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To: 'Mark Scharn'

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Subject: RE: BHP Rate Hike

Mark,

This was the best possible outcome given the evidence presented during this case, testimony at the hearing, and the state laws providing the parameters for rate setting for investor owned utilities. I do understand that consumers and PUC commissioners would have preferred no increase.

Sincerely,

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