

**FCC Form 481 - Carrier Annual Reporting  
Data Collection Form**

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Form Type	54.313 and 54.422



(400) Number of Complaints per 1,000 customers  
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<400>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report voice complaints (zero or greater) for voice telephony service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize.	
<410>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed voice	
<420>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile voice	

**(500) Compliance With Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules  
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<515>	Certify compliance with applicable minimum service standards	

**(600) Functionality in Emergency Situations  
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<600>	Certify compliance regarding ability to function in emergency situations	Yes
<610>	Descriptive document for Functionality in Emergency Situations	525161wa610.pdf



**(900) Tribal Lands Reporting  
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<900> Does the filing entity offer tribal land services? (Y/N) Yes

See Line 920

<910> Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

<920> Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

525161WA920.pdf

Name of Attached Document

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached PDF, on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(5) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select Yes or No or Not Applicable
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes

**(1000) Voice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability  
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<1000> Voice services rate comparability certification Yes

<1010> Attach detailed description for voice services rate comparability compliance 525161wa1010.pdf

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Name of Attached Document

<1020> Broadband comparability certification Yes - Pricing is no more than the most recent applicable benchmark announced by the Wireline Competition Bureau

<1030> Attach detailed description for broadband comparability compliance 525161wa1030.pdf

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Name of Attached Document



<b>(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting Data Collection Form</b>	<b>FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2018</b>
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<1100> Certify whether terrestrial backhaul options exist (Y/N)

<1130> Please select the appropriate response (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g).

<1140> Alaska Plan rate-of-return certification (yes, no, or not applicable) of compliance with approved performance plan.

<b>(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers</b> <b>Lifeline</b> <b>Data Collection Form</b>	<b>FCC Form 481</b> <b>OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819</b> <b>July 2018</b>
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<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans	525161wa1210.pdf  Name of Attached Document
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<1220> Link to Public Website	HTTP <a href="http://www.centurylink.com/tariffs/wa_qc_ens_t_no_49.pdf">www.centurylink.com/tariffs/wa_qc_ens_t_no_49.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.centurylink.com/tariffs/wa_qc_ens_c_no_2.pdf">www.centurylink.com/tariffs/wa_qc_ens_c_no_2.pdf</a>
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“Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must annually report:

- <1221> Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers,
- <1222> Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan,
- <1223> Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan.

<b>(2005) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation</b> <b>Data Collection Form</b> <i>Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers</i>	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2018
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Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR 54.313(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

<2015> 2016 and future Frozen Support Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4) Not Applicable

**Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}**

<2016> Certification support used to build broadband Not Applicable

**Connect America Phase II Reporting {47 CFR § 54.313(e)}**

<2017A> Connect America Fund Phase II recipient? Yes

<2017C> Total amount of Phase II support, if any, the price cap carrier used for capital expenditures in 2017. 10025667

<2018> Attach the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the carrier newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year - 54.313(e)(1)(ii)(A) Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information 525161WA2018.xlsm

<2019> Recipient certifies that it bid on category one telecommunications and Internet access services in response to all FCC Form 470 postings seeking broadband service that meets the connectivity targets for the schools and libraries universal service support program for eligible schools and libraries located within any area in a census block where the carrier is receiving Phase II model-based support, and that such bids were at rates reasonably comparable to rates charged to eligible schools and libraries in urban areas for comparable offerings - 54.313(e)(1)(ii)(C)

**(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation**  
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CAF BLS Reporting

- (3008A) Please indicate whether new locations were deployed during the prior calendar year. (Yes/No)
- (3008B) Please enter the number of new locations deployed in the prior calendar year associated with each of the following speed tiers.
- (3008B1) Number of newly built locations with access to broadband speeds of at least 10/1 Mbps but less than 25/3 Mbps.
- (3008B2) Number of newly built locations with access to broadband speeds of 25/3 Mbps or higher.
- (3008C) Please provide the percentage of deployment across the entire study area.

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Select from the drop down menu or check the boxes below to note compliance with 54.313(f)(1). Privately held carriers must ensure compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

(3009) Progress Report on 5 Year Plan  
Carrier certifies to 54.313(f)(1)(iii)

(3010A) Certification of Public Interest Obligations {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i)}

(3010B) Please Provide Attachment Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3012A) Community Anchor Institutions {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)}

(3012B) Please Provide Attachment Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3013) Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)} (Yes/No)

(3014) If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report (Yes/No)

Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:

(3015) Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers)

(3016) Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3017) If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3018) If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited? (Yes/No)

If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3019) Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers

(3020) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3021) Management letter and/or audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit.

If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3022) Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers

(3023) Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant

(3024) Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.

(3025) Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3026) Attach the worksheet listing required information Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

<b>(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)</b> Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2018
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**Financial Data Summary**

(3027) Revenue	
(3028) Operating Expenses	
(3029) Net Income	
(3030) Telephone Plant In Service(TPIS)	
(3031) Total Assets	
(3032) Total Debt	
(3033) Total Equity	
(3034) Dividends	

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**4005 Rural Broadband Experiment**

Authorized Rural Broadband Experiment (RBE) recipients must address the certification for public interest obligations and provide a list of newly served community anchor institutions.

**Public Interest Obligations – FCC 14-98 (paragraphs 26-29, 78)**

Please address Line 4001 regarding compliance with the Commission's public interest obligations. All RBE participants must provide a response to Line 4001.

**4001.** Recipient certifies that it is offering broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations consistent with the category for which they were selected, including broadband speed, latency, usage capacity, and rates that are reasonably comparable to rates for comparable offerings in urban areas.

