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Gary Widerburg
Commission Administrator
Utah Public Service Commission
Heber M. Wells Building, 4th Floor
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Re: Rule 54.312(c)(4) Notice; Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Mr. Widerburg:

On September 13, 2016 pursuant to Federal Communications Commission (FCC) rules,¹ CenturyLink, on behalf of its incumbent local exchange carriers receiving 2013 Connect America Fund Phase I incremental support (CAF I Round 2 support) provided notice² to the FCC of its intent to use that support for broadband deployment in census blocks that it has not previously identified.

When CenturyLink initially accepted CAF I Round 2 support in August 2013 it provided a list of census blocks in Utah where it anticipated using that support to deploy broadband to unserved and underserved locations.³ That list was subsequently updated on February 24, 2014 by letter to the Commission to reflect the results of the FCC challenge process. Since that time, CenturyLink has modified its broadband deployment plans under the CAF I Round 2 program and is hereby providing the attached list of 33 additional census blocks in which it intends to meet its broadband deployment obligations under the program in Utah.

By this letter, CenturyLink is providing notice of these additional census blocks to the Utah Commission. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "James B. Farr".

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 54.312(c)(4).

² Along with its Notice to the FCC, CenturyLink also filed a Petition for Partial Waiver of the FCC's requirement to provide notice of additional census blocks for CAF I Round 2 deployment at least 90 days *prior* to commencing deployment in those census blocks.

³ See CenturyLink's Notice of Acceptance of 2013 Connect America Fund Phase I Incremental Support WC Docket Nos. 10-90; 05-337, Letter from Melissa Newman, CenturyLink to Marlene Dortch, FCC (August 20, 2013).