

August 12, 2021

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

In re: PaPUC Docket No. P-00971281
Joint Petition of Commonwealth Telephone Company LLC d/b/a Frontier Communications
Commonwealth Telephone Company; Frontier Communications of Breezewood, LLC;
Frontier Communications of Canton, LLC; Frontier Communications of Pennsylvania, LLC,
and CTSI, LLC, d/b/a Frontier Communications CTSI, LLC, For Expansion of Eligible
Telecommunications Carrier Status to Include Additional Census Blocks

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

We are counsel to Commonwealth Telephone Company LLC d/b/a Frontier Communications
Commonwealth Telephone Company; Frontier Communications of Breezewood, LLC; Frontier
Communications of Canton, LLC; Frontier Communications of Pennsylvania, LLC; and CTSI, LLC,
d/b/a Frontier Communications, CTSI, LLC in the above matter. At the request of Staff of the Public
Utility Commission, we are submitting the Certifications enclosed with this letter to supplement the
information already provided in support of the Joint Petition.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS, NIESEN & THOMAS, LLC

By



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CERTIFICATIONS

I, Michael J. Cicchetti, Vice President, Government and External Affairs of Frontier Communications Corporation, hereby certify the following in connection with the Joint Petition of Commonwealth Telephone Company LLC d/b/a Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company; Frontier Communications of Breezewood, LLC; Frontier Communications of Canton, LLC; Frontier Communications of Pennsylvania, LLC; and CTSI, LLC, d/b/a Frontier Communications, CTSI, LLC (“CTSI”) For Expansion of Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Status to Include Additional Census Blocks, presently pending before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission at Docket No. P-00971281 (“Petition”):

1. CTSI will provide service to all customers making a reasonable request for service throughout its proposed Designated Service Area as required by 47 U.S.C. Sec. 214(e)(3) and 47 C.F.R. § 54.203.
2. No party to the Petition is subject to denial of federal benefits, including FCC benefits, pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.
3. If at some point in the future CTSI becomes the only entity in the geographic area that receives federal high-cost support and it seeks to relinquish its ETC designation, it will comply with the requirements of 47 U.S.C. § 214(e)(4) and 47 C.F.R. § 54.205 as well as independent state law.



Michael J. Cicchetti
Vice President, Government and External Affairs
Frontier Communications Corporation

Dated: August 12, 2021