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Amanda Maxwell
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, WA 98503

RE: Consolidated Communications of Washington Company, LLC
2023 ETC Certification Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060 and 47 CFR § 54.314

Dear Secretary:

Pursuant to WAC 480-123-060, Consolidated Communications of Washington Company, LLC ("CCWA") respectfully submits the ETC annual reports per WAC 480-123-070 and WAC 480-123-080 and requests that the WUTC certify to the Federal Communications Commission and the Universal Service Administrative Company that CCWA has met the requirements of 47 CFR § 54.314 for eligibility to receive federal high-cost funds.

Due to the CONFIDENTIAL nature of the information contained in portions of the accompanying reports, pursuant to RCW 80.04.095 and WAC 480-07-160, CCWA hereby asserts a claim of confidentiality with respect thereto. The basis for this claim is that the reports and their attachments contain valuable commercial information, including confidential cost and financial information. Accordingly, in compliance with WAC 480-07-160(5)(c), unredacted and redacted versions of those documents accompany this letter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Beth Westman".

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