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Puget Sound Energy, Inc.
Attn: Real Estate
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SKAGIT COUNTY WASHINGTON
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PUGET SOUND ENERGY

GUARDIAN NORTHWEST TITLE CO.

EASEMENT ACCOMMODATION RECORDING ONLY

MD236

REFERENCE #:
GRANTOR (Owner): **BYRON T. BETTS AND AMANDA S. MOE**
GRANTEE (PSE): **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.**
SHORT LEGAL: **PTN LOTS 1 & 2, SP 3-75 AND PTN NE 26-34N-3E**
ASSESSOR'S PROPERTY TAX PARCEL: **P22742, P134421**

For and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, **BYRON T. BETTS AND AMANDA S. MOE, a married couple** ("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 AND BY THIS REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.

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: A RIGHT OF WAY TEN (10) FEET IN WIDTH WITH FIVE (5) FEET ON EACH SIDE OF A CENTERLINE DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

THE CENTERLINE OF GRANTEE'S FACILITIES AS NOW CONSTRUCTED, TO BE CONSTRUCTED, EXTENDED OR RELOCATED LYING WITHIN THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PARCEL.

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 electricity. Such systems may include, but are not limited to:

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.

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

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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, unless said work was done at the request of Owner, in which case Owner shall be responsible for such restoration. All restoration which is the responsibility of PSE shall be performed as soon as reasonably possible after the completion of PSE's work and shall be coordinated with Owner so as to cause the minimum amount of disruption to Owner's use of the Property.

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 23 day of January, 20 19.

OWNER:

By: 
BYRON T. BETTS

By: 
AMANDA S. MOE

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) SS
COUNTY OF SKagit)

On this 23rd day of January, 2019, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared **BYRON T. BETTS** and **AMANDA S. MOE**, 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.

Joseph M. Steele
(Signature of Notary)

JOSEPH M. STEELE

(Print or stamp name of Notary)

NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of Washington, residing at BELLINGHAM

My Appointment Expires: AUGUST 1, 2019

Notary seal, text and all notations must be inside 1" margins

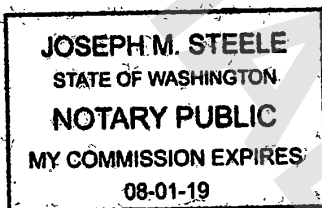


Exhibit "A"

Lot 1, Skagit County Short Plat No. 3-75, approved July 16, 1975 and recorded July 31, 1975 in Volume 1 of Short Plats, page 49 under Auditor's File No. 821339, records of Skagit County, Washington, being a portion of the Northwest Quarter of Section 25, Township 34 North, Range 3 East, W.M.

EXCEPT that portion thereof described as follows:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot 1, Skagit County Short Plat No. 3-75;
Thence South 90°00'00" West along the South line of said Lot 1 for a distance of 16.00 feet;
Thence North 0°43'40" West, parallel with the West line of said Lot 1, for a distance of 188.00 feet;
Thence North 45°38'37" West for a distance of 31.47 feet, more or less, to the North line of said Lot 1;
Thence North 90°00'00" East along said North line of Lot 1 for a distance of 38.78 feet, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said Lot 1 at a point bearing North 0°43'40" East from the Point of Beginning;
Thence South 0°43'40" West along the East line of said Lot 1 for a distance of 210.00 feet, more or less to the Point of Beginning.

TOGETHER WITH that portion of Lot 2, Skagit County Short Plat No. 3-75, approved July 16, 1975 and recorded July 31, 1975 in Volume 1 of Short Plats, page 49 under Auditor's File No. 821339, records of Skagit County, Washington, being a portion of the Northwest Quarter of Section 25, Township 34 North, Range 3 East, W.M., described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Lot 1, said Skagit County Short Plat No. 3-75, also being the Southwesterly corner of Lot 2, said Skagit County Short Plat No. 3-75:
Thence North 0°43'40" East along the West line of said Lot 2 for a distance of 35.00 feet;
Thence South 45°38'37" East for a distance of 50.06 feet, more or less, to the North line of said Lot 1 at a point bearing South 90°00'00" West a distance of 38.78 feet from the Northeast corner of said Lot 1;
Thence South 90°00'00" West along said North line of Lot 1 for a distance of 36.22 feet, more or less, to the Point of Beginning.

AND TOGETHER WITH that portion of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 34 North, Range 3 East, W.M., described as follows:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 26 (East quarter corner);
Thence North 0°43'40" East along the East line of said subdivision for a distance of 30.00 feet, more or less, to the Northerly right-of-way margin of Jungquist Road and being the Southwest corner of Lot 1, Skagit County Short Plat No. 3-75, approved July 16, 1975 and recorded July 31, 1975 in Volume 1 of Short Plats, page 49 under Auditor's File No. 821339, records of Skagit County, Washington; and also being the True Point of Beginning;

Thence continue North 0°43'40" East along the East line of said subdivision, also being the West line of said Lot 1, Skagit County short Plat No. 3-75, for a distance of 210.00 feet, to the Northwest corner of said Lot 1;

Thence North 90°00'00" West on a Westerly projection of the North line of said Lot 1 for a distance of 16.00 feet;

Thence South 0°43'40" West for a distance of 209.91 feet, more or less, to the Northerly right-of-way margin of Jungquist Road at a point bearing North 89°40'44" West from the True Point of Beginning;

Thence South 89°40'44" East along said Northerly right-of-way margin for a distance of 16.00 feet, more or less, to the True Point of Beginning.

Situate in the County of Skagit, State of Washington.