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Sent: Monday, June 15, 2009 11:07 AM  
To: 'Todd Lesser'; Donahue, Nancy  
Cc: 'Hazzard, Michael'  
Subject: RE: North County (Arizona, Oregon and Washington) Arbitration Window Extension

Todd and Michael:

I wanted to touch base with you on our trying to complete the negotiations for the Interconnection Agreements. It has been a significant amount of time now since we sent our language proposal that resolved all of the deal points we had general agreement to in our negotiations. Unfortunately, we have not received North County's edits, and although Michael did say that North County was reviewing opt-in choices, I did relate that any other existing agreement would have the SS7 requirement language already in, thus making that rather difficult. We need to move this to completion and while Qwest does not want to arbitrate an agreement needlessly, I am becoming concerned that this may be the only option to move forward. I know that this is not your choice of how we move forward, so we need a precise timeline of how we will complete this within the next two days, so that Qwest can evaluate whether we need to move forward immediately. Please let us know, thank you, Todd.

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