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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re:** *Ex Parte Notice; Petition to Prohibit Use of E-Rate Funds to Build Fiber Networks in Areas Where Fiber Networks Already Exist,*  
RM-11841, WC Docket No. 13-184, CC Docket No. 02-6.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Tuesday, September 10, 2019, Jamey Wigley, General Manager of Central Texas Telephone Cooperative, Inc., spoke briefly with Commissioner Geoffrey Starks of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") and Randy Clarke, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Starks in Monterey, California. Mr. Wigley discussed the Petition for Rulemaking filed in the above captioned proceeding and the overbuild and waste concerns described in the Petition.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, we are filing this letter electronically in the above-captioned docket. Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



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