



December 4, 2017

Oregon Public Utility Commission
201 High St. SE Suite 100
Salem, Oregon 97301

RE: Advice No. 2141
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 revisions to 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 December 5, 2017.

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This filing proposes edits and clarifications to the language pertaining to the Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF) surcharge.

Consideration and timely approval of these pages are respectfully requested. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing at zarneisha.dixon@centurylink.com or 913-353-7090.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Zarneisha Dixon".

Zarneisha Dixon

Attachments

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**P.U.C. OREGON No. 33
EXCHANGE AND
NETWORK SERVICES**

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS - CONDITIONS OF OFFERING

2.6 SPECIAL TAXES, FEES AND CHARGES (Cont'd)

E. Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF)

1. Description

Chapter 290, Oregon Laws 1987, Section 7(1), **requires the Residential Service Protection Fund (RSPF)** surcharge to be assessed on each subscriber line, not to exceed \$0.35. The purpose of the **RSPF** surcharge is to fund the Oregon Telephone Assistance Program (OTAP), the **Telecommunication Devices Access Program (TDAP)**, and the **Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service (OTRS)**.

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2. Charge

The RSPF surcharge shall be assessed per month per access line against **all** paying retail **customers** who **have** telecommunications service with access to the **OTRS**. The Commission **reviews** the surcharge **rate** each year.

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F. Facility Relocation Cost Recovery

1. Description

ORS 759.255 and ORS 758.025 (5)(a) allow some prudent costs beyond the normal course of business, for the relocation of facilities required by a public body, to be recovered annually by a non-rate-of-return regulated utility.

2. Charge

If approved by the Commission, a monthly charge may be assessed in the manner, amount, and for the time period specified by Commission order, based upon the petitioner's request and supporting data as required in ORS 758.025 and OAR 860-022-0047.