

January 20, 2020

Public Utility Commission of Oregon 201 High Street, SE, Suite 100 Salem, Oregon 97301-3398

RE: Advice No. 2152 for Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC P.U.C. Oregon No. 33 Exchange and Network Services Tariff

Dear Commissioners:

Attached for electronic filing are revised sheets for the Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC P.U.C. Oregon No. 33 Exchange and Network Services Tariff. This filing is being submitted with a proposed effective date of March 1, 2020.

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This filing proposes to increase the monthly rates for residential access lines and proposes to decrease business and residence EAS rates. Customers were notified of this change.

Attachment A includes the Price Plan Control List.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Phil Grate at (206) 345-6224 or me at the contact information below.

Sincerely,

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Attachment A: Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC Price Plan Control List

Exchange and Network Services Tariff - PUC Oregon No. 33

| | | | | | | | | | | Current | Cumulative | | |
|----------|-----------|-------------|-------|------|--|-------|----------|---------|----------|-----------|------------|----------------|--|
| | Effective | | | Bus/ | | | Pre-plan | | Proposed | Year Rate | Rate | Price Plan | |
| Advice # | Date | Location | Sheet | Res | Service | USOC | Price | Price | Price | Change | Change | Category | Pricing Flexibility Allowed |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Res | Residence EAS Flat Rate - Band A | OC1 | \$1.28 | \$1.20 | | -\$0.20 | -\$0.28 | | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Res | Residence EAS Flat Rate - Band B | OC1 | \$2.20 | \$2.20 | | -\$0.20 | -\$0.20 | | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Res | Residence EAS Flat Rate - Band C | OC1 | \$4.97 | \$4.20 | | -\$2.20 | -\$2.97 | | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.f | 3 | Res | Route Specific EAS - Jefferson to Salem | SCFRT | \$2.05 | \$1.00 | | -\$1.00 | -\$2.05 | | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.g | 3.1 | Res | Residence EAS Flat Rate - Nyssa | OC1 | \$0.60 | \$0.60 | | -\$0.60 | -\$0.60 | EAS | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.g | 3.1 | Res | Residence EAS Flat Rate - Ontario | OC1 | \$0.60 | \$0.60 | | -\$0.60 | -\$0.60 | | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.g | 3.2 | Res | Residence EAS Flat Rate - Vale | OC1 | \$1.10 | \$1.10 | | -\$0.10 | -\$0.10 | EAS | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.2.1.D.1 | 46 | Res | Budget Measured | LW1 | \$9.37 | \$12.37 | \$14.37 | \$2.00 | \$5.00 | Meas Basic Svc | Rate increases allowed up to 80% of Res Basic Svc Rate |
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| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.2.4.B.1 | 50 | Res | Residence Flat Rate Service - Rate Group 2 | 1FR | \$16.80 | \$19.80 | | \$1.20 | \$4.20 | Res Basic Svc | \$3 increase annually; \$10 increase over Plan term |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.2.4.B.1 | 50 | Res | Residence Flat Rate Service - Rate Group 3 | 1FR | \$17.80 | \$19.80 | \$21.00 | \$1.20 | \$3.20 | Res Basic Svc | \$3 increase annually; \$10 increase over Plan term |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Bus | Business EAS Flat Rate - Band A1 & A2 | TBX | \$1.95 | \$1.50 | \$1.00 | -\$0.50 | -\$0.95 | EAS | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Bus | Business EAS Flat Rate - Band B1 & B2 | TBX | \$3.00 | \$2.00 | \$1.00 | -\$1.00 | -\$2.00 | EAS | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Bus | Business EAS Flat Rate - Band C1 | TBX | \$6.00 | \$4.00 | \$3.00 | -\$1.00 | -\$3.00 | EAS | Capped at pre-plan rates |
| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Bus | Business EAS Flat Rate - Band C2 | TBX | \$6.00 | \$3.00 | \$2.00 | -\$1.00 | -\$4.00 | EAS | Capped at pre-plan rates |

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SECTION 5 2nd Revised Sheet 2.1 Cancels 1st Revised Sheet 2.1

