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November 15, 2019

Ms. Malia Brock
Oregon Public Utility Commission
P.O. Box 1088
Salem, OR 97308-1088

Re: *Trans-Cascades Telephone Co. Advice* No. 100
Revisions to Lifeline Service in PUC Or. No. 5

Dear Ms. Brock:

I am submitting this Tariff Advice Letter on behalf of Trans-Cascades Telephone Co. pursuant to Commission Rules 132 and 143. The proposed revisions reference the Code of Federal Regulations Lifeline section (47 CFR § 54.403) establishing a transitional phase-out of Lifeline support for voice-only service beginning December 1, 2019. This transition complies with federal regulations implemented in the FCC's Lifeline Modernization Order.

Transmitted herewith are two (2) searchable Microsoft Word documents showing:

1. Red-lined page to identify the changes, and
2. The changes as they will appear in the proposed new tariff

We respectfully request that the proposed changes become effective December 1, 2019.

Please call Marian Gill at 503-630-4213 or email gillm@cuaccess.net if you have any questions about the content or questions on the electronic documents attached for the filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brenda Crosby". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Brenda Crosby, President
Trans-Cascades Telephone Co. d.b.a. Reliance Connects

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LOCAL SERVICE

LOCAL ACCESS LINE RATES

RATES (continued)

Oregon Telephone Assistance Program (Lifeline or OTAP) (continued)

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- o Voice grade service to the Public Switched Network
- o Access to emergency services
- o Access to toll limitation services

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The reductions to be applied to the residential rate are as follows:

Baseline Federal Lifeline Reduction	\$7.25	C
State Support Amount (OTAP)	3.50	
Total	<u>\$10.75</u>	C

These reductions are from the normal residential service subscribed to by the qualifying subscriber. The Baseline Federal Lifeline Reduction shall be applied to the subscriber's Federal End User Common Line charge SLC, with the balance being applied to the customer's rate.

OTAP/Lifeline customers are not charged the Federal Universal Service fund fee.

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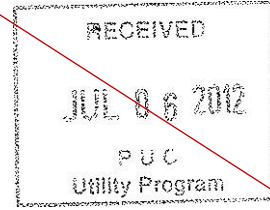
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TITLE: President

BY: Brenda Crosby

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The reductions to be applied to the residential rate are as follows:

Baseline Federal Lifeline Reduction	\$9.25	\$7.25	
State Support Amount (OTAP)		3.50	
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Total	\$12.75	\$10.75	

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