## **DECISION MEMORANDUM**

- TO: COMMISSIONER ANDERSON COMMISSIONER HAMMOND COMMISSIONER LODGE COMMISSION SECRETARY COMMISSION STAFF LEGAL
- FROM: CHRIS BURDIN DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATE: JANUARY 2, 2024

## SUBJECT: IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF AVISTA CORPORATION, D/B/A/ AVISTA UTILITIES, REQUESTING AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH TARIFF SCHEDULE 23 FOR DIRECT CURRENT FAST CHARGING (DCFC) OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES; CASE NO. AVU-E-23-16.

On November 3, 2023, Avista Corporation, doing business as Avista Utilities ("Company"), filed an application ("Application") with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") requesting authority to establish electric tariff Schedule 23, "Direct Current Fast Charging ("DCFC") Rate Option," effective February 1, 2024. On November 22, 2023, the Commission issued a Notice of Application, Notice of Suspension of Proposed Effective Date, and Notice of Intervention Deadline. Order No. 36008. No parties intervened. On December 27, 2023, a Notice of Parties was issued.

## **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Commission Staff ("Staff") recommends the Commission issue a Notice of Modified Procedure establishing a February 21, 2024, initial comment deadline, and a March 6, 2024, Company reply comment deadline.

## **COMMISSION DECISION**

Does the Commission wish to issue a Notice of Modified Procedure establishing a February 21, 2024, initial comment deadline, and a March 6, 2024, Company reply comment deadline?

Chris Burdin Deputy Attorney General

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