State Corporation Commission Docket No. 24-GIMT-612-GIT of Kansas Attachment 1

THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:	Andrew J. Free Dwight D. Kee Annie Kuether	en, Comr	nissioner			
In the Matter of Certification o with Section 254(e) of the Fede Telecommunications Act of 19 Certification of Appropriate Us Universal Service Fund Suppor	eral 96 and se of Kansas))))	Docket No	o. 24-GIN	ИТ-612-GIT	
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1. My title is	Vice President o	of Financ	<u>:e</u>			of
Mercury Wireless Kansas, LL0	2	_ (Compa	ny/Cooperat	ive). In the	nis capacity,	I am in a
position of authority to direct hor	w federal high-co	st Univer	sal Service I	Fund (USF), including I	Legacy or
Frozen high-cost Loop support (F	ICL/FHCS), Safe	ty Valve	support (SV	S), Connec	t America Co	ost Model
(CACM) support, Connect Americ	a Fund (CAF I/CA	AF II) sup	port, Alterna	tive Conne	ct America C	ost Model
(A-CAM/ACAM II) support, Rura	al Broadband Exp	eriment sı	apport (RBE)), Rural Di	gital Opportu	nity Fund
(RDOF) support, and/or Kansas U	Iniversal Service	Fund (KU	SF) support	received v	vill be used a	nd by this
certification I am binding Mer	cury Wireless Kar	nsas, LLC	(Compa	ıny/Coopei	rative) to the s	tatements
made in this certification.						
2. <u>Mercury W</u>	ireless Kansas, L	<u>LC</u>	_ (Company	/Cooperati	ve) was nam	ned as an
Eligible Telecommunications Car	rrier (ETC) by th	e Kansas	Corporation	Commiss	ion (KCC) fo	or federal
support purposes in Docket No1	19-MWKT-123-E	<u>TC</u>	by order date	ed2	15/2019.	
3. By this affidavit	, I certify that all fo	ederal hig	h-cost USF,	including I	ICL, FHCS, S	SVS, CAF
CAF II. A-CAM/ACAM II. RBI	RDOF and/or k	XUSF reco	eived by	Mercury W	ireless Kansa	s LLC

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and KCC requirements. is intended, consistent with Section 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act, and/or Kansas statutes year 2025 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support (Company/Cooperative) was used in the proceeding calendar year $\underline{2023}$ and will be used in the new calendar

(Pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. 53-601.) I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kansas that the foregoing is true and correct.

angela Tenbrink Signature

Angela Tenbrink
Printed/Typed Name

Executed on 6/27/2024

date.

Email address: <u>regulatory@mercurybroadband.com</u>

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Competitive ETC Investment and Expense Test for USF Certification

Company Name :	Mer	cury	Wireless Kansas	, LLC		_
All CETCs must complete this form to receive certification for its use of I additional pages, if necessary. If you have any questions, please email the		-			-	ments. Please attach
	Data Year		2023			
			AMOUNT FOR KANSAS	ALLOCATION PERCENT	F CODE (see Notes)	USF AMOUNT FOR FUSF AREAS (INCLUDE SWBT/AT&T Area if support is received for the
			Α	В	С	<mark>area)</mark> D=AxB
FUSF WORKING LOOPS/LINEAverage No. Customers			<u> </u>			D-AND
NEW INVESTMENTS: 1. SWITCHING 2.OUTSIDE PLANT (LOCAL LOOPS, CELL SITES)(1) SUBTOTAL NEW INVESTMENTS		\$	130,612 130,612			130,612 \$ 130,612
EXPENSES: 3. SWITCH MAINTENANCE 4. OUTSIDE PLANT MAINTENANCE 5. NETWORK SUPPORT 6. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE						- - -
SUBTOTAL EXPENSES		\$	-			\$ -
A. TOTAL CASH EXPENDITURES ASSD WITH USF		\$	130,612			\$ 130,612
B. CERTIFIED FUSF RECEIPTS FOR CETCS B1. Frozen High Cost Support B2. Mobility Fund Support B3. Rural Broadband Experiments Fund B4. CAF II Support			130,612			\$ -
B5. Rural Digital Opportunity Fund			36			36
B5. Total Certified Federal USF Receipts		\$	130,648			\$ 130,648
C. DO EXPENDITURES EXCEED FUSF RECEIPTS? (negative number means FUSF exceeds Expenditures)	No	\$	(36)		No	\$ (36)
Notes: 1) Exclude the cost of transport between switches (dial-tone and/or tandem). 2) Allocation Codes (describe how the costs are allocated): [the following are exa. Based on number of switched MOUs from USF supported cell sites. b. Based on actual expenditures at USF cell sites. An allocation of USF area to (i.e. 200,000 investment at Cell Site A, which serves 80% USF supported area, c. Based on percent of USF served areas to all areas.	total served	l area	is applied at each cell	site.		
Contact Name	e: Angela T	<u>Γenbr</u>	ink	Title:	Vice Presiden	nt of Finance
Phone No.	:	800	-354-4915	E-Mail:	regulatory@m	nercurybroadband.com

