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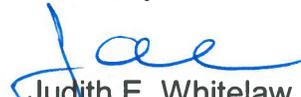
Re: CRS 16-219: FairPoint Petition for Licenses to Maintain Utility Cables Over and Across Public Lands and Water of the State of New Hampshire

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and two (2) copies of *The Municipalities' Response to Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC's (d/b/a FairPoint Communications -NNE) Reply to the Comments Submitted by the Towns of Barrington, Belmont, Holderness, Jefferson, Meredith, Merimack, Sunapee, Waterville Valley, and the City of Laconia.*

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,


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