**Community Anchor Institutions – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 79)**

**4003a.** RBE participants must provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which they newly deployed broadband service in the preceding calendar year. On this line, please respond (yes – attach new community anchors, no – no new anchors) to indicate whether this list will be provided.

**If yes to 4003A, please provide a response for 4003B.**

**4003b.** Provide the number, names and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the recipient newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information





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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:**

<b>Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients</b>	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	QWEST CORP-WA
Signature of Authorized Officer:	CERTIFIED ONLINE <span style="float: right;">Date 07/06/2018</span>
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	Jerry Allen
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	VP of Revenues
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	3183889081 ext.
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	525161 <span style="float: right;">Filing Due Date for this form: 07/16/2018</span>
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

<b>Certification - Agent / Carrier Data Collection Form</b>	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2018
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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:**

<b>Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier</b>	
I certify that (Name of Agent) _____ is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the reports and data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.	
Name of Authorized Agent:	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
Signature of Authorized Officer:	Date:
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	
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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:**

<b>Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier</b>	
I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service support recipients on behalf of the reporting carrier; I have provided the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported herein is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
Name of Authorized Agent Firm:	
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Date:
Name of Authorized Agent Employee:	
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	
Telephone number of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	
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## Attachments

AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING COMPLIANCE  
WITH 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(1), §54.313(a)(2), and §54.313(a)(3)

Section (600) – Emergency Functionality Certification  
Section (1000) – Voice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability Certifications; and  
Accuracy of Annual Reporting of CAF Recipients Certification

For the CenturyLink ETCs as listed in Appendix A, I, Jerry M. Allen, being of lawful age and duly sworn, on my oath and under penalty of perjury, state that I am the Vice President of Customer Financial Services for CenturyLink, Inc. (“Company”) and that I am authorized to execute this affidavit on behalf of the Company.

The Company hereby certifies pursuant to the requirements under 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(1), §54.313(a)(2), and §54.313(a)(3) that:

- 1) CenturyLink is substantially able to remain functional in emergency situations as set forth in §54.202(a)(2),
- 2) The pricing of voice services provided by CenturyLink ETCs listed in Appendix A is no more than two standard deviations above the national average urban rate for voice service,
- 3) The pricing of broadband services provided by CenturyLink ETCs listed in Appendix A, that meet the Commission’s broadband public interest obligation is no more than the most recent applicable benchmark rates announced by the Wireline Competition Bureau, and
- 4) To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information reported on this form including attachments is accurate.

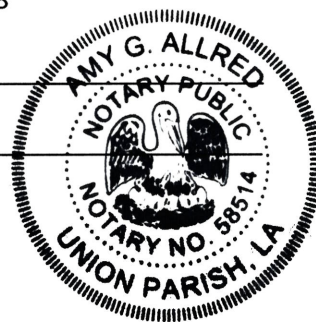
FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Jerry M. Allen  
Jerry M. Allen  
VP – Customer Financial Services  
CenturyLink  
100 CenturyLink Drive  
Monroe, Louisiana 71203

DATED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2018

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2018

Notary Public: Amy G. Allred  
My Commission Expires: upon death



## Appendix A

### Listing of CenturyLink Eligible Telecommunications Carriers

COMPANY NAME	DBA NAME	Study Area Code	State(s) of Operation
CenturyTel of Alabama, LLC (Northern)	CenturyLink	259789	AL
CenturyTel of Alabama, LLC (Southern)	CenturyLink	259788	AL
Gulf Telephone Company, LLC	CenturyLink	250298	AL
CenturyTel of Arkansas, Inc.	CenturyLink	401705	AR
CenturyTel of Central Arkansas, LLC	CenturyLink	401144	AR
CenturyTel of Mountain Home, Inc.	CenturyLink	401711	AR
CenturyTel of Redfield, Inc.	CenturyLink	401720	AR
CenturyTel of South Arkansas, Inc.	CenturyLink	401727	AR, LA
CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, LLC (Russellville)	CenturyLink	401142	AR, MO, OK
CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, LLC (Siloam Springs)	CenturyLink	401143	AR, OK
Qwest Corporation (Arizona)	CenturyLink QC	455101	AZ
CenturyTel of Colorado, Inc.	CenturyLink	462208	CO
Qwest Corporation (Colorado)	CenturyLink QC	465102	CO
The El Paso County Telephone Company	None	462187	CO
CenturyTel of Eagle, Inc.	CenturyLink	462185	CO, UT
Embarq Florida, Inc.	CenturyLink	210341	FL
Coastal Utilities, Inc.	CenturyLink	220356	GA
Qwest Corporation (Iowa)	CenturyLink QC	355141	IA
CenturyTel of Postville, Inc.	CenturyLink	351274	IA
CenturyTel of Chester, Inc.	CenturyLink	351126	IA, MN
CenturyTel of Idaho, Inc.	CenturyLink	472225	ID
CenturyTel of the Gem State, Inc. (Idaho)	CenturyLink	472223	ID
Qwest Corporation (Northern Idaho)	CenturyLink QC	475162	ID
Qwest Corporation (Southern Idaho)	CenturyLink QC	475103	ID
Gallatin River Communications L.L.C.	CenturyLink GRC	341057	IL
CenturyTel of Central Indiana, Inc.	CenturyLink	320747	IN
CenturyTel of Odon, Inc.	CenturyLink	320801	IN
United Telephone Company of Indiana, Inc.	CenturyLink	320832	IN, OH
United Telephone Company of Eastern Kansas	CenturyLink	411317	KS