5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.1 EXCHANGE AREAS

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5.1.1 EXTENDED AREA SERVICE (EAS)

- C. Rates
 - 1. Application of Rates (Cont'd)
 - e. Monthly EAS Incremental Rates^[1]

| EAS Rate Band | QUANTITY OF ACCESS LINES AVAILABLE TO THE LOCAL CALLING AREA | FLAT (OC1 | RESIDENCE ^[2] USAGE PKG. HOURS FLAT 3,6 (OC1) (OC8) | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|--------------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | | | | |
| A1-A3 | 1 to 50,000 | \$1.0 | 0 (R) | \$0 | 0.35 | | | | |
| B1-B3 | 50,001 to 600,000 | 2.0 | 0 (R) | 0.81 | | | | | |
| C1-C2 C3 | 600,001 to 999,000 N/A | 2.0 | 0 (R) | 1 | .24 | | | | |
| TAG | QUANTITY OF ACCESS LINES | BUSINESS ^[2] USAGE | | | | | | | |
| EAS Rate | AVAILABLE TO THE LOCAL | FLA | т | PKG. 1 6,9 | Hours 12 | | | | |
| BAND | CALLING AREA | (TBX) | (TJX) | (SC8) | (SC9) | | | | |
| A1&A2 | , | \$1.00 (R) | \$0.43 | \$0.51 | \$0.98 | | | | |
| A3 | 1 to 50,000 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | | |
| B1&B2 B3 | 50,001 to 600,000 50,001 to 600,000 | 1.00 (R) 0.00 | $\begin{array}{c} 0.92\\ 0.00\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{c} 1.05\\ 0.00\end{array}$ | 1.82 0.00 | | | | |
| C1 C2 | 600,001 to 999,000 600,001 to 999,000 | 3.00 (R) 2 .00 (R) | 1.50 0.50 | 1.87 1.00 | 3.75 2.00 | | | | |

[1] EAS increments do not apply to Toll Access Trunks or inward-only service.

^[2] For STAND-BY LINE Service, the business flat monthly incremental rate applies. (See 5.2.5)

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5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.1 EXCHANGE AREAS

5.1.1 EXTENDED AREA SERVICE (EAS)

- C. Rates
 - 1. Application of Rates (Cont'd)
 - f. Route Specific EAS Incremental Rates^[1]

Route Specific EAS is applicable to flat & measured service. For flat lines with flat rated EAS, the Route Specific EAS increment is in addition to the EAS rates in C.1.e. above. Measured EAS is not available for a route to which Route Specific rates apply.

| | | Unli | IMITED |
|---|-----------|----------|-----------------|
| US | OC | BUSINESS | RESIDENCE |
| BUSINESS | RESIDENCE | RATE | RATE |
| SCFBT | SCFRT | | |
| Albany to Scio | | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Jefferson to Salem | | 0.00 | 0.00 (R) |
| Salem to Jefferson | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Newport to Lincoln City | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Siletz to Lincoln City | | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| • Ontario to Huntington ^[2] | | 0.00 | 0.00 |

- [1] EAS increments do not apply to Toll Access Trunks or inward-only service.
- ^[2] This rate applies to all customers with fully measured service and to customers with flat service, including those with measured EAS. No local measured usage rates apply on this route.

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5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.1 EXCHANGE AREAS

5.1.1 EXTENDED AREA SERVICE (EAS)

- C. Rates
 - 1. Application of Rates (Cont'd)
 - g. Flat Rated EAS Calling
 - (1) Incremental charges listed below are applied to each access line that is provisioned for flat rated EAS.

