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**Subject:** UM 1354

Dear Judge Arlow,

I am pleased to report that the active UM 1354 parties have reached in principle a full settlement on all issues. The parties intend to finalize a Stipulation, which will include a revised price plan by Qwest, as well as joint supporting testimony or legal briefs, or both, as necessary. The parties aspire to have these documents formally submitted to you within the next three weeks.

Accordingly, the parties have authorized me to make the following two requests. First, the parties request that you issue an Order at your earliest convenience suspending the remainder of the schedule. Second, the parties request that you schedule, also at your earliest convenience, a prehearing conference for the purpose of discussing the steps you will require to bring this docket to a conclusion. Along these lines, we ask that you informally hold the June 25th hearing date for the time being until we can convene the requested prehearing conference.

Finally, the parties are hopeful that you can take the requested actions on the basis of this email message. However, please let me know if you require a more formal pleading.

Thank you for your prompt attention to these matters.

Sincerely,  
Mike Weirich

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