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United Telephone Company of Kansas	None	411842	KS
United Telephone Company of Southcentral Kansas	CenturyLink	411317	KS
Embarq Missouri, Inc. (Kansas)	CenturyLink	411957	KS
CenturyLink of Louisiana, LLC	CenturyLink	270434	LA, AR, TX
CenturyTel Midwest - Michigan, Inc.	CenturyLink	310671	MI
CenturyTel of Michigan, Inc.	CenturyLink	310702	MI
CenturyTel of Northern Michigan, Inc.	CenturyLink	310705	MI
CenturyTel of Upper Michigan, Inc.	CenturyLink	310689	MI
CenturyTel of Minnesota, Inc.	CenturyLink	361445	MN
Embarq Minnesota, Inc.	CenturyLink	361456	MN
Qwest Corporation (Minnesota)	CenturyLink QC	365142	MN
CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Belle-Herman)	CenturyLink	429785	MO
CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Central)	CenturyLink	429784	MO
CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Southern)	CenturyLink	429786	MO
CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Southwest)	CenturyLink	429787	MO
Spectra Communications Group, LLC	CenturyLink	421151	MO
Embarq Missouri, Inc. (Missouri)	CenturyLink	421957	MO, IA
CenturyTel of North Mississippi, Inc.	None	280458	MS
CenturyTel of Montana, Inc.	CenturyLink	482249	MT
Qwest Corporation (Montana)	CenturyLink QC	485104	MT
Central Telephone Company (North Carolina)	CenturyLink	230471	NC
Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Company, LLC	CenturyLink	230470	NC
Mehtel, Inc.	CenturyLink	230485	NC
Qwest Corporation (North Dakota)	CenturyLink QC	385144	ND
Qwest Corporation (Nebraska)	CenturyLink QC	375143	NE
United Telephone Company of the West (Nebraska)	CenturyLink	371595	NE
United Telephone Company of New Jersey, Inc.	CenturyLink	160138	NJ
CenturyTel of the Southwest, Inc.	CenturyLink	492274	NM
Qwest Corporation (New Mexico)	CenturyLink QC	495105	NM
Central Telephone Company (Nevada)	CenturyLink	552348	NV
CenturyTel of the Gem State, Inc. (Nevada)	CenturyLink	552223	NV
CenturyTel of Ohio, Inc.	CenturyLink	300630	OH
United Telephone Company of Ohio	CenturyLink	300661	OH

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CenturyTel of Oregon, Inc.	CenturyLink	532361	OR
Qwest Corporation (Oregon)	CenturyLink QC	535163	OR
United Telephone Company of the Northwest (Oregon)	CenturyLink	532400	OR
CenturyTel of Eastern Oregon, Inc.	CenturyLink	532361	OR, CA
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CenturyTel of Larsen-Readfield, LLC	CenturyLink	330898	WI
CenturyTel of Monroe County, LLC	CenturyLink	330913	WI
CenturyTel of Northern Wisconsin, LLC	CenturyLink	330956	WI
CenturyTel of Southern Wisconsin, LLC	CenturyLink	330931	WI
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Kendall, LLC	CenturyLink	330924	WI

<b>COMPANY NAME</b>	<b>DBA NAME</b>	<b>Study Area Code</b>	<b>State(s) of Operation</b>
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Wisconsin, LLC (Casco)	CenturyLink	330857	WI
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Wisconsin, LLC (Cencom)	CenturyLink	330841	WI
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Wisconsin, LLC (Northwest)	CenturyLink	330922	WI
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Wisconsin, LLC (Platteville)	CenturyLink	330934	WI
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Wisconsin, LLC (Thorp)	CenturyLink	330959	WI
CenturyTel of the Midwest-Wisconsin, LLC (Wayside)	CenturyLink	330970	WI
CenturyTel of Wisconsin, LLC	CenturyLink	330895	WI
Telephone USA of Wisconsin, LLC	CenturyLink	331155	WI
CenturyTel of Northwest Wisconsin, LLC	CenturyLink	330950	WI, MN
CenturyTel of Wyoming, Inc.	CenturyLink	512299	WY
Qwest Corporation (Wyoming)	CenturyLink QC	515108	WY
United Telephone Company of the West (Wyoming)	CenturyLink of the West	511595	WY



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	CenturyTel Midwest - Michigan, Inc.	310671	CenturyLink
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	CenturyTel of Arkansas, Inc.	401705	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Central Arkansas, LLC	401144	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Central Indiana, Inc.	320747	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Central Wisconsin, LLC	331159	CenturyLink
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	CenturyTel of Claiborne, Inc.	290557	CenturyLink Claiborne
	CenturyTel of Colorado, Inc.	462208	CenturyLink
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	CenturyTel of Michigan, Inc.	310702	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Minnesota, Inc.	361445	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Belle-Herman)	429785	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Central)	429784	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Southern)	429786	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (Southwest)	429787	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Monroe County, LLC	330913	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Montana, Inc.	482249	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of Mountain Home, Inc.	401711	CenturyLink
	CenturyTel of North Mississippi, Inc.	280458	None
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	CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, LLC (Siloam Springs)	401143	CenturyLink
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	Gallatin River Communications L.L.C.	341057	CenturyLink GRC
	Global Crossing Americas Solutions, LLC		None
	Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc.		None
	Gulf Telephone Company, LLC	250298	CenturyLink
	Hillsboro Telephone Company, Inc.	330892	Unknown
	IP Networks, Inc.		None
	Level 3 Communications, LLC		Level 3 Communications
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	Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC		Level 3 Communications
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	Qwest Corporation (Wyoming)	515108	CenturyLink QC
	Spectra Communications Group, LLC	421151	CenturyLink
	TelCove of Pennsylvania, LLC		None
	TelCove Operations, LLC		None
	Telephone USA of Wisconsin, LLC	331155	CenturyLink
	The El Paso County Telephone Company, Inc.	462187	CenturyLink



**Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (Washington)**

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<b>Tribal Entities</b>
Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation
Cowlitz Indian Tribe
Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe
Lower Elwha Tribal Community
Lummi Tribe of the Lummi Reservation
Muckleshoot Indian Tribe
Nisqually Indian Tribe
Skokomish Indian Tribe
Squaxin Island Tribe of the Squaxin Island Reservation



**Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (Washington)**

**Study Area - 525161**

**Targeted Engagement Efforts**

As part of its efforts to strengthen positive relationships with the Tribal Nations within its serving territory while fulfilling obligations set forth in Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 11-161, Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (Washington) (“CenturyLink”) extended invitations to the above listed tribal entities to meet and address issues of importance related to the provisioning of services on tribal lands. The purpose of these meetings was to discuss planning and potential deployment of service as well as other areas of interest specific to conducting business on tribal lands (as set forth in 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(9)) which at a minimum, would include:

- (i) A needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions;
- (ii) Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- (iii) Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- (iv) Rights of way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review processes; and
- (v) Compliance with Tribal business and licensing requirements. Tribal business and licensing requirements include business practice licenses that Tribal and non-Tribal business entities, whether located on or off Tribal lands, must obtain upon application to the relevant Tribal government office or division to conduct any business or trade, or deliver any goods or services to the Tribes, Tribal members, or Tribal lands. These include certificates of public convenience and necessity, Tribal business licenses, master licenses, and other related forms of Tribal government licensure.

**Correspondence Resulting from Targeted Engagement Efforts**

CenturyLink did not receive a response to the outreach letters.

## **EXHIBITS – Letters Extending Invitation to Meet**

1. Exhibit WA QC-1 – First outreach letter to the Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation
2. Exhibit WA QC-2 – First outreach e-mail to the Cowlitz Indian Tribe, sent May, 2018
3. Exhibit WA QC-3 - First outreach letter to the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe
4. Exhibit WA QC-4 – First outreach letter to the Lower Elwha Tribal Community
5. Exhibit WA QC-5 – First outreach letter to the Lummi Tribe of the Lummi Reservation
6. Exhibit WA QC-6 – First outreach letter to the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe
7. Exhibit WA QC-7 – First outreach letter to the Nisqually Indian Tribe
8. Exhibit WA QC-8 – First outreach letter to the Skokomish Indian Tribe
9. Exhibit WA QC-9 – First outreach letter to the Squaxin Island Tribe of the Squaxin Island Reservation
10. Exhibit WA QC-10 -Second outreach via email to the Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation, the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe, the Lower Elwha Tribal Community, the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe, the Nisqually Indian Tribe, the Skokomish Indian Tribe and the Squaxin Island Tribe of the Squaxin Island Reservation

# Exhibit WA QC-1



June 9, 2017

Don Secena, Chairman  
Confederated Tribes of Chehalis Reservation  
420 Howanut Road  
Oakville, WA 98568

Dear Chairman Secena:

CenturyLink is proud to serve the Confederated Tribes of Chehalis Reservation and understands the critical role communications services have for CenturyLink's customers living on Tribal lands.

I would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics. Effective December 2, 2016, the Federal Communications Commission introduced changes to the Lifeline program, including identifying certain broadband services as eligible for Lifeline discounts and making changes to the recertification process<sup>1</sup>. CenturyLink is proud to participate in the Lifeline program and looks forward to improving access to communications services for customers living on Tribal lands. Please let me know if you are interested in receiving information and resources about CenturyLink's Lifeline program. CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact me at 360.249.0552 or [ross.skinner@centurylink.com](mailto:ross.skinner@centurylink.com) with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ross M. Skinner", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Ross M. Skinner  
Manager, Region Operations

Enclosure

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization; Telecommunications Carrier Eligible for Universal Service Support; Connect America Fund, WC Docket Nos. 11-42, 09-197, 10-90, Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration, Adopted March 31, 2006, Released April 27, 2016.*

**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

<b>CenturyLink Representative's Contact Information</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	Ross Skinner
<b>Title:</b>	Manager Area Operations
<b>Phone Number:</b>	360.249.0550
<b>Address:</b>	126 S 1 <sup>st</sup> St.; Montesano, WA 98563
<b>Email:</b>	<a href="mailto:ross.skinner@centurylink.com">ross.skinner@centurylink.com</a>

<b>Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Confederated Tribes of Chehalis Reservation</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Title:</b>	
<b>Phone Number:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	

<b>Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (If needed)</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Title:</b>	
<b>Phone Number:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	

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<b>Email:</b>	

<b>Proposed Dates for Face-to-Face Meeting(s)</b>	
When:	
Where:	
Alternative Dates:	

<b>Tentative Agenda/Topics for Discussion for Proposed Meeting</b>

<b>Please Return This Completed Form To:</b>
<p style="text-align: center;">Karen Easter CenturyLink 126 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St Montesano, WA 98563 Fax: 360.249.0555 <a href="mailto:karen.easter@centurylink.com">karen.easter@centurylink.com</a></p>

# Exhibit WA QC-2

## Huff, Loretta

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**From:** Tribal Outreach  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 24, 2018 9:27 AM  
**To:** wiyall@cowlitz.org  
**Subject:** Interest in meeting regarding CenturyLink services?

