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# Via Email and

# Overnight delivery

Mr. Steven King, Executive Director and Secretary

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission

1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW

Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Docket No. UT-131239

CenturyLink’s Nomination of Mark S. Reynolds

to State Universal Service Fund Advisory Board

Dear Mr. King:

On September 26, 2013 you issued a Notice Seeking Nominations for an Advisory Board in conjunction with the implementation of 2E2SHB 1971 regarding the establishment of a state universal communication service program in Docket UT-131239. CenturyLink would like to nominate Mark Reynolds, NW Region Vice President - Public Policy, for the board position representing an incumbent local exchange company serving more than 40,000 access lines in Washington. Having served Pacific NW Bell, U S WEST, Qwest, and now CenturyLink regarding regulatory affairs in Washington for over 30 years, CenturyLink believes that Mr. Reynolds will provide valuable insight and consultation to such an advisory board. Mr. Reynolds’ biography is attached.

Thank you for the opportunity and your consideration,

Sincerely,

Lisa Anderl

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Enclosure