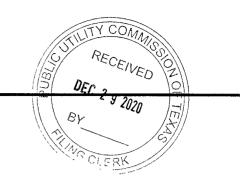


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Re: Project 30240 – Annual Progress Report on Five-Year Plan to Enhance Supplier and Workforce Diversity for Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

Dear Filing Clerk:

Pursuant to §26.85(e), enclosed for filing are two (2) copies of the Annual Progress Report on the implementation of the Five-Year Plan to Enhance Supplier and Workforce Diversity are being filed **confidential and exempt from disclosure** pursuant to Sections 552.101, 552.104 and/or 552.110 of the Texas Open Records Act due to the sensitive and confidential nature of the documents. This filing is being made in Project 30240 as the project designated for this report.

Consistent with the requirements of the approved rule, copies of this report are also being provided to: (1) the Governor; (2) Lieutenant Governor; (3) Speaker of the House; (4) Chair-House Mexican-American Caucus; (5) Chair-Texas Legislative Black Caucus, and (6) Chair-Texas Senate Hispanic Caucus.

If you have any questions concerning this report, please contact me at 903-758-0734.

Sincerely,

CURTIS BLAKELY & CO., P.C.

Tessa Fowler, CPA, CFE

TF/na P Enclosures

cc w/attachment Mrs. Sandra Cabrera, Valley

Governor of Texas

Lt. Governor of Texas

Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Rafael Anchia, Mexican-American Legislative Caucus The Honorable Helen Giddings, Texas Legislative Black Caucus

The Honorable Sylvia R. Garcia, Texas Senate Hispanic Caucus

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