Dear Chairman Iyall,

CenturyLink is proud to serve the Cowlitz Indian Tribe and understands the critical role communications services have for CenturyLink's customers living on Tribal lands.

CenturyLink would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience to discuss any of these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements.

Also, the Federal Communications Commission has introduced changes to the Lifeline program, including making certain broadband services eligible for Lifeline discounts and making changes to the application and recertification processes<sup>[1]</sup>. CenturyLink is proud to participate in the Lifeline program and looks forward to improving access to communications services for customers living on Tribal lands. Please let me know if you are interested in receiving information and resources about CenturyLink's Lifeline program.

CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please replay with any questions you may have or to request a meeting to discuss any of the above topics.

Sincerely,

CenturyLink

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<sup>[1]</sup> *In the Matter of Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization; Telecommunications Carrier Eligible for Universal Service Support; Connect America Fund, WC Docket Nos. 11-42, 09-197, 10-90, Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration, Adopted March 31, 2006, Released April 27, 2016.*



# Exhibit WA QC-3



June 1, 2017

Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe  
Chairman Ron Allen  
1033 Old Blyn Hwy  
Sequim, WA 98382

Dear Chairman Allen,

CenturyLink values its relationship with the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe and appreciates the opportunity to provide services that meet the needs of CenturyLink's customers located on Tribal lands. CenturyLink is striving to maintain a positive relationship with members of the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe through ongoing communications and meetings.

I would also like to once again extend an invitation to meet at your convenience in order to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics or CenturyLink's Lifeline program.

CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact Tina Seymour at (253) 851-1310 or [Tina.Seymour@centurylink.com](mailto:Tina.Seymour@centurylink.com) with any questions you may have regarding this letter or to arrange a face-to-face meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael Cini".

Michael Cini  
Area Operations Manager

Enclosure



**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

<b>CenturyLink Representative's Contact Information</b>	
Name:	Michael Cini
Title:	Manager Area Operations
Phone Number:	360-697-5282
Address:	1545 NW Sherman, Poulsbo, WA 98370
Email:	<a href="mailto:michael.cini@centurylink.com">michael.cini@centurylink.com</a>

<b>Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Jamestown S’Klallam Tribe</b>	
Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
Email:	

<b>Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (If needed)</b>	
Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
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Name:	
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Phone Number:	
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<b>Please Return This Completed Form To:</b>
<p style="text-align: center;">Tina Seymour CenturyLink 8102 Skansie Ave Gig Harbor, WA 98332 Fax: 253-851-1358 <a href="mailto:tina.seymour@centurylink.com">tina.seymour@centurylink.com</a></p>

# Exhibit WA QC-4



June 1, 2017

Lower Elwha Tribal Community  
Chairman Frances G. Charles  
2851 Lower Elwha Road  
Port Angeles, WA 89363

Dear Chairman Charles,

CenturyLink values its relationship with the Lower Elwha Tribal Community and appreciates the opportunity to provide services that meet the needs of CenturyLink's customers located on Tribal lands. CenturyLink is striving to maintain a positive relationship with members of the Lower Elwha Tribal Community through ongoing communications and meetings.

I would also like to once again extend an invitation to meet at your convenience in order to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics or CenturyLink's Lifeline program.

CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact Tina Seymour at (253) 851-1310 or [Tina.Seymour@centurylink.com](mailto:Tina.Seymour@centurylink.com) with any questions you may have regarding this letter or to arrange a face-to-face meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael Cini".

Michael Cini  
Area Operations Manager

Enclosure



**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

CenturyLink Representative's Contact Information	
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Title:	Manager Area Operations
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Email:	<a href="mailto:michael.cini@centurylink.com">michael.cini@centurylink.com</a>

Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe	
Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
Email:	

Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (If needed)	
Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
Email:	

Name:	
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# Exhibit WA QC-5



**CenturyLink**  
4755 1<sup>st</sup> Ave S  
Seattle, WA 98134  
Telephone: (206) 345-1045  
Ike.Salter@Centurylink.com

**Ike Salter**  
Manager, Region Operations

May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Mr. Tim Ballew, Chairman  
Lummi Nation  
2616 Kwina Rd.  
Bellingham, Washington 98226-9291

Dear Chairman Ballew,

CenturyLink values its relationship with the Lummi Nation and understands the critical role communications services play in eliminating the digital divide and improving the economic, health and educational opportunities for CenturyLink's customers living on Tribal lands.

In 2011, the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") modernized the communications landscape by implementing steps to ensure that robust, affordable voice and broadband service are available to Americans throughout the nation including those residing on Tribal lands.<sup>1</sup> In furthering CenturyLink's goal of building a cooperative relationship with the Lummi Nation, and the FCC's goal of comprehensive engagement with Tribal governments regarding communications services, I would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience in order to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements.