Narrative Report for New Investments

ETC Certification for Use of **USF** Support Provided to the Kansas Corporation Commission

Com	pany Nam	e: Mercur	y Wireless Indiana.	LLC d/b/a Mercur	Broadband	LLC
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Data Year: 2023

		Cash	Allocation		Amount Use in the USF Supported	
Town or Exchange	Description of Improvement	Investment	%	Notes	Areas	
A	В	С	D	Е	F= C x D	
Waterloo	Deployement of LTE-Advanced wireless infrastructure to provide internet and phone connectivity to CAF II supported CBGs located in or near this city	\$ 32,653.00	100%		\$ 32,653.0	0
Dawson	Deployement of LTE-Advanced wireless infrastructure to provide internet and phone connectivity to CAF II supported CBGs located in or near this city	\$ 32,653.00	100%		\$ 32,653.0	0
Wathena	Deployement of LTE-Advanced wireless infrastructure to provide internet and phone connectivity to CAF II supported CBGs located in or near this city	\$ 32,653.00	100%		\$ 32,653.0	_i O
Americus	Deployement of LTE-Advanced wireless infrastructure to provide internet and phone connectivity to CAF II supported CBGs located in or near this city	\$ 32,653.00	100%		\$ 32,653.0	Ю
Subtotal		\$ 130,612			\$ 130,61	2
Total		\$ 130,612			\$ 130,61	

NOTES:

This total amount should match the New Investment Subtotal on the USF Certification Form - Attachment 2a LINES (245 & 255). For CETCs, this amount should match the New

Contact: Angela Tenbrink Phone No.: 800-354-4915

Title: Vice President of Finance E-Mail: angela.tenbrink@mercurybroadband.com

Annual ETC Certification of Requirements Imposed by the Commission in Docket Number 06-GIMT-446-GIT

1. Did your company experience any outage in the prior calendar year, as that term is defined in 47 C.F.R. § 4.5, of at least 30 minutes in duration for each service area in which an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier is designated for any facilities it owns, operates, leases, or otherwise utilizes that potentially affect: (i) at least 10% of the end users served in a designated service area; or (ii) a 911 specialty facility as defined in 47 C.F.R. § 4.5(e)?

(Yes/No) NO . IF YES, PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

(1 c b i i i i	<u> </u>	I EEI INE C	01:11 == 11		10 11 11 100
Date and time of Onset of the Outage	Description of the Outage and its Resolution	Particular services affected	Geographic Areas Affected	Steps Taken to Prevent a Similar Situation in the Future	Number of Customers Affected

(If necessary, please provide additional pages.)

2. Please provide the number of requests for service from potential customers within the
recipient's service areas that were unfulfilled during the prior calendar year. If applicable,
please explain how your company attempted to provide service to those potential
customers.

There have been no unfulfilled requests for service in high-cost support areas in the past year.

3. Please provide the number of complaints per 1,000 connections (fixed or mobile) in the prior calendar year.

There were 5 total complaints in the past calendar year, and all have been resolved at this time.

service standards and a wireless ETC must certify that it is in compliance with the CTIA 4. A wireline ETC must certify that it is in compliance with the Commission's quality of Please complete the following, as applicable to your company:

QUALITY OF SERVICE WIRELINE ANNUAL CERTIFICATION KCC Docket Reference: 06-GIMT-446-GIT

(Please type or print legibly)

