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Arizona Corporation Commission
1200 West Washington St.
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Re: Docket # T-02532A-03-0017

Attn.: Mr. Lyn Farmer, Chief Hearing Officer
Rural Telephone Taskforce

Dear Mr. Farmer,

Arizona Corporation Commission

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We are residents of Crossroads Ranch in Prescott, AZ. Currently our only telephone service comes from cellular telephones. While usually reliable, they have important weaknesses such as static, dropped calls, dead areas and the like. Also, if we would like to have Internet access, we need to purchase two way satellite systems.

We are a growing community that more than ever needs to have reliable communications and the ability to have 911 tracking for emergency calls for help from the Sheriff's Department, fire department and medical services.

We would greatly appreciate our application for the Midvale Telephone Co. to be approved as quickly as possible. Also we would like to request that our local calling area be extended to the Prescott tri-city area.

Thank you for your consideration in this important matter.

Sincerely,

John R. Krieger

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