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State of Idaho Idaho Public Utilities Commission Statehouse Boise ID 83720

Attention: Diane Hanian, Secretary

Avu-u-04-01

RE: Filing requirements under Order No. 29947 and Order No. 30036

Enclosed is Exhibit A, which is the quarterly status report as of December 31, 2019, as required under Order No. 29947 and Order No. 30036. If any questions arise or additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact Karrie Wilson at 509-495-2345.

Sincerely,

Jason E. Lang

Director of Finance and Assistant Treasurer

**Enclosures** 

## AVISTA CORP. Quarterly Status Report, Case No. AVU-U-05-02, Order No. 29947 Case No. AVU-U-06-1, Order No. 30036

## Cost of Capital as of 12/31/2019

| Total Long-term Debt   | Amount \$1,860,500,000 | Percent of<br>Total Capital<br>———————————————————————————————————— | Cost 5.17%        | Component 2.58%    |
|--|------------------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|
| Common Equity  | 1,863,249,057          | 50.04%  | 9.50%             | <sup>3</sup> 4.75% |
| TOTAL  | \$3,723,749,057        | 100.00%   |                   | 7.34%              |
| Key Financial Data Available on Avista Corp                          |                        |   |                   |                    |
|  | 12/31/2019             | 12/31/2018  | 12/31/2017        | 12/31/2016         |
| Net income attributable to Avista Corporation                        | \$196,763,000          | \$136,598,000   | \$115,916,000     | \$137,228,000      |
| Consolidated EPS <sup>1</sup>  | \$2.97                 | \$2.07  | \$1.79            | \$2.15             |
| Dividend Payout Ratio <sup>2</sup>                                   | 52.10%                 | 72.08%  | 79.93%            | 63.72%             |
| Common Shares Outstanding  | 67,176,996             | 65,688,356  | 65,494,333        | 64,187,934         |
| S&P Financial Ratios Funds from operations (FFO ) / Interest Expense | 4.19 4                 | 3.44 4  | 5.07 <sup>4</sup> | 6.23               |

13.80% 4

14.86% 4

17.60% 4

21.00% 4

Funds from operations (FFO ) / Debt

<sup>1</sup> Earnings per common share attributable to Avista Corporation, diluted

<sup>2</sup> Calculated on a 12 Months Ended Period

<sup>3</sup> Last Commission approved return on equity

<sup>4</sup> Ratios provided by the Company's Forecast