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Subject: Frontier Communications Corporation -- Section 106 Emergency Relief

The request from Frontier Communications Corporation, Debtor-In-Possession ("Frontier"), for Emergency Authorization for standard Section 106 review to proceed, dated July 28, 2020 and posted on ECFS on July 29, 2020, for the following TCNS#s 209146, 211686, 204988, 203243, 212535, 211809, 204188, 211696, and 209271 is granted via this email. For TCNS#s not addressed in this email, Frontier will be notified separately.

On June 25, 2020, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau issued a Public Notice announcing an electronic process for FCC licensees to apply for emergency authorization to resume standard historic preservation review for qualifying critical infrastructure projects during this COVID-19 crisis. *See Section 106 Emergency Authorizations During Covid-19*, Public Notice, 35 FCC Rcd 5977 (WTB 2020). Frontier requested an emergency authorization [click here to view request] under this process based upon one of the criteria set forth in the Public Notice – "needs of unserved/underserved areas due to COVID-19 effects."

Standard Section 106 review will proceed for these projects in accordance with the procedures established in the *Second Report and Order*, notwithstanding State or Tribal Historic Preservation Office closures. *See Accelerating Wireless Broadband Deployment by Removing Barriers to Infrastructure Investment*, Second Report and Order, 33 FCC Rcd 3102, 3151, para. 111 (2018) (*Second Report and Order*), remanded in part sub nom., *United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians v. FCC*, 933 F.3d 728 (D.C. Cir. 2019).

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