- authority to certify whether the Company/ Cooperative is complying with required quality of service d/b/a Mercury Broadband, LLC standards. (Company/Cooperative) to the statements made in this certification. I am binding My title is Vice President of Finance Mercury Wireless Kansas, (Company/ Cooperative). In this capacity, I am in a position of LLC d/b/a of Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC Mercury Broadband,
- standards as adopted in Docket No. 191,206-U. Broadband, LLC By this affidavit, I certify that Mercury Wireless (Company/ Cooperative) is in compliance with the Commission's quality of service Kansas, LLC d/b/a Mercury

and correct. (Pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. 53-601.) Executed on 6/27/2024. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kansas that the foregoing is true

angela Tenbrine
Signature
Angela Tenbrink
Printed/Typed Name

QUALITY OF SERVICE <u>WIRELESS</u> ANNUAL CERTIFICATION KCC Docket Reference: 06-GIMT-446-GIT

(Please type or print legibly)

- to certify whether the Company/ Cooperative is complying with required quality of service standards Mercury Broadband, LLC am (Company/Cooperative) to the statements made in this certification. binding My title is Mercury (Company/ Cooperative). In this capacity, I am in a position of authority Vice President of Finance Wireless Kansas, of Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a LLC d/b/a Mercury Broadband
- Broadband, LLC By this affidavit, I certify that (Company/ Cooperative) is in compliance with the CTIA Code Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a Mercury

and correct. (Pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. 53-601.) Executed on 6/27/2024 I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kansas that the foregoing is true

angela Tenbrink
Signature

Angela Tenbrink

Print / Typed Name

C.F.R § 54.202(a)(2). 5. Each ETC must certify that it will be able to function in an emergency as set forth in 47

ABILITY TO FUNCTION IN AN EMERGENCY ANNUAL CERTIFICATION KCC Docket Reference: 06-GIMT-446-GIT

(Please type or print legibly)

- statements made in this certification. Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a Mercury Broadband, LLC to certify whether the Company/ Cooperative is able to function in an emergency. I am binding Mercury Broadband, LLC_(Company/ Cooperative). In this capacity, I am in a position of authority My title is Vice President of Finance of Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a (Company/Cooperative) to the
- Broadband, LLC By this affidavit, I certify that Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a Mercury _(Company/ Cooperative) is capable of functioning in an emergency.

6/27/2024. true I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kansas that the foregoing and correct. (Pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. 53-601.) Executed on

Angela Tenbrink	0 Signature	angela Tenbrink
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Printed / Typed Name

general distribution." Please complete the following: services) throughout the service area for which it has been designated "using media of 6. 47 U.S.C. § 214(e)(1)(B) requires every ETC to advertise its services (including Lifeline

(If necessary, please attach additional pages.)

The Simpler Life - Connected	Direct Mail	Anderson, Atchison, Doniphan, Douglas, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Leavenworth, Lyon, Miami, Montgomery, Morris, Osage, Pottawatomie, Riley, Shawnee, Wyandotte Counties	March, 2023
The Best Things in Life are Simple	Direct Mail	Anderson, Atchison, Douglas, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Leavenworth, Lyon, Miami, Morris, Osage, Pottawatomie, Riley, Shawnee, Wyandotte Counties	April, 2023
The Best Things in Life are Simple	Direct Mail	Anderson, Douglas, Doniphan, Franklin, Jefferson, Johnson, Leavenworth, Osage, Pottawatomie, Riley, Shawnee Counties	May, 2023
The Best Things in Life are Simple	Direct Mail	Doniphan, Douglas, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Leavenworth, Miami, Montgomery, Morris, Osage Counties	June, 2023
The Best Things in Life are Simple	Direct Mail	Doniphan, Douglas, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Leavenworth, Miami, Osage Counties	July, 2023
Where Connection Meets Community	Direct Mail	Doniphan County	September, 2023
Where Connection Meets Community	Direct Mail	Anderson, Atchison, Coffey, Dickinson, Geary, Jackson, Johnson, Lyon, Miami, Osage, Pottawatomie, Shawnee Counties	October, 2023
Where Connection Meets Community	Direct Mail	Brown, Doniphan, Jackson, Nemaha, Norton Counties	November, 2023
Mercury Open Plan	Direct Mail	Dickinson, Marion, Morris, Saline Counties	December, 2023
Transform Your Internet Experience	Marketing Email		Contombon
	Marketing Eman	Atchison, Leavenworth	September, 2023
Upgrade Your Internet and Save	Marketing Email Marketing Email	Atchison, Leavenworth Atchison, Leavenworth	_
Upgrade Your Internet and Save Unlimited Internet, Unbeatable Value			2023
Unlimited Internet, Unbeatable	Marketing Email	Atchison, Leavenworth Brown, Geary, Johnson, Leavenworth, Lyon, Marshall, Miami, Morris,	2023 October, 2023 November,
Unlimited Internet, Unbeatable Value	Marketing Email Marketing Email Search, Display,	Atchison, Leavenworth Brown, Geary, Johnson, Leavenworth, Lyon, Marshall, Miami, Morris, Pottawatomie, Riley Counties Anderson, Atchison, Brown, Coffey, Douglas, Doniphan, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Leavenworth, Lyon, Miami, Osage, Pottawatomie, Shawnee,	2023 October, 2023 November, 2023

