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November 17, 2017

Grant M. Yoshihara Vice President of Utility Operations NW Natural 220 NW Second Avenue Portland, OR 97209

RE: 2017 Natural Gas Distribution Integrity Management Program (DIMP) Inspection Headquarters (Insp. No. 7248)

Dear Mr. Yoshihara:

Staff from the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (staff) conducted a DIMP inspection from Aug. 28-29 and an exit interview on Nov. 2, of NW Natural's (NWN) Headquarters. The inspection included a manual and records review.

No apparent violations were noted as a result of the inspection. This inspection will be closed as of Nov. 17.

Staff thanks NWN's personnel for their professionalism and cooperation during this inspection.

If you have any questions or if we may be of any assistance, please contact Lex Vinsel at (360) 664-1319.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mavo

Pipeline Safety Director

cc: JR Gonzales, Manager, Code Compliance, NWN