

**Jean Jewell**

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**Sent:** Tuesday, October 16, 2012 6:22 AM  
**To:** Jean Jewell; Beverly Barker; Gene Fadness  
**Subject:** PUC Comment Form

A Comment from David Asher follows:

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Case Number: AVU-G-12-07/AVU-E-12-08  
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Name of Utility Company: Avista Utilities  
Acknowledge: acknowledge

Please describe your comment briefly:  
I sincerely hope that the IPUC heavily scrutinizes this latest rate increase by Avista and leverages good judgement by declining the request. It's become clear that the IPUC has provided Avista with a 'rubber stamp' approval for its recent rate increases, while the WA state PUC has been more diligent at denying unwarranted requests. It seems as though the IPUC and Avista feel that it's enough to state that 'assistance programs are available to customers in need'. I'm tired of this repeated excuse. It's time for the IPUC to stand up to the corporate interests for once. I will be contacting all of my state legislators as well to voice my displeasure with the IPUC.

Sincerely,  
David R. Asher

The form submitted on <http://www.puc.idaho.gov/forms/ipuc1/ipuc.html>  
IP address is 201.144.52.66

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