		Miami, Osage, Pottawatomie, Shawnee, Wabaunsee Counties	Nov-Dec, 2023
Video commercials on Broadcast Television		Anderson, Atchison, Brown, Coffey, Douglas, Doniphan, Franklin, Jackson,	Jan-Sept, 2023
Stations Television	Jefferson, Johnson, Leavenworth, Lyon, Miami, Osage, Pottawatomie, Shawnee, Wabaunsee Counties	Nov-Dec, 2023	
Video Commercials on streaming Over The Top Video		Anderson, Atchison, Brown, Coffey, Douglas, Doniphan, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Leavenworth, Lyon,	Jan-Jul, 2023
services Over the top video	serierson, somison, iba ven worth, Lyon,		
		Miami, Osage, Pottawatomie, Shawnee, Wabaunsee Counties	Nov-Dec, 2023

7. A competitive ETC must certify that it offers a local usage plan comparable to that of the incumbent LEC. Please provide a description of the local usage plan(s) that is comparable to that of the incumbent LEC and complete the certification.

Technology	Package	Download Bandwidth (Mbps)	Upload Bandwidth (Mbps)	Capacity Allowance (GB)	Bro	ercury adband MSRO	24 FCC nchmark
Terrestrial Fixed Wireless	Mercury Foundation	30	10	Unlimited	\$	50.00	\$ 92.17
Terrestrial Fixed Wireless	Mercury Essential	70	10	Unlimited	\$	65.00	\$ 91.11
Terrestrial Fixed Wireless	Mercury Enhanced	150	20	Unlimited	\$	99.00	\$ 102.70
Fiber-to-the-Premises	Mercury Essential Fiber	100	20	Unlimited	\$	79.00	\$ 92.24
Fiber-to-the-Premises	Mercury Enhanced Fiber	500	100	Unlimited	\$	99.00	\$ 119.73
Fiber-to-the-Premises	Mercury Gigabit Fiber	1,000	1,000	Unlimited	\$	119.00	\$ 134.35
Voice Service	Mercury @ Home Phone Service	-	-	Unlimited local & long- distance calling to all U.S. destinations, territoroes, and most destinations in Canada	\$	20.00	\$ 55.13

2024 US Benchmark rates obtained from the 2024 Broadband Benchmark Rate Calculator: https://www.fcc.gov/economicsanalytics/industry-analysis-division/urban-rate-survey-data-resources

COMPARABLE LOCAL USAGE PLAN ANNUAL CERTIFICATION KCC Docket Reference: 06-GIMT-446-GIT

(Please type or print legibly)

1. My title is <u>Vice President of Finance</u> of <u>Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a Mercury Broadband, LLC</u> (Company/ Cooperative). In this capacity, I am in a position of authority to certify whether the Company/ Cooperative offers a local usage plan comparable to that of the

incumbent. I am binding <u>Mercury Wireless Kansas</u>, <u>LLC d/b/a Mercury Broadband</u>, <u>LLC (Company/Cooperative)</u> to the statements made in this certification.

2. By this affidavit, I certify that Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC d/b/a Mercury Broadband, LLC (Company/ Cooperative) offers a local usage plan comparable to that of the incumbent.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Kansas that the foregoing is true and correct. (Pursuant to Kan. Stat. Ann. 53-601.) Executed on 6/27/2024.

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Signature

Angela Tenbrink

Printed/Typed Name

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Filing Type and Contact Info

Filing Type

This information has been preselected based on High Cost and Lifeline program support paid out in the previous cale	ndar year. If
you think the filing type is incorrect, please contact USAC.	

High Cost (Section 54.313)
Lifeline (Section 54.422)

alexis.nelson@mercurybroadband.com

Contact Information

Include contact information for the person best able to answer questions about this form.

