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Ms. Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
621 Woodland Square Loop SE
Lacey, WA 98503

Re: Docket UT-190574 Compliance Filing, Condition 1a Federal Universal Service Fund

Dear Director Johnson:

Pursuant to the specified conditions contained in Order 03 in Docket UT-190574, Northwest Fiber provides an annual compliance report including the following information:

Pursuant to Condition 1b, Broadband Investment

- a. Number of locations passed with fiber and copper
- b. Amount of capital expenditures invested to improve/expand broadband infrastructure
- c. Total capital investments itemized by the following categories - plant expansion, head-end/central office, CPE, installation, and maintenance

ZiPLY Fiber Response: Please see the attached reports.

Condition 3c, Broadband Investment

Northwest fiber will expend at least \$50 million on improving and expanding fiber-based broadband infrastructure, to locations and customers in the ILECs' Washington territory, capable of delivering approximately 1 gigabit symmetrical service to those locations and customers, within five years of the close of transaction. The following condition applies to this expenditure:

- a. At least \$10 million of the \$50 million outside of the Seattle/Everett Metropolitan Area.

ZiPLY Fiber Response: [REDACTED]

Condition 3d, Broadband Investment

Northwest Fiber will ensure that Frontier NW will invest such that no less than 33 percent of locations in Frontier NW's territory in Washington will have access to fiber-based broadband infrastructure capable of delivering approximately 1 gigabit symmetrical service within five years of the close of the transaction.

ZiPLY Fiber Response:

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This response and attachments are considered confidential pursuant to WAC 480-07-160 and in accordance with Order 02 in Docket UT-190574 as this information would not be accessible absent a protective order.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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Regulatory & External Affairs Director