In order to facilitate this meeting I am enclosing a reply form, checklist and self-addressed envelope. These documents will assist me in preparing for a face-to-face meeting with the Lummi Nation. Please mail the reply form and checklist in the enclosed

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of Connect America Fund; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers; High-Cost Universal Service Support; Developing an Unified Inter-carrier Compensation Regime; Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service; Lifeline and Link-Up; Universal Service Reform - Mobility Fund*, WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 07-135, 05-337, 03-109, CC Docket Nos. 01-92, 96-45, GN Docket No. 09-51, WT Docket No. 10-208, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 11-161, 26 FCC Rcd 17663 (rel. Nov. 18, 2011) (*USF/ICC Transformation Order*).

self-addressed envelope or email both documents to me at the email address provided below.

In conclusion, CenturyLink is committed to improving lives, strengthening businesses and connecting communities by delivering advanced technologies and solutions with honest and personal service. Please feel free to contact me at (206) 345-1045 or Ike.Salter@centurylink.com with any questions you may have regarding this letter or to arrange a face-to-face meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ike Salter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending from the end of the name.

Ike Salter  
Manager, Region Operations  
CenturyLink

Enclosures (2)



**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

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Address:	4755 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave S, Seattle, WA 98134
Email:	Ike.Salter@centurylink.com

<b>Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Lummi Nation</b>	
Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
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<b>Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (If needed)</b>	
Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
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<b>Please Return This Completed Form To:</b>
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## Tribal Outreach Checklist

### Tribal Contact Information

Tribe/Pueblo Name:	Lummi Nation
Contact Name:	Tim Ballew
Contact Position:	Chairman
Contact Phone No.:	360.384.1489
Date Initial Contact:	

### Response to Outreach Requests

Date of Response:	
If no response, date of Follow-up:	
Outcome of Follow-up if any:	

### Meeting Attendance

Date:	
List of those in attendance:	

### Needs Assessment for Tribal Community Anchor Institutions

Services currently offered	
Deployment plans on Tribal land	
Timeline for provision of services on Tribal lands	
Opportunities to partner with Tribal Authorities	

<b>Feasibility and Sustainability Planning</b>	
Coordinate logistics of providing communications services on Tribal lands	
Address economics, remoteness, and deployment priorities	

<b>Marketing Solutions</b>	
Coordination ensuring services are marketed in manner relating directly to community stimulating adoption of services on Tribal lands	
Developing materials, separately or jointly, specific to the Tribal community.	
Identify issues of importance to Tribal government and CenturyLink	
Determine departments that need to be engaged (customer service, technical assistance, commercial business)	
Other marketing service discussion	

<b>Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing Requirements</b>	
Tribal and business licensing requirements	
Rights-or-Way Issues	
Land use Permitting	
Facilities Siting	
Environmental Reviews	
Cultural Preservations Reviews	

<b>Follow up Items</b>



# Exhibit WA QC-6



May 8, 2017

Muckleshoot Indian Tribe  
Chairwoman Virginia Cross  
39015 172<sup>nd</sup> Ave SW  
Auburn, WA 98092

Dear Chairwoman Cross,

CenturyLink values its relationship with the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe and appreciates the opportunity to provide services that meet the needs of CenturyLink's customers located on Tribal lands. CenturyLink is striving to maintain a positive relationship with members of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe through ongoing communications and meetings.

I would also like to once again extend an invitation to meet at your convenience in order to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics or CenturyLink's Lifeline program.

CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact Connie Skartvedt at (206) 346-9803 or [Connie.Skartvedt@centurylink.com](mailto:Connie.Skartvedt@centurylink.com) with any questions you may have regarding this letter or to arrange a face-to-face meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sue Anderson".

Sue Anderson  
Vice President Operations

Enclosure



**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

**CenturyLink Representative's Contact Information**

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Phone Number:	
Address:	
Email:	

**Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (if needed)**

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Title:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
Email:	

Name:	
Title:	
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Please Return This Completed Form To:
<p style="text-align: center;">CenturyLink Sue Anderson VP Operations (206) 345-3322 1600 7<sup>th</sup> Ave, Seattle, WA 98191 <a href="mailto:Sue.Anderson@centurylink.com">Sue.Anderson@centurylink.com</a></p>

# Exhibit WA QC-7



June 9, 2017

Farron McCloud, Chairman  
Nisqually Indian Tribe  
4820 She-Nah-Num Drive SE  
Olympia, WA 98513

Dear Chairman McCloud:

CenturyLink is proud to serve the Nisqually Indian Tribe and understands the critical role communications services have for CenturyLink's customers living on Tribal lands.

I would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics. Effective December 2, 2016, the Federal Communications Commission introduced changes to the Lifeline program, including identifying certain broadband services as eligible for Lifeline discounts and making changes to the recertification process<sup>1</sup>. CenturyLink is proud to participate in the Lifeline program and looks forward to improving access to communications services for customers living on Tribal lands. Please let me know if you are interested in receiving information and resources about CenturyLink's Lifeline program. CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact me at 360.249.0552 or [ross.skinner@centurylink.com](mailto:ross.skinner@centurylink.com) with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ross M. Skinner".

Ross M. Skinner  
Manager, Region Operations

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization; Telecommunications Carrier Eligible for Universal Service Support; Connect America Fund, WC Docket Nos. 11-42, 09-197, 10-90, Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration, Adopted March 31, 2006, Released April 27, 2016.*



**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

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<b>Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Nisqually Indian Tribe</b>	
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<p style="text-align: center;">Karen Easter CenturyLink 126 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St Montesano, WA 98563 Fax: 360.249.0555 <a href="mailto:karen.easter@centurylink.com">karen.easter@centurylink.com</a></p>



# Exhibit WA QC-8



June 9, 2017

Charles Miller, Chairman  
Skokomish Indian Tribe  
80 North Tribal Center Road  
Shelton, WA 98584

Dear Chairman Miller:

CenturyLink is proud to serve the Skokomish Indian Tribe and understands the critical role communications services have for CenturyLink's customers living on Tribal lands.

