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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Public Utility Commission of Oregon
Attn: Filing Center
201 High Street SE, Suite 100
Salem, OR 97301

RE: Docket UG 519 – Proposed Procedural Schedule

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In accordance with Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) Allwein’s November 7, 2024 Memorandum, Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities (“Avista”), submits the following proposed schedule on behalf of Avista, Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (“Staff”), the Oregon Citizens’ Utility Board, and the Alliance of Western Energy Consumers.

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DATE</u>
General Rate Case Filing	Friday, November 1, 2024
Deadline to File Budgets for Intervenor Funding	Wednesday, January 15, 2025
Deadline for Petitions to Intervene	Thursday, January 30, 2025
Public Comment Hearing	TBD
EJ Workshop	TBD (Staff leads)
Staff/Intervenors File Opening Testimony	Tuesday, March 4, 2025
Settlement Conference	Wednesday, March 12, 2025
Settlement Status Update	Wednesday, March 19, 2025
Avista Files Reply Testimony	Tuesday, April 8, 2025
Data Request Response Time Reduced to 5 Business Days	Tuesday, April 8, 2025
Settlement Conference	Tuesday, April 15, 2025
Settlement Status Update	Tuesday, April 22, 2025
Staff/Intervenors File Rebuttal Testimony	Tuesday, May 6, 2025
Settlement Conference	Friday, May 9, 2025
Settlement Status Update	Tuesday, May 13, 2025

Avista Files Surrebuttal Testimony	Thursday, May 15, 2025
Data Request Response Time Reduced to 3 Business Days	Tuesday, May 20, 2025
Cross-Exam Statements and Exhibits from all Parties	Monday, May 26, 2025
Hearing - Tentative	Thursday, May 29, 2025
All Party Opening Briefs	Tuesday, June 17, 2025
All Party Reply Briefs	Thursday, June 26, 2025
Oral Argument	Tuesday, July 8, 2025
Target Date for Commission Order	Monday, August 25, 2025
Rate Effective Date	Monday, September 1, 2025

Please note that the parties were mindful of the request to allow for at least eight weeks between oral argument and the issuance of an order (see November 7th, 2024 Memorandum, supra), but because of scheduling conflicts for the date for oral argument, and difficulties further compressing the schedule, the parties were only able to arrive at an interval that is slightly less than eight weeks, notwithstanding diligent efforts.

Please direct any questions to Kaylene Schultz at (509) 495-2482 or kaylene.schultz@avistacorp.com.

Sincerely,

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