The CAF II program is different in that specific census blocks are eligible for funding, as depicted in response to Data Request No. 1-4.

1-8. Please explain the effect of CAF II Auction 903 on CenturyLink's buildout.

## **Response:**

As a price-cap carrier, CenturyLink accepted CAF II funding on a state-wide basis to enable a specific number of living units within our service territory during the CAF II program. This commitment remains unchanged and is unaffected by the auction.

Dated this 6th day of August 2018.

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