I would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics. Effective December 2, 2016, the Federal Communications Commission introduced changes to the Lifeline program, including identifying certain broadband services as eligible for Lifeline discounts and making changes to the recertification process<sup>1</sup>. CenturyLink is proud to participate in the Lifeline program and looks forward to improving access to communications services for customers living on Tribal lands. Please let me know if you are interested in receiving information and resources about CenturyLink's Lifeline program. CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact me at 360.249.0552 or ross.skinner@centurylink.com with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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Ross M. Skinner  
Manager, Region Operations

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**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

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Email:	<a href="mailto:ross.skinner@centurylink.com">ross.skinner@centurylink.com</a>

<b>Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Skokomish Indian Tribe</b>	
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# Exhibit WA QC-9



June 9, 2017

David Lopeman, Chairman  
Squaxin Island Tribe of the Squaxin Island Reservation  
10 SE Squaxin Lane  
Shelton, WA 98584

Dear Chairman Lopeman:

CenturyLink is proud to serve the Squaxin Island Tribe of the Squaxin Island Reservation and understands the critical role communications services have for CenturyLink's customers living on Tribal lands.

I would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience to discuss these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. Please return the enclosed reply form and self-addressed envelope to arrange a meeting to discuss any of the above topics. Effective December 2, 2016, the Federal Communications Commission introduced changes to the Lifeline program, including identifying certain broadband services as eligible for Lifeline discounts and making changes to the recertification process<sup>1</sup>. CenturyLink is proud to participate in the Lifeline program and looks forward to improving access to communications services for customers living on Tribal lands. Please let me know if you are interested in receiving information and resources about CenturyLink's Lifeline program. CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please feel free to contact me at 360.249.0552 or [ross.skinner@centurylink.com](mailto:ross.skinner@centurylink.com) with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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Ross M. Skinner  
Manager, Region Operations

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**Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting**

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<b>Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information – Squaxin Tribe</b>	
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<b>Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (If needed)</b>	
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# Exhibit WA QC-10

**Solano, Donna**

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**From:** Huff, Loretta  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 31, 2017 9:41 PM  
**To:** Tribal Outreach  
**Subject:** CenturyLink Outreach regarding Services

Good day,

CenturyLink reached out to you earlier in 2017. As we look forward into 2018, we wish to reiterate our interest in working with you.

We would like to extend an invitation to meet at your convenience to discuss any of these topics: (1) deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions; (2) feasibility and sustainability planning; (3) marketing services on Tribal lands; (4) rights-of-way processes, land use permitting, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review process; and (5) Tribal business and licensing requirements. To request a meeting, please respond to this e-mail by completing the reply form shown below.

Also, CenturyLink would like to take this opportunity to remind you of recent changes to the Lifeline program that may be of benefit. In March 2016, the Federal Communications Commission announced a plan to include broadband services as part of the Lifeline program beginning December 1, 2016. CenturyLink is proud to participate in the Lifeline program. Please respond if you are interested in receiving information and resources regarding CenturyLink's Lifeline program.

CenturyLink looks forward to working with you to close the digital divide for customers living on Tribal lands. Please reply with any questions you may have regarding this e-mail or to request a face-to-face meeting.

Sincerely,  
CenturyLink

<b>Reply to CenturyLink's Request for Meeting</b>
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Primary Tribal Representative's Contact Information	
Tribe Name:	
Contact Name:	
Title:	
Phone Number:	
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Additional Tribal Representative's Contact Information (If needed)	
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**Please Return This Completed Form To:**

**Tribal\_Outreach@centurylink.com**

<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans

CenturyLink, Inc. has over 100 local exchange carriers (LECs) that serve as eligible telecommunications carriers (ETCs) providing Lifeline discounts on local telephone service for qualifying low-income customers in thirty-seven states. Each LEC's tariff or local terms of service contain the terms and conditions of voice telephony service plans generally available to CenturyLink residential customers. Lifeline provides discounts on CenturyLink residential service plans that include voice telephony service. Lifeline discounts provided to qualified recipients include the \$9.25 per month federal discount plus state discounts, if available. Tribal Lifeline recipients receive an additional federal Lifeline discount of up to \$25 per month. Eligible residents residing on Tribal lands in areas where CenturyLink receives universal service high-cost support can also receive a Tribal Link Up credit of not more than \$100 against one customary service initiation fee at a primary residence.

CenturyLink's flat-rated residential voice service plans provide unlimited local calling. Lifeline discounts also may be applied to local residential service plans that include a certain amount of local minutes or calls at a flat-rate and then have additional charges for minutes or calls beyond those included in the plan. Lifeline discounts may be applied to bundled service packages that include voice telephony services, such as bundles with internet service and/or video service. Lifeline discounts may also apply to voice service plans that include optional calling features such as caller ID, call waiting, and voicemail.

Toll service is available to customers receiving Lifeline discounts in the same manner that it is available to non-Lifeline customers. Toll limitation service is available to Lifeline customers at no charge.

Information concerning CenturyLink's Lifeline program can be found on our Lifeline web page at <http://www.centurylink.com/Pages/Support/LifeLine/>

A link to the CenturyLink tariff or local terms of service that includes the terms and conditions of this ETC's Lifeline offering is included in response to line 1220.

