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Jeff Killip
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, Washington 98503

Re: Tariff WN U-28, Electric Service – WA Participatory Funding Program

Dear Mr. Killip:

Attached for electronic filing with the Commission is the following tariff sheet proposed to be effective August 1, 2026:

Second Revision Sheet 61 Canceling **First Revision Sheet 61**

In Order 01 in Dockets UE-220151 and UG-220596, the Commission approved the Company's request to use deferred accounting for financial assistance distributed through the interim participatory funding agreement¹ to intervening parties. In Dockets UE-240891, the Commission approved budgets to fund two entities representing customers in the proceedings and the amounts were deferred in accordance with Order 01 in Dockets UE-220151 and UG-220596. In Order 01, subsection 4, the Commission requires that utilities make an annual tariff filing to recover these deferred costs to mitigate the impact of carrying costs on ratepayers. The current tariff sheet is designed to collect \$170 thousand from electric customers. The proposed tariff sheet reflects an electric rate adjustment designed to collect the amounts paid to intervening parties from electric customers totaling \$84 thousand or 0.01%, resulting in a decrease of \$86 thousand or 0.01% for electric operations.

Table 1 illustrates the amounts paid, or are budgeted to be paid, to each party and the customer class the payments are applicable to and Table 2 illustrates the impact by rate schedule:

¹ The original Interim Participatory Funding Agreement was approved by the Commission in Order No. 01 in Docket No. U-210595 on February 24, 2022. On February 9, 2023, the Commission issued Order No. 02 in Docket No. U-210595 approving the Revised Extended Interim Funding Agreement, subject to re-filing of the modified agreement.

Table 1 - Amounts Paid			
Participatory Party	Customer Class Represented	Total Amount Paid (a)	Amount Allocated to Electric Customers
Alliance of Western Energy Consumers	Industrial	\$ 30,000	\$ 30,000
The Energy Project	Residential	\$ -	\$ -
NW Energy Coalition	All	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000
Total		\$ 80,000	\$ 80,000
Add: Interests and Revenue Related Expenses:			\$ 3,548
Total Requested Recovery			\$ 83,548

Table 2 - Impact by Rate Schedule		
Schedule No.	Rate Schedule	Change in Billed Revenue
1/7/8	Residential	-0.01%
11/12/13/17/18	General Service	0.00%
21/22/23	Large General Service	0.01%
25/25I	Extra Large General Service	-0.07%
31/32	Pumping Service	0.00%
42-48	Street and Area Lights	0.00%
	Overall	-0.01%

This rate has no effect on Avista's earnings. Enclosed is a set of workpapers which shows the derivation of the proposed per kilowatt-hour rate credit proposed to be effective for a twelve-month period beginning August 1, 2026.

The average residential customer using 925 kWhs per month will see a decrease of \$0.02 per month, or approximately 0.02%. The present bill for 925 kWhs is \$124.23 while the proposed bill is \$124.21. The actual bill change will vary based on customer usage.

In accordance with the requirements of WAC 480-100-103, attached to this filing is a draft notice to customers, which the Company will provide through a bill insert, during the June 2026 bill cycle.

Please direct any questions regarding this filing to Joel Anderson at (509) 495-2811.

Sincerely,

/s/ Joe Miller

Joe Miller
Senior Manager of Rates and Tariffs, Regulatory Affairs
Enclosures



AVISTA CORPORATION
dba Avista Utilities

SCHEDULE 61

PARTICIPATORY FUNDING - WASHINGTON

APPLICABLE:

To Customers in the State of Washington where the Company has electric service available.

The purpose of this schedule is to recover the cost of Participatory Funding Grants provided to various entities to cover their costs of advocating on behalf of customers. The awarding of such grants is governed by Section 7.6 of the Washington Extended Interim Participatory Funding Agreement adopted by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Order No. 02 in Docket No. U-210595.

MONTHLY RATE:

The energy charges of the individual rate schedules are to be adjusted by the following amounts:

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Rate</u>	
Schedule 1/7/8	\$0.00001 per kwh	(R)
Schedule 11/12/13/17/18	\$0.00001 per kwh	
Schedule 21/22/23	\$0.00001 per kwh	(I)
Schedule 25/25l	\$0.00004 per kwh	(R)

TERM:

This rate will be in effect for a one-year period from August 1, 2026, through July 31, 2027.

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SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

Service under this schedule is subject to the Rules and Regulations contained in this tariff.

The above Rate is subject to increases as set forth in Tax Adjustment Schedule 58.

Issued May 29, 2026

Effective August 1, 2026

Issued by Avista Corporation

By

Patrick Ehrbar, Director of Regulatory Affairs

