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Via: Overnight mail

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Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
11331 W. Chinden Blvd., Bldg. 8, Suite 201-A
Boise, ID 83714

RE: Avista Utilities Request to Withdraw AVU-G-19-07

Dear Ms. Hanian:

Attached for filing with the Commission is an original and seven (7) copies of Avista Utilities request to withdraw its application for an Order reauthorizing the accounting and ratemaking treatment related to offering a "Fee-Free Program" (or "Program") for payment of bills by Idaho natural gas residential customers that use credit and debit cards filed November 1, 2019. Please contact me at 509-495-4975 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
AVISTA CORPORATION, D/B/A AVISTA)
UTILITIES, FOR A REQUEST TO WITHDRAW)
REAUTHORIZING ACCOUNTING AND)
RATEMAKING TREATMENT OF FEES FOR)
PAYMENTS MADE BY RESIDENTIAL)
CUSTOMERS)

CASE NO. AVU-G-19-07

REQUEST OF AVISTA CORPORATION

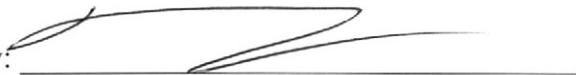
I. INTRODUCTION

Avista Corporation, doing business as Avista Utilities (hereinafter "Avista" or "Company"), at 1411 East Mission Avenue, Spokane, Washington, pursuant to Section 61-524 Idaho Code and Rule 52 of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission Rules of Procedure"), requests to withdraw its application for an Order reauthorizing the accounting and ratemaking treatment related to offering a "Fee-Free Program" (or "Program") for payment of bills by Idaho natural gas residential customers that use credit and debit cards filed November 1, 2019.

After discussion with Commission Staff, Avista believes it is pre-mature to request an Order reauthorizing the accounting and ratemaking treatment related to offering a Fee-Free Program at this time. Therefore, the Company requests the Commission allow for the withdrawal of this application and the closure of this Case.

DATED at Spokane, Washington, this 25th day of November 2019.

AVISTA CORPORATION

By: 
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