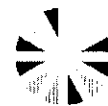


ATTACHMENT C



CenturyLink

April 20, 2012

Mr. Jim Ronyak
Director, Information Technology
Colville Confederated Tribes - Information Technology Program
PO Box 150
Nespelem, WA 99155

Re: Facsimile dated April 20, 2012 MT. Top and CCT Central Facilities Access Policy

Mr. Ronyak:

CenturyLink is in receipt of the facsimile referenced above from your office.

On Wednesday, April 18, 2012 we dispatched a technician to our hut in Keller to conduct some line testing, during this time the technician also started to complete the installation of an equipment shelf in the Keller hut.

While in the Keller hut, our CenturyLink technician was confronted by two representatives of the Colville Tribe and was informed that he was "trespassing" on Tribal land, while two other representatives of the Colville Tribe stayed in the vehicle they arrived in. Considering what the CenturyLink team felt was a very amicable and positive meeting this past Tuesday, April 17th, we are puzzled as to why this confrontation took place. Moreover, we are also concerned for the ongoing safety and welfare for our employees working within the Reservation.

In addition, we learned this week that the Colville Tribe has placed a lock on our Inchelium telco building, thereby denying us access to our equipment. This also seems inconsistent with our discussions and our good faith attempts to work through our outstanding issues.

Further, the conditions imposed by the Tribe requiring CenturyLink to provide 24 hours notice to the Tribe prior to servicing any "Tribal Communication site" is unreasonable and impedes our ability to meet our customer service commitments on the Reservation. More importantly, the Tribes' effort to dictate how, when and the manner in which CenturyLink operates on the Reservation jeopardizes our ability to operate and maintain critical 911 emergency communications to the Colville community - the very critical services you and Mr. Allen emphasized in our last meeting.

We are hopeful that you will reconsider these restrictions, remove them and unlock our building(s), so that we can concentrate on customer service issues, along with finalizing a lease and right-of-way agreement as we have discussed.

Very Truly,

Sandz Hinrichs,
Area Operation Manager
509-235-3112