**Template for Reporting Community Anchor Institutions (Lines 2018, 3012B, and 4003B)**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Street Address</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Zip</b>
1	CITY OF VANCOUVER FIRE DEPARTMENT STATION 88	6701 NORTHEAST 147TH AVENUE	WA	98682
2	Coulee Community Hospital	411 FORTUYN ROAD	WA	99133
3	LAKE QUINAULT HIGH SCHOOL	6130 US HWY 101	WA	98526
4	Quinault Lake Elementary	6130 US HIGHWAY 101	WA	98526
5	Quinault Lake Jr/Sr High School	6130 US Hwy 101	WA	98526
6	Quinault School District	6130 US Hwy 101	WA	98526
7	KENT FIRE DEPARTMENT STATION 76	20676 72ND AVENUE SOUTH	WA	98032
8	LEWIS COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT 13 STATION 1 - HEADQUARTERS	997 BOISTFORT ROAD	WA	98532
9	LINCOLN FIRE STATION	38805 REDWINE CANYON ROAD NORTH	WA	99147
10	PIERCE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 26 GREENWATER FIRE STATION 1	59705 STATE HIGHWAY 410 EAST	WA	98022
11	Anderson Island Elementary	13005 Camus Road	WA	98303
12	PIERCE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT 27	10011 LAKE JOSEPHINE BOULEVARD	WA	98303
13	Columbia Crest Elementary	24503 State Route 706 E	WA	98304
14	Mill A School District	1142 Jessup Road	WA	98605
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NOTES:

1. (210), (220), (400) – (420), (515) These questions are not applicable per FCC 17-87 released July 7, 2017.
2. (610) Section 54.313(a) (1) requires ETCs to make certifications as to their ability to remain functional in emergency situations as set forth in section 54.202(a) (2). The certification is attached.
3. (810) – (813) Per FCC DA 13-1707 released August 6, 2013, CenturyLink is reporting holding company, operating companies, and affiliates (as defined under section 3 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 153(2)) that are designated as eligible telecommunications carriers and/or that provide retail broadband internet access to end-user customers.
4. (810) – (813) and (1210) – (1223) CenturyLink is a designated eligible telecommunications carrier that receives Universal Service Support for High Cost Areas under 47 C.F.R. 54 subpart D. Therefore, CenturyLink is only subject to subpart (a) of 47 C.F.R. §54.422 as it applies to this filing.
5. (900) – (929) To the extent the carrier serves federally recognized tribal lands, the attached narrative, in response to line 920, should be relied on to describe tribal outreach and interaction. If in 2017, the carrier offered to discuss the points listed in 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a) (5) to at least a majority of federally recognized tribes served in a study area, lines 921-929 were marked with a “yes” response.
6. (1000) – (1010) Carriers must certify that their local rates are at or below two standard deviations of the applicable national average urban rate for voice service, as specified in the most recent public notice issued by the Wireline Competition Bureau and Wireless Telecommunications Bureau. Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink (Wyoming) and United Telephone Company of the West d/b/a CenturyLink (Wyoming) have certain exchanges with explicit cost based local rates above this standard. Customers in such exchanges receive a Federal Universal Service credit and/or a State Universal Service credit explicitly on their bill. This results in a net charge that is lower than two standard deviations of the applicable national average urban rate for voice service.
7. (1010) 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a) (2) requires a certification that the pricing of the company's voice services is no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rate for voice service, as specified in the most recent public notice issued by the Wireline Competition Bureau and Wireless Telecommunications Bureau. The certification is attached.
8. (1030) 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a) (3) requires a certification that the pricing of a service that meets the Commission's broadband public interest obligations is no more than the applicable benchmark to be announced annually in a public notice issued by the Wireline Competition Bureau, or is no more than the non-promotional price charged for a comparable fixed wireline service in urban areas in the states or U.S. Territories where the eligible telecommunications carrier receives support. The certification is attached.
9. (1130) This question is not applicable. This company has existing terrestrial backhaul options.
10. (1220) Due to character size limitations in the form, some links were truncated. To read complete terms and conditions, please visit the following website: <http://www.centurylink.com/aboutus/legal/tariff-library.html?search=tariffs>.

11. (2015) and (2016) Per FCC DA 13-2101 released October 30, 2013, CenturyLink is certifying at a holding company level.
12. (2015), (2017) – (2018) Connect America Fund Phase 2 program (including phase-down support) acceptance and commitments are at a state-wide level. State level reporting is recorded on one study-area per state.
13. (2017c) Reported capital expenditures represent investments in specific Connect America Fund Phase 2 (“CAF II”) projects. There may be additional investments in facilities which would benefit CAF II areas that are not reflected in this response.
14. (2018) CenturyLink has provided Connect America Fund Phase 2 community anchor institutions that were enabled and listed as anchor institutions on the National Broadband Map.
15. (3008) – (3034) These questions are not applicable. This company is considered to be a Federal Price Cap Carrier or an affiliate associated with a Federal Price Cap Carrier for the purposes of this filing.
16. (4001) – (4003) These questions are not applicable. This company is not a Rural Broadband Experiment participant.
17. (5010) – (5013) These questions are not applicable. This company is not an Alaska Plan participant.
18. Effective January 1, 2017, eight Louisiana ILECs have merged into CenturyTel of Evangeline, LLC with study area code 270434. Following the merger, CenturyTel of Evangeline, LLC changed its name to CenturyLink of Louisiana, LLC. For Form 481 reports due in July 2018 the merged companies are reported as one legal entity.