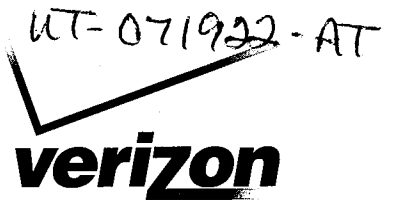


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***Re: In the Matter of the Application of Verizon Northwest Inc. for Concurrence
That Property is Surplus***

Dear Ms. Washburn:

Enclosed are the original and 12 copies of the Application of Verizon Northwest Inc. ("Verizon") for Concurrence That Property is Surplus ("Application"). Attachment 1 to the Application is designated as Confidential Pursuant to WAC 480-07-160 because it provides market value estimates that, if known, could prejudice Verizon's position in offering the properties for sale. Accordingly, the Attachment is provided on canary yellow paper in a separate, sealed envelope.

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

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