Contact Name (030) Alexis Nelson Phone # (035) Ext. (optional) (800)354-4915 (xxx) xxx-xxxx Contact Email Address (039)

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Service Outage Reporting (Voice) (200)

Reportable Outages

For the prior cale	dar year, were there any reportable voice service outages? (21	0)
Yes	No	
Upload Service Outa	a Data (220)	
optoad Service Outag	; Data (220)	

Service Outage Data Template csv

CSV only

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Number of Complaints per 1,000 Customers (400)

Report Voice Complaints

cal	w you would like to report voice complaints (zero or greate endar year for each service area in which you are designate se, or otherwise utilize. (400)	
	Enter complaints per 1000 customers for fixed voice (410)	
	Enter complaints per 1000 customers for mobile voice (420)	

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Compliance with Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules (500)

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Compliance	with	Minimum	Service	Standards	(515)
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Does th	ne carrier d	comply with	applic	able	minimu	m servi	ce stand	lards?
	Yes			No				

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Functionality in Emergency Situations (600)

Certify

Functionality in Emergency Situations Certification (600)
Is the carrier able to function in emergency situations? Yes No
Descriptive Document for Functionality in Emergency Situations (610)
FCC 481 600 Compliance.pdf (200 KB)
PDF only

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Operating Companies (800)

Carrier Names

Reporting	Carrier	(810)
reporting	, carrier	(0±0)

Mercury Wireless Kansas, LLC

Holding Company (811)



Mercury Broadband, LLC.

Validate the information listed above (811) by selecting one of the following:

Holding Company/Affiliate name listed above is correct. (811A)
Holding Company/Affiliate name listed above is NOT correct. (811B)

The correct Holding Company/Affiliate name

is (811C):

This study area does not have a Holding Company/Affiliate name. (811D)

Operating Company

Operating Company (812)

Mercury Broadband, LLC

Upload Operating Company Data (813A, 813B, 813C) (Optional)

Operating Company Data Template csv



FCC 481 800 Operating Co.csv (431 BYTES)



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Tribal Lands Reporting (900)

Tribal Land Servi	ces	
Does the filing	gentity offer Tribal land services	s? (900)
Yes	No	
Tribal Land(s)	on which ETC Serves (910)	
Tribal Gover	nment Engagement Obligation	
(920)		
PDF only		
Confirm Statuses		
Select Yes, No, o	or NA for each of the below to conf	firm the status described on the attached PDF (920)
demonstrates c	oordination with the Tribal govern	nment pursuant to Section 54.313(a)(5) includes:
Needs assess	ment and deployment planning	with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions (921)
Yes	No	○ NA
Feasibility and	d sustainability planning (922)	
Yes	No	○ NA
Marketing ser	vices in a culturally sensitive ma	anner (923)
Yes	No	○ NA
Compliance w	ith Rights of way processes (924	1)

No

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> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements (925) Yes No NA Compliance with Facilities Siting rules (926) No NA Compliance with Environmental Review processes (927) Yes No NA Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes (928) No NA Yes Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements (929) Yes No NA

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Voice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability (1000)

Certify Voice

Voice Services Rate Com	parability Ce	ertification	(1000))
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Is the carrier's pricing of fixed voice services no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rate for voice service? If you answer No to line 1000, please provide an explanation for non-compliance.

Yes	No	Not Applicable

Attach Detailed Description for Voice Services Rate Comparability Compliance (1010)



PDF, XLS, XLSX only

Certify Broadband

Broadband Comparability Certification (1020)

Does the carrier's broadband services pricing meet one of the following criteria? If you answer No to line 1020, please provide an explanation for non-compliance.

Yes - Pricing is no more than the most recent applicable benchmark announced by the Wireline Competition Bureau.
Yes - Pricing is no more than the non-promotional price charged for a comparable fixed wireline service in urban areas in the states or U.S. Territories where the eligible telecommunications carrier receives support.
No - Unable to certify broadband rate comparability
Not Applicable.
Yes - CETC Alaska Plan participant certifies that one plan it offers is substantially similar to a service plan offered by at least one mobile wireless service provider in the cellular market area of Anchorage, Alaska

and offered for the same or a lower rate than the matching plan in the cellular market area.

