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Mr. Ryan Dulin  
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Communications Division  
California Public Utilities Division  
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Dear Mr. Dulin:

Pursuant to Sec. 281 (e) (3) (B), Citizens Telecommunications Company of California, Inc. (U-1024-C) and Frontier Communications of the Southwest, Inc. (U-1026-C) (Frontier) hereby provides notice to the CPUC through this commitment to upgrade that it will exercise its option to increase broadband speeds using its own funds in the census blocks and zip codes listed in the attached document, which are shown in the attached project area maps (shape files).

The project upgrades are in northeast California in the area of Alturas, Chester, Lake Almanor, Janesville, Shingletown, in the central California area of Tuolumne and along the California and Nevada border adjacent to Topaz Lake, NV on the California side. These projects are also supported by Connect America Fund Phase 1 Round 2 funding.

This upgrade will be performed by May 1, 2015. During this time, the CPUC will not award a CASF grant to fund a broadband project in this same area.

On or before May 1, 2015, Frontier will provide the CPUC with documents showing the final project area, broadband availability and speed tiers available with speed tests showing that the project indeed provides served speeds.

Please contact me at 585-777-6719 or [christine.burke@ftr.com](mailto:christine.burke@ftr.com) for any further questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Christine Burke".

Christine Burke  
National Manager, Funding Programs

cc: Charlie Born, Frontier