

## **OLYMPIC PIPE LINE COMPANY**

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Jens Nedrud, P.E. Program Manager Energize the Eastside Puget Sound Energy P.O. Box 97034, EST03W Bellevue, WA 98009

Dear Mr. Nedrud,

Thank you for providing a copy of your consultant's AC Interference Analysis report relating to the planned upgrade of PSE's transmission lines within our shared utility corridor on the east side of Lake Washington.

Olympic and PSE have a mutual interest in ensuring that any work conducted in close proximity to Olympic's pipelines is thoughtfully planned and carefully executed. Olympic is committed to continuing to work closely with PSE and the responsible permitting authorities to identify and mitigate any potential threats to the pipelines' integrity along the shared corridor in the planning stages, during construction, and after project completion through ongoing monitoring.

The report identifies areas where un-mitigated AC interference levels may have the potential to impact the integrity of Olympic's pipelines, outlines available mitigation techniques, and recommends collection of field data after the PSE system is energized to empirically determine the need for, type and location of any additional mitigation measures. Olympic supports the work performed by your consultant and views the report as an important step towards ensuring the continued safe operation of our collocated facilities.

Sincerely,

Marc Horn President

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