

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska) Application No. NUSF-99.05
Public Service Commission, on)
its own Motion, to administer)
the Universal Service Fund)
High-Cost Program:) REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST
CenturyLink Broadband Grant) GRANTED
Requests 2016.)
)
) Entered: December 17, 2019

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N A N D F I N D I N G S

By Application filed June 20, 2017, Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink" or "Applicant") sought high-cost support from the Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF). Applicant sought support in the amount of Two Hundred Thirty Thousand One Hundred Forty-Six Dollars (\$230,146.00) for the construction of facilities around Thurston, Nebraska. On August 29, 2017, the Commission granted the application.

On November 22, 2019, CenturyLink filed a letter with the Commission stating work on this project has been completed and service has been turned up. However, the total costs incurred on this project totaled \$242,522.80. CenturyLink requested the Commission approve the additional \$12,376.80 in expenditures for this project for a final reimbursement amount of \$242,522.80. In support of its request, CenturyLink provided a detailed listing of all expenditures on the project. CenturyLink has requested and received interim reimbursements as the project progressed. Accordingly, CenturyLink requests the Commission approve the additional \$12,376.80 in expenditures for this project which, would make the final reimbursement amount total \$56,559.

Based upon the information provided, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the request for reimbursement is reasonable and should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission, that the reimbursement request submitted by CenturyLink on November 22, 2019 in the above-captioned application be, and it is hereby approved.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 17th day of December, 2019.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Cynthia Amador

Mary Riser
Chair

Paul Johnson

ATTEST:

Don Peterson

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Tim Schram

Executive Director