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RECORDING INFORMATION ABOVE

EASEMENT

Private Easement

The undersigned, Glen D. Cox and Nancy L. Cox, husband and wife, ("Grantors") for and in consideration of Mutual Benefits and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby grant and convey unto Qwest Corporation, a Colorado Corporation, ("Grantee") whose address is 1801 California St., Suite 5200, Denver, CO 80202, its successors, assigns, lessees, licensees, and agents a perpetual, non-exclusive easement to construct, reconstruct, modify, add to, operate, maintain, and remove such telecommunications facilities, specifically buried service wire, from time to time, as Grantee may require, under the following described property situated in the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, which the Grantors own or in which the Grantors have any interest ("Easement Area"), to wit:

A 10' wide x 249.24'long easement, for "as placed" buried service wire located on portion of Grantors' property more particularly described as: Lot 9, in Block 3 of TRACT 1203, COUNTRY VILLAGE, according to the official plat on file in the office of the County Clerk of Klamath County, Oregon, Assessor's Map No. 39 08 12A Tax Parcel 1400, and as shown on Exhibit A which is attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, all of which is situated in Section 12, Township 39S, Range 8 E of the W.M.

Grantors further convey to Grantee the right of ingress and egress to and from the Easement Area during all periods of construction, maintenance, installation, reinforcement, repair and removal over and across Grantors' lands with the right to clear and keep cleared all trees and other obstructions as may be necessary for Grantee's use and enjoyment of the Easement Area.

Grantee shall indemnify Grantors for all damages caused to Grantors as a result of Grantee's negligent exercise of the rights and privileges herein granted. Grantee shall have no responsibility for environmental contamination, which is either pre-existing or not caused by Grantee.

Grantors reserve the right to occupy, use and cultivate the Easement Area for all purposes not inconsistent with the rights herein granted.

Grantors covenant that Grantors are the fee simple owners of the Easement Area or have an interest in the Easement Area. Grantors will warrant and defend title to the Easement Area against all claims.

Grantors hereby covenant that no excavation, structure or obstruction will be constructed, or permitted on the Easement Area and no change will be made by grading or otherwise that would adversely affect Grantee's use and enjoyment of the Easement Area.

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The rights, conditions and provisions of this Agreement shall run with the land and shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon Grantors and Grantee and their respective successors and assigns.

Any claim, controversy or dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the applicable rules of the American Arbitration Association, and judgement upon the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. The arbitration shall be conducted in the county where the Easement Area is situated.

Private Easement Individual(s) as Grantors

Glen D. Cox
Sancy L. Cox

Nancy L. Cox GRANTORS

STATE OF OREGON

) ss:

COUNTY OF KLAMATH)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 31 day of 1000 day of 2003, by Glen D. Cox and Nancy L. Cox, husband and wife.

[NOTARY SEAL]

OFFICIAL SEAL
AMY C. FREEMAN
NOTARY PUBLIC-OREGON
COMMISSION NO. A 326591
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES AUG. 26, 2003

itness my hand and official seal:

Notary Public

My commission expires:

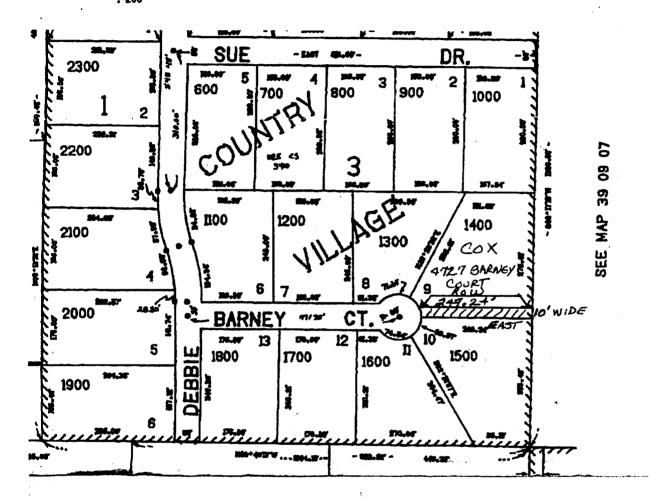
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