

August 1, 2016

Mr. Steven King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia WA 98504-7250

RE: Petition of Ycom Networks, Inc. d/b/a Fairpoint Communications, to Receive Support From the State Universal Communications Services Program

Dear Mr. King:

Pursuant to Chapter 480-123 of the Washington Administrative Code ("WAC") including, but not limited to, WAC 480-123-110, YCOM Networks, Inc. d/b/a FairPoint Communications hereby petitions the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission to receive support from the State Universal Communications Services Program established in RCW 80.36.650 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. Included in this filing are the following exhibits:

- Exhibit 1 – Corporate Organization Chart
- Exhibit 2 – Affiliated Transactions
- Exhibit 3 – Demonstration of Risk
- Exhibit 4 – Financial Statement
- Exhibit 5 – Audited Financial Statements
- Exhibit 6 – RUS Form 479
- Exhibit 7 – Corporate Operations Certificate
- Exhibit 8 – Financial Accounting Certificate
- Exhibit 9 – Continued Operations Certificate

Per WAC 480-07-160, Exhibit 4 has been marked as Confidential and YCOM Networks, Inc. d/b/a FairPoint Communications would appreciate such treatment of this information.

Please contact Beth Westman at 207.535.4249 or bwestman@fairpoint.com with any questions or concerns regarding this filing.

Sincerely,



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