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TC18-013 - In the Matter of the Petition by the Department of Public Safety/9-1-1 Coordination Board for a Declaratory Ruling Determining Competitive Local Exchange Carrier Processes for Requesting 9-1-1 Traffic Delivery from Rural Local Exchange Carriers

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen,

Staff files this letter to request the Commission set a procedural schedule in Docket TC18-013. Per ARSD 20:10:01:35, the Commission must issue a decision in a Petition for a Declaratory Ruling Proceeding within 60 days of filing. In this case, the Department of Public Safety/9-1-1 Coordination Board filed its Petition on May 11, 2018, requiring a decision be issued by July 10, 2018. The final regularly scheduled Commission meeting before the deadline is set for June 26, 2018. Based on this, Staff proposes the following procedural schedule:

Commission Decision on the Petitions to Intervene:	June 12, 2018
Initial Comments due by all Parties:	June 18, 2018
Reply Comments due by all Parties:	June 22, 2018
Commission Decision on the Petitions:	June 26, 2018

Staff has proposed this schedule to the Parties and it is Staff's understanding that the Parties are agreeable to scheduling the matter for final decision on June 26th, but the Parties have not agreed to a schedule for filing comments at this point. Therefore, Staff proposes this schedule as a template and requests the Commission establish a schedule at the June 12, 2018 Commission meeting.

Staff would also note that there is a Commission meeting scheduled for July 10, 2018.

Respectfully,

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