Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC FERC NGA Gas Tariff Baseline Tariffs Proposed Effective Date: April 1, 2025 Service Agreement No. 195969-4 – Ascent Resources – Utica, LLC Option Code A

Service Agreement No. 195969 Revision No. 4

FTS SERVICE AGREEMENT

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THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into this _____ day of March, 2025, by and between COLUMBIA GAS TRANSMISSION, LLC ("Transporter") and ASCENT RESOURCES - UTICA, LLC ("Shipper").

WITNESSETH: That in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

Section 1. <u>Service to be Rendered</u>. Transporter shall perform and Shipper shall receive service in accordance with the provisions of the effective FTS Rate Schedule and applicable General Terms and Conditions of Transporter's FERC Gas Tariff, Fourth Revised Volume No. 1 ("Tariff"), on file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("Commission"), as the same may be amended or superseded in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commission. The maximum obligation of Transporter to deliver gas hereunder to or for Shipper, the designation of the points of delivery at which Transporter shall deliver or cause gas to be delivered to or for Shipper, and the points of receipt at which Shipper shall deliver or cause gas to be delivered, are specified in Appendix A, as the same may be amended from time to time by agreement between Shipper and Transporter, or in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Section 2. <u>Term</u>. Service under this Agreement commenced as of January 1, 2018, and shall continue in full force and effect until December 31, 2032, ("Initial Term"). Pre-granted abandonment shall apply upon termination of this Agreement, subject to any right of first refusal Shipper may have under the Commission's regulations and Transporter's Tariff.

At the end of the Initial Term, Shipper shall have the right to extend its Service Agreement for one (1) or two (2) successive 5-year terms (each an "Extended Term"), exercisable no later than twelve (12) months prior to the expiration of the Initial Term and the first Extended Term, if applicable. Any Extended Term must be for a minimum quantity of 100,000 Dth/day and at the same rates and commercial terms contained herein. Provided, however, if Shipper elects to extend the Initial Term at a quantity less than its Initial Term quantity, then such reduced quantity for the first Extended Term shall become the maximum quantity for any second Extended Term. In addition to the rates applicable to Shipper's Extended Term, Shipper shall pay all surcharges (excluding the Capital Cost Recovery Mechanism charge) applicable to Rate Schedule FTS that are set forth in the Tariff, without exception, as those surcharges may be amended, added or modified from time to time.

Section 3. <u>Rates</u>. Shipper shall pay Transporter the charges and furnish Retainage as described in the above-referenced Rate Schedule, unless otherwise agreed to by the parties in writing and specified as an amendment to this Service Agreement. Transporter may agree to

discount its rate to Shipper below Transporter's maximum rate, but not less than Transporter's minimum rate. Such discounted rate may apply to: (a) specified quantities (contract demand or commodity quantities); (b) specified quantities above or below a certain level or all quantities if quantities exceed a certain level; (c) quantities during specified time periods; (d) quantities at specified points, locations, or other defined geographical areas; (e) that a specified discounted rate will apply in a specified relationship to the quantities actually transported (i.e., that the reservation charge will be adjusted in a specified relationship to quantities actually transported); (f) production and/or reserves committed by the Shipper; and (g) based on a formula including, but not limited to, published index prices for specific receipt and/or delivery points or other agreed-upon pricing points, provided that the resulting rate shall be no lower than the minimum nor higher than the maximum applicable rate set forth in the Tariff. In addition, the discount agreement may include a provision that if one rate component which was at or below the applicable maximum rate at the time the discount agreement was executed subsequently exceeds the applicable maximum rate due to a change in Transporter's maximum rate so that such rate component must be adjusted downward to equal the new applicable maximum rate, then other rate components may be adjusted upward to achieve the agreed overall rate, so long as none of the resulting rate components exceed the maximum rate applicable to that rate component. Such changes to rate components shall be applied prospectively, commencing with the date a Commission order accepts revised tariff sections. However, nothing contained herein shall be construed to alter a refund obligation under applicable law for any period during which rates, which had been charged under a discount agreement, exceeded rates which ultimately are found to be just and reasonable.

Section 4. <u>Notices</u>. Notices to Transporter under this Agreement shall be addressed to it at 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 1300, Houston, Texas 77002, Attention: Commercial Operations and notices to Shipper shall be addressed to it at Ascent Resources – Utica, LLC, 3501 NW 63rd Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73116, Attention: SVP Midstream and Marketing, until changed by either party by written notice.

Section 5. <u>Superseded Agreements</u>. This Service Agreement supersedes and cancels, as of the effective date hereof, the following Service Agreement(s): FTS Agreement 195969 Revision 3.

Section 6. <u>Credit Annex</u>. The credit requirements appended hereto as Attachment A are incorporated herein by reference with full force and effect and are made a part of this Service Agreement as though set forth herein verbatim.