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Attach Detailed Description for Broadband Rate Comparability Compliance (1030)



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Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting (1100)

Certify	•		
	Terrestrial Backhaul Certi	fication (1100)	
	Do terrestrial backhaul option	ons exist?	
	Yes	No	
	Select the appropriate res	sponse to confirm the repo	orting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1
	Mbps downstream and 25	6 kbps upstream within th	ne supported area pursuant to Section 54.313(g)
	(1130)		
	Yes	No	Not Applicable
	Alaska Plan Satellite Back	chaul Certification (1140)	
	Is the carrier providing servi	ce consistent with its appro	ved performance plan in the portion(s) of its study
	area that relies exclusively o	n satellite backhaul?	
	Yes	No	Not Applicable

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Lifeline Terms and Conditions (1200)

subscribers (1221)

Upload Document or Link Website
Upload a descriptive document(s) AND/OR reference a specific link to your company's website.
Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans (1210)
PDF only
AND/OR
Link to Public Website(1220)
Confirm Information
Check these boxes below to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the
required information pursuant to Section 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers
must annually report:
Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline

Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan (1222)

Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan (1223)

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Price Cap Data (2005)

Certify

Select the appropriate responses below to note compliance as a recipient of frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR 54.313(c), (d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Price Cap Carrier Receiving Frozen Support Certification (2015)
Does the carrier certify compliance with the requirements in 47 CFR Section 54.312(a)?
Yes No NA
Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support (2016)
Does the carrier certify compliance with the requirements in 47 CFR Section 54.313(d)?
Yes No NA
Enter total amount of Phase II support, if any, that the price cap carrier used for capital expenditures in 2022. (2017C)
\$x.xx
\$x.xx
YA.AA
\$7.77X
Price Cap Community Anchor Institutions (2018A)
Price Cap Community Anchor Institutions (2018A)
Price Cap Community Anchor Institutions (2018A) Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broadband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous
Price Cap Community Anchor Institutions (2018A) Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broadband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous calendar year.

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Sac: 419045 498 ID: 143036583 3060-0819 (Low Income), December 2020 **Program Year: 2025**

Please Provide Attachment (2018B)

Attach a document to this line to provide the number, names and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the recipient newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.

Community Anchor Template xLS

XLSM only

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Rate of Return Data (3005)

Certify

Select from the drop down menus or check the boxes below to note compliance with 54.313(f)(1). Privately held carriers must ensure compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

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Does this filing retain a Cost Consultant and/or Firm, or other Third Party to prepare financial and operations data disclosures submitted to the National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA), USAC, of the Administrator? (3007)
Yes No
Name of Consultant (3007A) Name of Consultant Firm/Third Party (3007B)
+Another Consultant
Certification of Public Interest Obligations (3010A)
Does the carrier certify compliance with the requirements in 47 CFR Sections 54.313(f)(1)(i)?
Yes - Attach Explanation No - Attach Explanation
Not Applicable - No Attachment Required
Please Provide Attachment (3010B)
PDF, XLS, XLSX, DOC, DOCX only
Rate-of-Return Community Anchor Institutions (3012A)
Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broadband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous
calendar year.

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If the respo	nse is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026
pursuant to	§ 54.313(f)(2), contains:
	Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers (3019)
	Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows (3020)
	Management letter and/or audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit (3021)
	Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers (3022)
	Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant (3023)
	Underlying information subjected to an officer certification (3024)
	Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows (3025)
Workshee	et Listing (3026)
PDF, XLS, >	KLSX, DOC, DOCX only
Financial Data :	Summary
Enter the spe	cified financial data below which is located on your RUS Report (attached on Line 3017) or your
reviewed/aud	dited financial statements (attached on Line 3026).
Revenue ((3027)
Operating	Expenses (3028)

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Rural Broadband Experiment Data (4005)

Certify

Public Interest Obligations (4001)
Per FCC 14-98 (paragraphs 26-29 and 78), recipient certifies that it is offering broadband meeting the requisite
public interest obligations consistent with the category for which they were selected, including broadband speed,
latency, usage capacity, and rates that are reasonably comparable to rates for comparable offerings in urban
areas.
Yes No
RBE Community Anchor Institutions (4003A)
Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broadband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous
calendar year.
Yes - Attach New Community Anchors
No - No New Community Anchors

Please Provide Attachment (4003B)

Using link, download template and list the number, name and address for each community anchor institution. As required by FCC 14-98 (paragraph 79), attach the document which contains the community anchor institution details.

