



# **Air Quality Permitting Response to Public Comments**

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**Tier I Operating Permit No. T1-2021.0018**

**Project No. 62622**

**Avista Corporation  
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## BACKGROUND

The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) provided for public comment on the draft Tier I operating permit to Avista Corporation from June 30, 2021 through July 30, 2021, in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.364. During this period, comments were submitted in response to DEQ's proposed action. Each applicable comment and DEQ's response is provided in the following section.

## PUBLIC COMMENTS AND RESPONSES

Public comments regarding the technical and regulatory analyses and the air quality aspects of the draft permit are summarized below. Questions, comments, and/or suggestions received during the comment period that did not relate to the air quality aspects of the permit application, the Department's technical analysis, or the draft permit are not addressed. For reference purposes, a copy of the Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho can be found at: <http://adminrules.idaho.gov/rules/current/58/0101.pdf>.

Comment 1: On the draft permit, "Reference Error" on page 15 for Table 4.2."

**Response 1:** The formatting error has been corrected to reflect Table 4.2, as requested.

Comment 2: On the draft permit, "The box ("Monitoring Requirements (CMS)" on page 11 cut off three bullet points."

**Response 2:** The formatting error has been corrected to reflect the missing three bullet points, as requested.

Comment 3: On the draft permit, "Repeating row "Notification and Recordkeeping (CMS)". Once on page 11 and once on page 12."

**Response 3:** The formatting error has been corrected to reflect, "Notification and Recordkeeping (CMS)" only once, as requested.