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VIA E-FILING

Mr. Steven V. King, Acting Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: Western Wahkiakum County Telephone Company - Twenty-Ninth Revision of Sheet No. 2 Canceling Twenty-Eighth Revision of Sheet No. 2; Thirteenth Revision of Sheet No. 31 Canceling Twelfth Revision of Sheet No. 31; Second Revision of Sheet No. 50 Canceling First Revision of Sheet No. 50; Fourth Revision of Sheet No. 85.1 Canceling Third Revision of Sheet No. 85.1

Dear Mr. King:

Attached you will find the above-referenced tariff sheet. The primary purpose of this filing is to increase the monthly residential rate to \$14.00 from its current rate of \$13.40 effective May 1, 2013, an increase of 4.4%. The filing also reduces the rate for Caller ID service by \$1.01 from \$6.00 per month to \$4.99 for residential service and from \$8.00 per month to \$6.99 for business service and establishes a promotion for Caller ID by waiving the non-recurring cost for that service for a limited period of time. There are decreases of 16.83 percent for residential Caller ID and 12.63 percent for business Caller ID. The filing also eliminates multi-party service. There are no customers on multi-party service.

The primary purpose of this filing is to conform to FCC Order No. 11-161. In the course of that Order, the Federal Communications Commission adopted new rules concerning the universal service program. The effect of those rules is to penalize any company whose residential rate is less than \$14.00 on June 1, 2013. The penalty is a dollar-for-dollar reduction in universal service support for the Company's operations.

In Docket UT-110858, the Company filed financial information concerning its operations.

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In discussion with Commission Staff, this filing will be based upon the information that the Company has filed in Docket UT-110858.

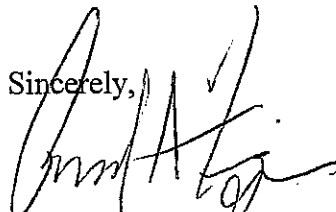
As a result of using the financial information filed by the Company in Docket UT-110858, the Company is requesting a waiver of the filing requirements of WAC 480-07-160.

The filing will generate approximately \$63 in net monthly revenue.

The Notice to customers is attached and includes additional information concerning the filing. The Notice was mailed to customers prior to the date of this letter.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



RICHARD A. FINNIGAN

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Enclosures

cc: Steve Appelo (via e-mail)