Community Anchor Template XLS

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Alaska Plan Participants (5005)

Certify Terrestrial Backhaul

Newly Available Terrestrial or other Satellite Backhaul (RoR Carriers) (5011)

Indicate whether any terrestrial backhaul or other satellite backhaul became commercially available in the previous calendar year in areas previously served exclusively by performance-limiting satellite backhaul.

Yes No

Newly Available Terrestrial or other Satellite Backhaul (CETC Carriers) (5012)

If the filing carrier identified in its approved performance plans that it relies exclusively on satellite backhaul for a certain portion of the population in its service area, indicate whether any terrestrial backhaul or other satellite backhaul became commercially available in the previous calendar year in areas that were previously served exclusively by satellite backhaul.

Yes No

Upload Backhaul Technology Data (5013A - 5013C)

Backhaul Data Template

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Phase II Auction Reporting (6005)

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New York Funds Certification (6011)	
Certify regarding whether the recipient has	available funds for all project costs that will exceed the amount of
support that will be received for the next ca	lendar year. This certification must be provided starting the first July
after receiving support until the recipient's p	penultimate year of support.
Yes No Community Anchor Institutions (6012a)	
Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broad	lband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous
calendar year.	
Yes - Attach New Community And	chor No - No New Community Anchor
Using the template, upload a document with a nu	umber, name and address for each community anchor institution. (6012b)
Community Anchor Template LLS	

FCC Form 470 Postings (6013)

For the filing due July 1 following full implementation of this requirement answer this certification request.

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Yes	No	Not Applicable

Post-Final Deployment Milestone Performance Certification (6014)

Starting the first July 1 after meeting the final service milestone, certify that the Phase II-funded network that the Phase II auction recipient operated in the prior year meets the relevant performance requirements in Section 54.309.



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Phase-Down Support Reporting (7005)

Certify

Price Cap Carrier and Fixed Competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Transitional Support Requirement Certification. (7010)

This certification request applies to any price cap carrier or fixed competitive eligible telecommunications carrier that elects to continue receiving support pursuant to Section 54.312(d) or Section 54.307(e)(2)(iii) starting July 1, 2020, and annually thereafter on July 1 for each subsequent year they receive such support. These carriers must use this support throughout specific high-cost and extremely high-cost census blocks where they continue to have the federal high-cost ETC obligation to provide voice service pursuant to Section 54.201(d) at rates that are reasonably comparable to comparable offerings in urban areas. Per Section 54.313(m), does the carrier certify that they used all such support received in the previous year to provide voice service in compliance with the above obligation?

Yes	No
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Puerto Rico Fixed and Mobile Funds Certification (8005)

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tify Fixed
Capital Expenditures (8010)
Enter the total amount of Uniendo a Puerto Rico Stage 2 fixed support, if any, the carrier used for capital
expenditures. \$x.xx
Available Funds Certification (8011)
Certify (either yes or no) regarding whether the recipient has available funds for all project costs that will exceed the amount of support that will be received for the next calendar year. This certification must be provided starting
the first July 1 after receiving support until the recipient's penultimate year of support. Yes No
Community Anchor Institutions (8012A)
Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broadband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous calendar year.
Yes - Attach New Community Anchors No - No New Community Anchors
Please Provide Attachment (8012B)
Using link, download template and list the number, name and address for each community anchor institution. As

required by 47 CFR Section 54.313(e)(2)(i)(A), attach the document which contains the community anchor institution details.

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certification request.	

Not Applicable

Post-Final Deployment Milestone Performance Certification (8014)

Starting the first July 1 after meeting the final service milestone, certify (yes or no) that the Uniendo a Puerto Rico Stage 2-funded network that the Stage 2 recipient operated in the prior year meets the relevant performance requirements in Section 54.309.



Support Reimbursement Certification (8020)

54.313(n): Recipients of Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund Stage 2 fixed support shall certify that such support was not used for costs that are (or will be) reimbursed by other sources of support, including of federal or local government aid or insurance reimbursements; and that support was not used for other purposes, such as the retirement of company debt unrelated to eligible expenditures, or other expenses not directly related to network restoration, hardening, and expansion consistent with the framework of the Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund.



Disaster Preparedness and Response Documentation (8030)

54.313(n): Recipients of fixed support from Stage 2 of the Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund shall certify that they have conducted an annual review of the documentation required by section 54.1515(a)-(c) to determine the need for and to implement changes or revisions to disaster preparation and recovery documentation.

