	-	-	(1)
30	Deferred FIT	-	-	1,670
31	Amort ITC	-	-	(17)
32	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ (47)	\$ (33)	\$ 7,762
	RATE BASE			
	PLANT IN SERVICE			
33	Underground Storage	\$ -	\$ -	10,549
34	Distribution Plant	-	-	153,114
35	General Plant	-	-	18,345
36	Total Plant in Service	-	-	182,008
	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/			
37	Underground Storage	-	-	3,695
38	Distribution Plant	-	-	50,623
39	General Plant	-	-	5,559
40	Total Accumulated Depreciation/Amor	-	-	59,877
41	NET PLANT	-	-	122,131
42	DEFERRED TAXES	-	-	(22,487)
43	Net Plant After DFIT	-	-	99,644
44	GAS INVENTORY	-	-	6,702
45	GAIN ON SALE OF BUILDING	-	-	-
46	OTHER	-	-	(66)
47	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	1,510
48	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 107,790
49	RATE OF RETURN			7.20%
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	73	52	2,130

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Pro Forma Labor Non-Exec 3.01 G-PLN	Intentionally Left Blank 3.02	Pro Forma Employee Benefits 3.03 G-PEB	Pro Forma Insurance 3.04 G-PI	Pro Forma Property Tax 3.05 G-PT	Pro Forma Atmospheric Testing 3.06 G-PAT
	Adjustment Number	3.01	3.02	3.03	3.04	3.05	3.06
	Workpaper Reference	G-PLN		G-PEB	G-PI	G-PT	G-PAT
	REVENUES						
1	Total General Business	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
2	Total Transportation	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Other Revenues	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Total Gas Revenues	-	-	-	-	-	-
	EXPENSES						
	Production Expenses						
5	City Gate Purchases	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	Purchased Gas Expense	9	-	23	-	-	-
7	Net Nat Gas Storage Trans	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Total Production	9	-	23	-	-	-
	Underground Storage						
9	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	1	-
12	Total Underground Storage	-	-	-	-	1	-
	Distribution						
13	Operating Expenses	105	-	107	-	-	(120)
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Taxes	-	-	-	-	102	-
16	State Income Taxes	(3)	-	(6)	0	(2)	2
17	Total Distribution	102	-	101	0	100	(118)
18	Customer Accounting	41	-	47	-	-	-
19	Customer Service & Information	5	-	6	-	-	-
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Administrative & General						
21	Operating Expenses	54	-	197	(3)	-	-
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	Regulatory Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Total Admin. & General	54	-	197	(3)	-	-
26	Total Gas Expense	211	-	374	(3)	101	(118)
27	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	(211)	-	(374)	3	(101)	118
	FEDERAL INCOME TAX						
28	Current Accrual	(74)	-	(131)	1	(36)	41
29	Debt Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Deferred FIT	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Amort ITC	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ (137)	\$ -	\$ (243)	\$ 2	\$ (66)	\$ 77
	RATE BASE						
	PLANT IN SERVICE						
33	Underground Storage	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
34	Distribution Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	General Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	Total Plant in Service	-	-	-	-	-	-
	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/						
37	Underground Storage	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Distribution Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	General Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Total Accumulated Depreciation/Amor	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	NET PLANT	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	DEFERRED TAXES	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Net Plant After DFIT	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	GAS INVENTORY	-	-	-	-	-	-
45	GAIN ON SALE OF BUILDING	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	OTHER	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
49	RATE OF RETURN						
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	215	-	382	(3)	104	(121)

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Line No.	DESCRIPTION	Pro Forma IS/IT Costs	Pro Forma Capital Add 2012	Pro Forma Capital Add 2013 AMA	O&M Offsets	Depreciation Study	FINAL TOTAL
	Adjustment Number Workpaper Reference	3.07 G-DS	3.08 G-CAP12	3.09 G-CAP13	3.10 G-OFF	3.11 G-DS	F-Ttl
REVENUES							
1	Total General Business	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	63,058
2	Total Transportation	-	-	-	-	-	280
3	Other Revenues	-	-	-	-	-	156
4	Total Gas Revenues	-	-	-	-	-	63,494
EXPENSES							
Production Expenses							
5	City Gate Purchases	-	-	-	-	-	32,898
6	Purchased Gas Expense	-	-	-	-	-	90
7	Net Nat Gas Storage Trans	-	-	-	-	-	363
8	Total Production	-	-	-	-	-	33,351
Underground Storage							
9	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	275
10	Depreciation/Amortization	-	5	2	-	(32)	165
11	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	14
12	Total Underground Storage	-	5	2	-	(32)	454
Distribution							
13	Operating Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	4,972
14	Depreciation/Amortization	-	146	29	-	240	4,076
15	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	1,010
16	State Income Taxes	(1)	(11)	(3)	0	(7)	53
17	Total Distribution	(1)	135	26	0	233	10,111
18	Customer Accounting	-	-	-	-	-	2,306
19	Customer Service & Information	-	-	-	-	-	399
20	Sales Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	3
Administrative & General							
21	Operating Expenses	74	-	-	(6)	-	5,900
22	Depreciation/Amortization	-	612	141	-	270	2,523
23	Regulatory Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Total Admin. & General	74	612	141	(6)	270	8,423
26	Total Gas Expense	73	752	169	(6)	471	55,047
27	OPERATING INCOME BEFORE FIT	(73)	(752)	(169)	6	(471)	8,447
FEDERAL INCOME TAX							
28	Current Accrual	(26)	(263)	(59)	2	(165)	349
29	Debt Interest	-	(47)	14	-	-	(34)
30	Deferred FIT	-	-	-	-	-	1,670
31	Amort ITC	-	-	-	-	-	(17)
32	NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ (47)	\$ (442)	\$ (124)	\$ 4	\$ (306)	\$ 6,479
RATE BASE							
PLANT IN SERVICE							
33	Underground Storage	\$ -	\$ 158	\$ 125	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,832
34	Distribution Plant	-	6,665	1,161	-	-	160,940
35	General Plant	-	4,462	1,310	-	-	24,117
36	Total Plant in Service	-	11,285	2,596	-	-	195,889
ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION/							
37	Underground Storage	-	192	83	-	-	3,970
38	Distribution Plant	-	3,671	2,026	-	-	56,320
39	General Plant	-	1,714	1,261	-	-	8,534
40	Total Accumulated Depreciation/Amor	-	5,577	3,370	-	-	68,824
41	NET PLANT	-	5,708	(774)	-	-	127,065
42	DEFERRED TAXES	-	(1,259)	(535)	-	-	(24,281)
43	Net Plant After DFIT	-	4,449	(1,309)	-	-	102,784
44	GAS INVENTORY	-	-	-	-	-	6,702
45	GAIN ON SALE OF BUILDING	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	OTHER	-	-	-	-	-	(66)
47	WORKING CAPITAL	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
48	TOTAL RATE BASE	\$ -	\$ 4,449	\$ (1,309)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 110,930
49	RATE OF RETURN	-	-	-	-	-	5.84%
50	REVENUE REQUIREMENT	74	1,284	21	(6)	480	4,561