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Re: WUTC v. CenturyLink, December 2018 911 Outage

Docket UT-181051

Public Counsel Response to Commission Staff Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Public Counsel submits the following response to the Commission Staff's ("Staff") Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule, filed on July 27, 2021, pursuant to the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission's Notice of Opportunity to Respond to Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule, filed July 27, 2021.

Public Counsel supports Staff's Motion in the above-referenced docket.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served *Response to Commission Staff Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule* upon all parties of record in this proceeding, by electronic transmission to the email address(es) or by mailing a true and correct copy, postage prepaid, to each party or party representative listed in the Commission's master service list for this docket.

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