ASCENT RESOURCES – UTICA, LLC

By Dara Bryant

Title <u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

Date 3/26/2025

COLUMBIA GAS TRANSMISSION, LLC

By _____

Title VP Marketing

Date Mar 26, 2025

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Appendix A to Service Agreement No. 195969 Under Rate Schedule FTS between Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC ("Transporter") and Ascent Resources – Utica, LLC ("Shipper")

Transportation Demand

		Transportation	
Begin	End	Demand	Recurrence
Date	Date	<u>Dth/day</u>	Interval
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	161,759	1/1-12/31
4/1/2021	12/31/2032	137,759	1/1-12/31

Primary Receipt Points

Begin <u>Date</u>	End <u>Date</u>	Scheduling <u>Point No.</u>	Scheduling <u>Point Name</u>	Measuring <u>Point No.</u>	Measuring <u>Point Name</u>	Maximum Daily Quantity <u>(Dth/day)</u>	Minimum Receipt Pressure Obligation <u>(psig)1/</u>	Recurrence <u>Interval</u>
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	743103	Eureka	743103	Eureka	161,759		1/1 - 12/31
4/1/2021	12/31/2032	743103	Eureka	743103	Eureka	137,759		1/1 - 12/31

Primary Delivery Points

						Maximum Daily Delivery	Design Daily	Minimum Delivery Pressure	
Begin <u>Date</u>	End Date	Scheduling <u>Point No.</u>	Scheduling Point Name	Measuring <u>Point No.</u>	Measuring Point Name	Obligation (<u>Dth/day)1/</u>	Quantity (Dth/day)1/	Obligation (psig)1/	Recurrence Interval
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23N-2	Columbia Gas OH OP 05-2	708682	Parma	7,357			1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-4	Columbia Gas OH OP 07 - 4	707751	P.C.C. Airfoils	4,000			1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-4	Columbia Gas OH OP 07 - 4	709255	Alliance Wolf	3,012			1/1-12/31
2/1/2021	3/31/2025	23-5	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-5	708487	Hamilton	3,858			1/1-12/31
2/1/2018	3/31/2025	23-5	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-5	734409	COH Gender Rd	2,000			1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2025	23-5	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-5	735903	COH Watkins Road	6,000			1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2025	23-5	Columbia Gas OH OP 07 - 5	737965	COH Col's East Broad	18,495			1/1-12/31
4/1/2025	12/31/2032	MLNEWALB	Mainline New Albany	MLNEWALB	Mainline New Albany	30,353			1/1-12/31

1/1/2018	12/31/2032	33-6	Dayton-6	730598	Centerville	33,742	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23N-7	Columbia Gas OH OP 05-7	707713	Lorain West L2042	16,522	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709329	Possum Green	14	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709592	Brandon	70	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	703675	Malabar Farm	56	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	706254	Newark	631	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	706281	Wellston	481	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	710811	Glenroy	239	1/1-12/31

1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	712256	Coalton	402	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709763	COH Gambier	417	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709467	South Webster	635	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709757	Granville	143	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709192	Mcarthur	100	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	711017	Kingsford Building	220	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	711116	Cedar Heights Clay	251	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	711588	Banquet Foods (Jeno's)	5,503	1/1-12/31

4/1/2021	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	711588	Banquet Foods (Jeno's)	4,958	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	712573	Kitts Hill	1,610	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	713541	South Point	1,381	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	3/31/2021	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	713542	Burlington	18,356	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	740392	Mt. Vernon	13,713	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-8	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-8	709666	Ashland	1,146	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	51-8	National Gas&Oil-8	705361	Sturgeon	588	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	51-8	National Gas&Oil-8	710741	Huber	246	1/1-12/31

1/1/2018	12/31/2032	51-8	National Gas&Oil-8	734529	Beaver Run Road	665	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	51-8	National Gas&Oil-8	700018	Zollinger (Shell Beach)	361	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	1/31/2021	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07 - 9	709465	Glouster	3,858	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	706333	Middleport- Bradbury	3,200	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07 - 9	705570	Logan	595	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07 - 9	712046	COH Athens E 61	1,700	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	709472	COH Dresden	1,000	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	709536	New Concord	652	1/1-12/31

1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	711153	Zanesville	10,077	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	706465	New Lexington	500	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	704658	Derwent	400	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	709860	Byesville	821	1/1-12/31
1/1/2018	12/31/2032	23-9	Columbia Gas OH OP 07-9	711165	Beech Grove	600	1/1-12/31

1/ Application of MDDOs, DDQs and ADQs, minimum pressure and/or hourly flowrate shall be as follows:

The Master List of Interconnects ("MLI") as defined in Section 1 of the General Terms and Conditions of Transporter's Tariff is incorporated herein by reference for purposes of listing valid secondary interruptible receipt points and delivery points.

