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SKAGIT COUNTY WASHINGTON
REAL ESTATE EXCISE TAX

EASEMENT

2015 5081
DEC 17 2015

Amount Paid \$ 52.³⁸
Skagit Co. Treasurer
By *mm* Deputy

REFERENCE #:
GRANTOR (Owner): **ALAN L. FOX and KATHY A. FOX**
GRANTEE (PSE): **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**
SHORT LEGAL: **PTN LOT 25 ANDERSON-HILDE PLAT, SE ¼ SE ¼ SE ¼ S13, T35N, R4E, W.M.**
ASSESSOR'S PROPERTY TAX PARCEL: **P79668**

For and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, **ALAN L. FOX and KATHY A. FOX, husband and wife**, ("Owner" herein), hereby grants and conveys to **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**, a Washington corporation ("PSE" herein), for the purposes described below, a nonexclusive perpetual easement over, under, along across and through the following described real property (the "Property" herein) in **SKAGIT** County, Washington:

SEE EXHIBIT A – ATTACHED HERETO

Except as may be otherwise set forth herein PSE's rights shall be exercised upon that portion of the Property ("Easement Area" herein) described as follows:

SEE EXHIBIT B – ATTACHED HERETO

1. **Purpose.** PSE shall have the right to use the Easement Area to construct, operate, maintain, repair, replace, improve, remove, upgrade and extend one or more utility systems for purposes of transmission, distribution and sale of gas and electricity. Such systems may include, but are not limited to:

a. **Overhead facilities.** Poles and other support structures with crossarms, braces, guys and anchors; electric transmission and distribution lines; fiber optic cable and other lines, cables and facilities for communications; transformers, street lights, meters, fixtures, attachments and any and all other facilities or appurtenances necessary or convenient to any or all of the foregoing; and

b. **Underground facilities.** Conduits, lines, cables, vaults, switches and transformers for electricity; pipes, pipelines, mains, laterals, conduits, regulators, gauges and rectifiers for gas; fiber optic cable and other lines, cables and facilities for communications; semi-buried or ground-mounted facilities and pads, manholes, meters, fixtures, attachments and any and all other facilities or appurtenances necessary or convenient to any or all of the foregoing.

Following the initial construction of all or a portion of its systems, PSE may, from time to time, construct such additional facilities as it may require for such systems. PSE shall have the right of access to the Easement Area over and across the Property to enable PSE to exercise its rights granted in this easement.

2. Easement Area Clearing and Maintenance. PSE shall have the right, but not the obligation to cut, remove and dispose of any and all brush, trees or other vegetation in the Easement Area. PSE shall also have the right, but not the obligation, to control, on a continuing basis and by any prudent and reasonable means, the establishment and growth of brush, trees or other vegetation in the Easement Area.

3. Trees Outside Easement Area. PSE shall have the right to cut, trim remove and dispose of any trees located on the Property outside the Easement Area that could, in PSE's sole judgment, interfere with or create a hazard to PSE's systems. PSE shall, except in the event of an emergency, prior to the exercise of such right, identify such trees and make a reasonable effort to give Owner prior notice that such trees will be cut, trimmed, removed or disposed. Owner shall be entitled to compensation for the actual market value of merchantable timber (if any) cut and removed from the Property by PSE.

4. Restoration. Following initial installation, repair or extension of its facilities, PSE shall, to the extent reasonably practicable, restore landscaping and surfaces and portions of the Property affected by PSE's work to the condition existing immediately prior to such work. PSE shall use good faith efforts to perform its restoration obligations under this paragraph as soon as reasonably possible after the completion of PSE's work.

5. Owner's Use of Easement Area. Owner reserves the right to use the Easement Area for any purpose not inconsistent with the rights herein granted, provided, however, Owner shall not excavate within or otherwise change the grade of the Easement Area or construct or maintain any buildings or structures on the Easement Area and Owner shall do no blasting within 300 feet of PSE's facilities without PSE's prior written consent.


6. Indemnity. PSE agrees to indemnify Owner from and against liability incurred by Owner as a result of the negligence of PSE or its contractors in the exercise of the rights herein granted to PSE, but nothing herein shall require PSE to indemnify Owner for that portion of any such liability attributable to the negligence of Owner or the negligence of others.

7. Termination. The rights herein granted shall continue until such time as PSE terminates such right by written instrument. If terminated any improvements remaining in the Easement Area shall become the property of Owner. No termination shall be deemed to have occurred by PSE's failure to install its systems on the Easement Area.

8. Successors and Assigns. PSE shall have the right to assign, apportion or otherwise transfer any or all of its rights, benefits, privileges and interests arising in and under this easement. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be binding upon their respective successors and assigns.

DATED this 24th day of November, 2015

OWNER:

BY: 
ALAN L. FOX

BY: 
KATHY A. FOX

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) SS
COUNTY OF)

On this 24th day of November, 2015, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared **ALAN L. FOX and KATHY A. FOX**, to me known to be the individuals who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they signed the same as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

GIVEN UNDER my hand and official seal hereto affixed the day and year in this certificate first above written.