| Nyssa | USOC | EAS Exchan | GE | TOTAL EAS Increment | Monthly Rate |
|-------------------------------------|------|--|--|--|-------------------|
| Residence | OC1 | Ontario Vale | (1H) (1L) | \$ 0.00 (R) <u>0.00</u> (R) | \$0.00 (R) |
| Business | TBX | Ontario Vale | (1H) (1L) | $0.00 \\ 0.00$ | 0.00 |
| Ontario ^[2] Residence | OC1 | Fruitland Harper Huntington Nyssa Oregon Slope Payette Vale | (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) | 0.00 (R) 0.00 (R) [1] 0.00 (R) 0.00 (R) 0.00 (R) 0.00 (R) | 0.00 (R) |
| Business | TBX | Fruitland Harper Huntington Nyssa Oregon Slope Payette Vale | (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) (2L) | $\begin{array}{c} 0.20 \\ 0.20 \\ [1] \\ 0.20 \\ 0.00 \\ 0.20 \\ 0.20 \\ 0.20 \end{array}$ | 1.00 |

^[1] See Route Specific EAS Incremental Rates 5.1.6.A.2.c.

^[2] Residence EAS rates for Oregon Slope are the same as Ontario. See EAS route for Oregon Slope, following. Business EAS rates no longer apply for Oregon Slope.

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SECTION 5 2nd Revised Sheet 3.2 Cancels 1st Revised Sheet 3.2

5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.1 **EXCHANGE AREAS**

EXTENDED AREA SERVICE (EAS) 5.1.1

- C. Rates
 - 1. Application of Rates
 - g. Flat Rated EAS Calling (1) Incremental charges listed below are applied to each access line that is provisioned for flat rated EAS. (Cont'd)

| | USOC | EA Excha | | TOTAL EAS Increment | Monthly Rate |
|-----------|------|-------------|------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Vale | | | | | |
| Residence | | | (11) | #0.25 | |
| | | Harper | (1L) | \$0.25 | |
| | | Nyssa | (1L) | 0.25 | |
| | | Ontario | (1H) | 0.25 (R) | |
| | | Oregon | | | |
| | | Slope | (1L) | <u>0.25</u> | |
| | OC1 | | | | \$1.00 (R) |
| | | | | | |
| Business | | | | | |
| | | Harper | (1L) | 0.00 | |
| | | Nyssa | (1L) | 0.00 | |
| | | Ontario | (1H) | 0.00 | |
| | | Oregon | | | |
| | | Slope | (1L) | 0.00 | |
| | TBX | 1 | | | 0.00 |

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5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.2 LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE 5.2.1 MEASURED RATE SERVICE (Cont'd)

- D. Rates and Charges
 - 1. Residence Measured Service Access Line Rates and Charges

The rates listed below do not include the Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF) surcharge.

| | USOC | Non- recurring Charge | MONTHLY RATE Per Rate Group All Rate Groups | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|---|--|--|
| • Budget Measured ^[1,2] | LW1, JRN | \$16.50 | \$ 14.37 (I) | | |

- ^[1] Measured Service usage charges also apply. See 3., following.
- ^[2] Available only where existing facilities permit.

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5. EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.2 LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE (Cont'd)

5.2.4 FLAT RATE SERVICE

- A. Description
 - 1. Service furnished at a fixed monthly rate which provides unlimited calling within a customer's local calling area.
 - 2. A non-primary line is a separately billed residence line that is not the first line in the household. An additional line is a residence line that is billed together with a residence first line (primary) or a residence non-primary line.
- B. Rates and Charges

The rates listed below do not include the Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF) surcharge.

1. Residence

| | | | Non- recurring | Monthl Per Rat | | | |
|---|---|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----|--|
| | | USOC | CHARGE | 1 | 2 AND 3 | (T) | |
| • | Residence Line, Each ^[1,2] | 1FR, JRG RUA | \$16.50 | \$21.00 (I) | \$21.00 (I) | (T) | |
| • | Non-primary line, each ^[1,2] | - | 16.50 | \$21.00 (I) | \$21.00 (I) | (T) | |

- ^[1] EAS rate increment also applies. See 5.1.1, preceding.
- ^[2] Available only where existing facilities permit.

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| 2152 | 3/1/2020 | 5.1.1.C.1.e | 2.1 | Bus | Business EAS Flat Rate - Band C2 | TBX | \$6.00 | \$3.00 | \$2.00 | -\$1.00 | -\$4.00 | | Capped at pre-plan rates |