ISSUED: November 17, 2023

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1908, UM 2206

In the Matters of

LUMEN TECHNOLOGIES,1

Proposed Commission Action Pursuant to ORS 756.515 to Suspend and Investigate Price Plan (UM 1908), and

QWEST CORPORATION,

Investigation Regarding the Provision of Service in Jacksonville, Oregon and Surrounding Areas (UM 2206).

Price Plan Investigation.

RULING

DISPOSITION: DEADLINES TO SUBMIT AND OBJECT TO MOTIONS TO ADMIT.

On November 15, 2023, the Public Utility Commission of Oregon held an evidentiary hearing in these proceedings. At the hearing, the parties raised questions regarding motions to admit evidence into the record, including public comments submitted but not yet moved into the record as part of testimony or another filing. This memorandum sets out deadlines and guidance for submitting and objecting to motions to admit evidence.

The parties shall file motions to admit evidence by 3:30 p.m. on November 22, 2023. Parties may file any objections to motions to admit evidence by 3:30 p.m. on November 29, 2023.

In the motions to admit, the parties should include any evidence that they want to be included in the record, with exhibits properly marked, and declarations supporting any pre-filed testimony submitted in these proceedings. The parties do not need to move to admit evidence already identified in the motions to admit evidence filed on September 7, 2018, the testimony and exhibits admitted into evidence in the ruling issued by Chief

¹ Formerly known as Qwest Corporation, United Telephone Company of the Northwest, CenturyTel of Oregon, and CenturyTel of Eastern Oregon.

Administrative Law Judge Nolan Moser on January 4, 2023, as set forth in the table below:

PARTY/EXHIBIT NO.	WITNESSES/DOCUMENTS
Staff/100-105	Joseph Bartholomew
Staff/200-203 ²	Melissa Nottingham
Staff/300 ³	Lumen's Reports on Jacksonville
	Customer Support Line
Lumen/100-101	Peter Gose
Lumen	December 16, 2022 Response to Bench
	Request
	December 28, 2022 Response to Hearing
	Request
Stipulation	
Joint Testimony/100	Phil Grate (CenturyLink), Stephen Hayes
	(Staff), Samuel Pastrick (CUB)
	(collectively, Joint Parties)

Dated this 17th day of November, 2023, at Salem, Oregon.

Sarah Spruce Administrative Law Judge

Staff submitted Melissa Nottingham's amended testimony on December 22, 2022.
As set forth in Staff's Amended Cross-Examination Statement filed December 20, 2022.