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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
45 L Street NE
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *In the Matter of Connect America Fund*; WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch:

In August 2015, CenturyLink accepted Connect America Fund (CAF) Phase II support to deploy broadband service to over one million locations in thirty-three states. Using that support, CenturyLink has now enabled broadband service at speeds of at least 10/1 Mbps and voice service to approximately 1.2 million customer locations in CAF II Census Blocks in those states. CenturyLink's preliminary year-end data reflect that it met or exceeded the program's target in each of the thirty-three states per section 54.320(d)(2) of the Commission's rules.

CenturyLink is reviewing, validating, and confirming this preliminary finding. By March 1, we will provide the vetted requisite year-end 2021 status to the HUBB portal in accord with 47 CFR 54.316. We are also providing this notice to the Universal Service Administrative Company and certain state commissions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Randy Clarke

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January 26, 2022

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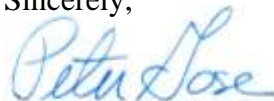
Re: CenturyLink's CAF II Deployment Update

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is the notice CenturyLink has provided to the FCC that, based on its preliminary data, CenturyLink exceeded its final Connect America Fund Phase II (CAF II) location deployment milestone in Oregon. The final steps in the CAF II process include CenturyLink submitting its data by March 1, 2022, followed by the federal audit of locations deployed and final statements by the FCC. CenturyLink appreciates the support of the Commission throughout the CAF II projects and looks forward to additional broadband deployment through the FCC's Rural Digital Opportunity Fund.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 816-759-2895 or via email at peter.gose@lumen.com should you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,



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