DECISION MEMORANDUM

- TO: COMMISSIONER ANDERSON COMMISSIONER CHATBURN COMMISSIONER HAMMOND COMMISSION SECRETARY COMMISSION STAFF LEGAL
- FROM: RILEY NEWTON DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
- **DATE:** MARCH 15, 2022

SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF AVISTA CORPORATION'S COMPLIANCE FILING TO UPDATE AND ESTABLISH ITS CAPACITY DEFICIENCY PERIOD TO BE USED FOR AVOTDED COST CALCULATIONS; AVU-E-22-02

On February 22, 2022, Avista Corporation d/b/a Avista Utilities ("Company") applied to the Commission for approval of its capacity deficiency period used for its avoided cost calculations. The Company must file its capacity deficiency case after the Commission acknowledges its IRP report. The Company requests its Application be processed by Modified Procedure.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff recommends the Commission issue Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure and establish a May 5, 2022, public comment deadline and a May 12, 2022, Company reply deadline.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to issue Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure establishing a May 5, 2022, public comment deadline and a May 12, 2022, Company reply deadline?

Riley Newton Deputy Attorney General

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