(Signature of Notary)

Leigh Anne Mercado

(Print or stamp name of Notary)

NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of Washington, residing at Cyanwood, WA
My Appointment Expires: 10/01/2019

Notary seal, text and all notations must not be placed within 1" margins

EXHIBIT A - LEGAL DESCRIPTION

SEDRO #4 PARCEL E-49
SKAGIT COUNTY, WA

PER DEED AFN 201510200087:

LOT 25, ANDERSON-HILDE PLAT, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED
IN VOLUME 11 OF PLATS, PAGE 50, RECORDS OF SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

SITUATED IN SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON.



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JOB NO. 15-123

DATE:
OCT 2015

EXHIBIT B - EASEMENT DESCRIPTION

SEDRO #4 PARCEL E-49
SKAGIT COUNTY, WA

A STRIP OF LAND IN THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 35 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST, W.M., BEING THE SOUTH 10 FEET OF THAT PROPERTY HEREIN DESCRIBED AS EXHIBIT "A" LYING PARALLEL WITH, ADJACENT TO, AND MEASURED AT RIGHT ANGLES FROM THE NORTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY MARGIN OF JOHN LINER ROAD.

THE SIDE LINES OF SAID STRIP ARE TO BE PROLONGED OR SHORTENED TO FIT WITHIN THE CONFINES OF SAID PARCEL DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A".

A SKETCH IS ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT "C" AND BY REFERENCE THERETO IS MADE A PART HEREOF.

SITUATE IN SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON.



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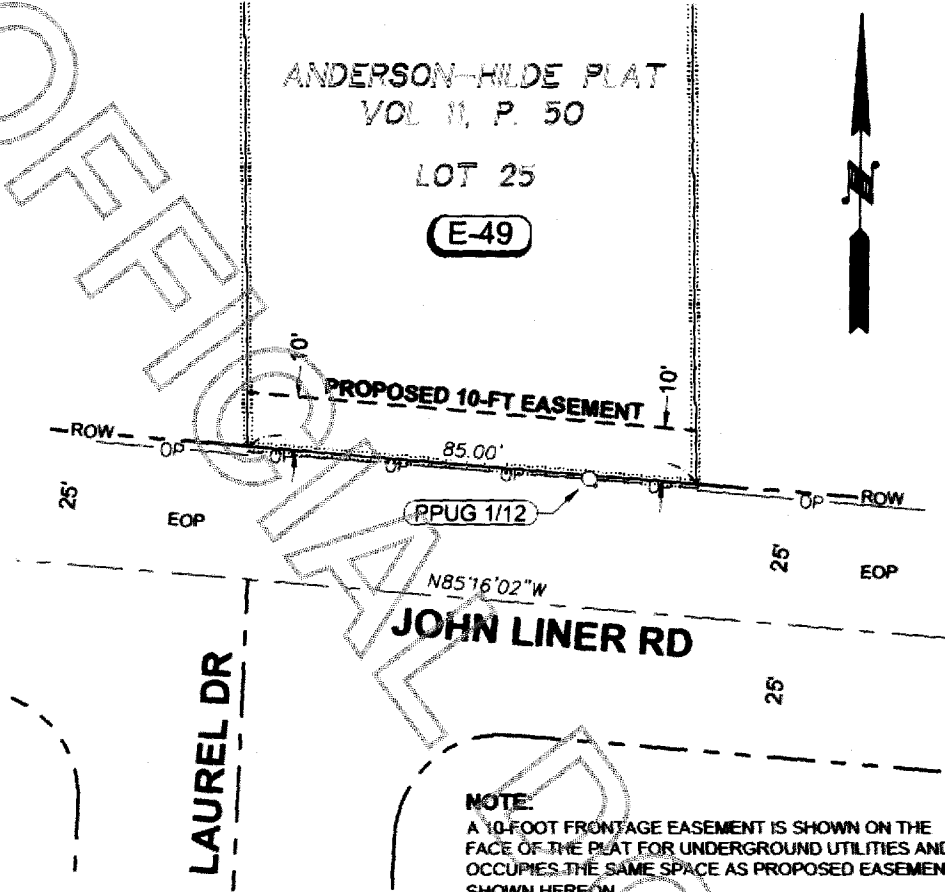
EXHIBIT C - EASEMENT SKETCH

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 SE 1/4, SEC 13, T 35N, R 4E, W.M.
 SKAGIT COUNTY, WA

ANDERSON-HILDE PLAT
 VOL 11, P. 50

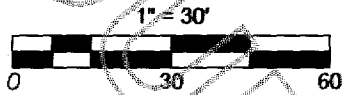
LOT 25

E-49



NOTE:
 A 10-FOOT FRONTAGE EASEMENT IS SHOWN ON THE FACE OF THE PLAT FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES AND OCCUPIES THE SAME SPACE AS PROPOSED EASEMENT SHOWN HEREON.

E-49 PARCEL DATA	
OWNER:	FOX
PARCEL ID:	P79668
SITE ADDRESS:	816 JOHN LINER RD
OWNER ADDRESS:	9208 15TH PL LAKE STEVENS, WA 98258
EASEMENT AREA:	850 SF



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