**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

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| In the Matter of  Joint Application of Charter Fiberlink – Missouri, LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Missouri), LLC for Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carriers to Receive Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Auction (Auction 904) Support for Voice and Broadband Services | )  )  )  )  )  )  )  )  )  ) | File No. TA-2021-0204 |

**Notice of Change to ETC-Designated Service Areas**

Charter Fiberlink - Missouri, LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Missouri), LLC (each individually, a “Charter Entity,” and collectively, the “Charter Entities”)[[1]](#footnote-2) hereby notify the Missouri Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) of the following changes to their respective ETC-designated service areas.

1. In its April 7, 2021 *Order Granting Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier* (the “ETC Designation Order”), the Commission designated the Charter Entities as ETCs in those census blocks identified in Exhibits A and B to the Charter Entities’ ETC joint application.[[2]](#footnote-3) The Commission also provided that the Charter Entities could modify their ETC-designated service areas to remove any census blocks that the FCC may remove from eligibility for RDOF support:

If the FCC removes any such census block from eligibility for RDOF support then the Company or Companies will file into this case file a copy of the FCC documentation removing the census block. Such a filing will cause the census block to be removed from the indicated company’s ETC designated service area automatically and without further action by the Commission.

ETC Designation Order, at 3.

2. Since the ETC Designation Order was entered, the Federal Communications Commission has issued public notices indicating that the Charter Entities will not receive RDOF support in certain census blocks that CCO Holdings, LLC had initially won in the RDOF auction and assigned to the Charter Entities.[[3]](#footnote-4) These census blocks are identified for each of the Charter Entities in Excel spreadsheets in **Exhibit 1**. Because the Charter Entities will not receive RDOF support for these census blocks, and in accordance with the ETC Designation Order, the Charter Entities now hereby notify the Commission of the removal of such census blocks from the Charter Entities’ respective designated ETC service areas. The Charter Entities incorporate herein by reference the FCC’s July 26, 2021, Public Notice identified below in footnote 3.

3. Excel spreadsheets in **Exhibit 2** provide revised lists of the remaining census blocks for which each respective Charter Entity should remain designated as an ETC.

Respectfully submitted, October 21, 2021.

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|  | Respectfully submitted,  Charter Fiberlink - Missouri, LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Missouri), LLC  By: \_\_/s/ Mark P. Johnson\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
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**EXHIBIT 1**

**Exhibit 1** – Lists of Census Blocks Where Charter Fiberlink - Missouri, LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Missouri), LLC are No Longer Receiving RDOF Auction Support





**EXHIBIT 2**

**Exhibit 2** – Lists of Census Blocks forming Charter Fiberlink - Missouri, LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Missouri), LLC’s ETC Designated Service Areas





**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 21st day of October, 2021, to all counsel of record.

/s/ Mark P. Johnson\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Charter Fiberlink NC-CCO , LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (North Carolina), LLC are wholly owned subsidiaries of Charter Communications, Inc. In this Notice, these Charter entities are also referred to collectively as “Charter.” [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. *Joint Application of Charter Fiberlink – Missouri, LLC and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Missouri), LLC for Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carriers to Receive Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Auction (Auction 904) Support for Voice and Broadband Services and Request for Expedited Consideration*, File No. TA-2021-0204 (filed January 6, 2021). [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
3. *See* *Rural Digital Opportunity Fund, Public Notice – Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Bid Defaults Announced*, WC Docket No. 19-126 (FCC July 26, 2021), *available at* <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DA-21-910A1.pdf> and Attachment A thereto, available at <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DA-21-910A2.pdf> (regarding the return of 67 Missouri census blocks by Charter Fiberlink – Missouri, LLC); *see also Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Preliminary List of Areas Subject to Default Announced; Corrections Sought*, DA 21-1256 (FCC Oct. 7, 2021), *available at* <https://www.fcc.gov/document/rural-digital-opportunity-fund-preliminary-defaults-announced>, and *Preliminary List of Areas Subject to Default in Response to July 26th Letter (10/7/2021)*, *available at* <https://www.fcc.gov/file/21940/download> (regarding the return of 2 additional Missouri census blocks by Charter Fiberlink – Missouri, LLC). On October 1, 2021, Charter informed FCC Staff of certain additional census block groups that Charter had originally won in the RDOF auction, for which it is no longer applying for RDOF support in Missouri. This list has not yet been publicly released by the FCC, but Charter expects that it will be at a later date. [↑](#footnote-ref-4)