Yes X No (Check applicable blank) Transporter and Shipper have mutually agreed to a Regulatory Restructuring Reduction Option pursuant to Section 42 of the General Terms and Conditions of Transporter's FERC Gas Tariff.

____Yes _X_ No (Check applicable blank) Shipper has a contractual right of first refusal equivalent to the right of first refusal set forth from time to time in Section 4 of the General Terms and Conditions of Transporter's FERC Gas Tariff.

____Yes _X_ No (Check applicable blank) All gas shall be delivered at existing points of interconnection within the MDDOs, ADQs and/or DDQs, as applicable, set forth in Transporter's currently effective Rate Schedule _____Service Agreement No. _____Appendix A with Shipper, which are incorporated herein by reference.

Yes X No (Check applicable blank) This Service Agreement covers interim capacity sold pursuant to the provisions of General Terms and Conditions Section 4. Right of first refusal rights, if any, applicable to this interim capacity are limited as provided for in General Terms and Conditions Section 4.

Yes X No (Check applicable blank) This Service Agreement covers offsystem capacity sold pursuant to Section 47 of the General Terms and Conditions. Right of first refusal rights, if any, applicable to this offsystem capacity are limited as provided for in General Terms and Conditions Section 47.

ASCENT RESOURCES – UTICA, LLC

By Dana Bryant

Title______

3/26/2025 Date COLUMBIA GAS TRANSMISSION, LLC

By_____

_{Title} VP Marketing

Date Mar 26, 2025

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Attachment A to Service Agreement No. 195969 Revision 4

March 18, 2025

Ascent Resources – Utica, LLC 3501 NW 63rd Street Oklahoma City, OK 73116 Attention: Jim Johnson

RE: FTS Agreement No. 195969 Revision 4 Fourth Amended and Restated Negotiated Rate Letter Agreement

Dear Jim:

This Fourth Amended and Restated Negotiated Rate Letter Agreement between Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC ("Transporter" or "TCO") and Ascent Resources – Utica, LLC ("Shipper") shall set forth the applicable rates and other rate provisions associated with the transportation service provided by Transporter to Shipper pursuant to the above-referenced Service Agreement. Transporter and Shipper may be referred to individually as a "Party" or collectively as the "Parties".

Shipper and Transporter hereby agree:

- 1. The "Negotiated Reservation Rates" during the term of January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2032 for the transportation service provided shall be those rates and terms agreed upon as set forth in the Attachment A attached hereto.
- 2. Required Approvals. This NRL, together with the Agreement will be filed with the FERC and shall be subject to FERC's acceptance on terms acceptable to Transporter in its sole discretion. If any terms of this NRL are disallowed by any order, rulemaking, regulation or policy of the FERC, Transporter may terminate this NRL with no further notice to Shipper. If any terms of the Agreement are in any way modified by order, rulemaking, regulation or policy of the FERC, Transporter and Shipper may mutually agree to modify this NRL with the goal of ensuring that the original commercial intent of the parties is preserved. If the parties cannot mutually agree to modifications hereto, Transporter reserves the right to terminate this NRL with no further notice to Shipper. Transporter will have no liability for any costs incurred by Shipper or related to the service rendered or contemplated to be rendered hereunder.
- 3. This Fourth Amended and Restated Negotiated Rate Letter Agreement replaces and supersedes effective April 1, 2025, the Third Amended and Restated Negotiated Rate Letter Agreement between the Parties dated March 25, 2021.

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Accepted and agreed to this _____ day of March, 2025

ASCENT RESOURCES - UTICA, LLC

By: Dana Bryant

Attorney-in-Fact

Date:_____

COLUMBIA GAS TRANSMISSION, LLC

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Title: VP Marketing

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Attachment A to Service Agreement No. 195969 Revision 4

Attachment A Effective 4/1/2025

NEGOTIATED RESERVATION RATES

Primary Receipt Point(s) *	Primary Delivery Point(s) *	Transportation Demand (Dth/day)	Term	Daily Demand Rate	Daily Commodity Rate	Rate Schedule
Eureka (meter no. 743103)	Ohio Market Area Deliveries (as listed below)	137,759 Dth/day	1/1/2018 to 12/31/2032	\$0.619	maximum applicable	FTS

* Shipper shall have full secondary receipt and delivery point access, pursuant to the terms and conditions of TCO's FERC Gas Tariff, at no incremental charge.

In addition, Shipper shall pay all applicable demand and commodity surcharges specified under Rate Schedule FTS, as such may change from time to time, with the exception of the Capital Cost Recovery Mechanism (CCRM).

In addition to the rates above, Shipper will pay the fuel retention applicable to Rate Schedule FTS, as such may change from time to time.

Market Area	Transport Demand
2	7,357
4	7,012
5	30,353
6	33,742
7	16,522
8	23,228
9	19,545
Total	137,759

Ohio Market Area Deliveries: