STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. EC-23, SUB 50

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

BLUE RIDGE ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION,

Petitioner,

v.

CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES LLC,

Respondent.

BLUE RIDGE ELECTRIC
MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION'S
WITNESS LIST

Petitioner, Blue Ridge Electric Membership Corporation ("Blue Ridge") hereby provides the following list of all witnesses it may call to testify at the hearing in this matter, other than witnesses called solely for the purposes of rebuttal:

1. <u>Lee Layton</u>

Senior Vice President and Executive Consultant, Blue Ridge Electric Membership Corporation

Contact c/o Petitioner's Counsel

Matters to be Addressed in Testimony: The nature of electric membership cooperatives; Charter Communication Properties, LLC's ("Charter") attachment activities on Blue Ridge's system; safety issues and violations identified among Charter's attachments; the parties' pole attachment agreements and course of dealing thereunder; Blue Ridge's efforts to negotiate a new pole attachment agreement with Charter; the results of Blue Ridge's most recent inventory of Charter's attachments to Blue Ridge's poles.

2. Wilfred Arnett

Director, TRC Solutions, 6095 Professional Parkway, Suite 102-B, Douglasville, Georgia 30134

Matters to be Addressed in Testimony: Explanation of the rates that are just and reasonable for the Blue Ridge to charge Charter for attachments of Charter's facilities to Blue Ridge's distribution poles, including the rate formula adopted in 2016 by the Tennessee Valley Authority and the arguments raised in the testimony of Charter's expert witness, Patricia Kravtin.

3. Gregory L. Booth

President, PowerServices, Inc., 1616 E. Millbrook Road, Suite 210, Raleigh, NC 27609

Matters to be Addressed in Testimony: Impacts created by Charter's attachments to Blue Ridge's poles; actions and inactions of Charter that create significant impact and additional cost to the Blue Ridge; recommended provisions for incorporation into a pole attachment agreements necessary to protect Blue Ridge from the inappropriate actions and inactions of Charter in its use of Blue Ridge's poles, including adverse impact on the Blue Ridge, land owners and electric consumers.

4. All witnesses identified by Charter.

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Respectfully submitted, this 2nd day of November, 2017.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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