Yes	No

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Support Reimbursement (8040)

54.313(n): Recipients of Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund Stage 2 mobile support shall certify that such support was not used for costs that are (or will be) reimbursed by other sources of support, including of federal or local government aid or insurance reimbursements; and that support was not used for other purposes, such as the retirement of company debt unrelated to eligible expenditures, or other expenses not directly related to network restoration, hardening, and expansion consistent with the framework of the Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund.

Yes		No
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Disaster Preparedness and Response Documentation (8050)

54.313(n): Recipients of mobile support from Stage 2 of the Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund shall certify that they have conducted an annual review of the documentation required by section 54.1515(a)-(c) to determine the need for and to implement changes or revisions to disaster preparation and recovery documentation.



Mobile Disbursements Certification (8060)

54.313(o): Recipients of Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund Stage 2 mobile support shall certify that they are in compliance with all requirements for receipt of such support to continue receiving Stage 2 mobile disbursements.



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Transitional Support (8070)

Recipients of transitional support under Section 54.1516 shall certify that such support was not used for costs that are or will be reimbursed by other sources of support, or expenses not directly related to network restoration, hardening, and expansion consistent with the framework of the Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund. Transitional support recipients shall certify that they have conducted an annual review to determine that their disaster preparation and recovery documentation is up to date, as required by Section 54.1515(a) through (c) or Section 54.1524. Answer yes or no if carrier is compliant with 54.313(q).

Yes No

Spending Plans for Recipients of Legacy Frozen Phase-Down Support (8080)

For annual reports due in 2024, 2025, and 2026, recipients of frozen high-cost support under Section 54.1504(b) shall certify that such support received after June 1, 2023 was used for resiliency and redundancy measures and to maintain their voice and broadband network footprint.

Yes No

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Connect USVI Fixed and Mobile Funds Certification (9005)

Certify Fixed
Capital Expenditures (9010)
Enter the total amount of Connect USVI Fund Stage 2 fixed support, if any, the carrier used for capital expenditures.
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Available Funds Certification (9011)
Certify (either yes or no) regarding whether the recipient has available funds for all project costs that will exceed
the amount of support that will be received for the next calendar year. This certification must be provided startin
the first July 1 after receiving support until the recipient's penultimate year of support.
Yes No
Community Anchor Institutions (9012A)
Indicate if the carrier newly deployed broadband service to community anchor institution(s) in the previous
calendar year.
Yes - Attach New Community Anchors No - No New Community Anchors

Please Provide Attachment (9012B)

Using link, download template and list the number, name and address for each community anchor institution. As required by 47 CFR Section 54.313(e)(2)(i)(A), attach the document which contains the community anchor institution details.



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FCC Form 470 Postings (9013)

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certification request.	

Not Applicable

Post-Final Deployment Milestone Performance Certification (9014)

Starting the first July 1 after meeting the final service milestone, certify (yes or no) that the Connect USVI Fund Stage 2-funded network that the Stage 2 recipient operated in the prior year meets the relevant performance requirements in Section 54.309.

Not Applicable

Support Reimbursement Certification (9020)

54.313(n): Recipients of Connect USVI Fund Stage 2 fixed support shall certify that such support was not used for costs that are (or will be) reimbursed by other sources of support, including of federal or local government aid or insurance reimbursements; and that support was not used for other purposes, such as the retirement of company debt unrelated to eligible expenditures, or other expenses not directly related to network restoration, hardening, and expansion consistent with the framework of the Connect USVI Fund.

Disaster Preparedness and Response Documentation (9030)

54.313(n): Recipients of fixed support from Stage 2 of the Connect USVI Fund shall certify that they have conducted an annual review of the documentation required by section 54.1515(a)-(c) to determine the need for and to implement changes or revisions to disaster preparation and recovery documentation.

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Support Reimbursement (9040)

54.313(n): Recipients of Connect USVI Fund Stage 2 mobile support shall certify that such support was not used for costs that are (or will be) reimbursed by other sources of support, including of federal or local government aid or insurance reimbursements; and that support was not used for other purposes, such as the retirement of company debt unrelated to eligible expenditures, or other expenses not directly related to network restoration, hardening, and expansion consistent with the framework of the Connect USVI Fund.

Yes	No

Disaster Preparedness and Response Documentation (9050)

54.313(n): Recipients of mobile support from Stage 2 of the Connect USVI Fund shall certify that they have conducted an annual review of the documentation required by Section 54.1515(a)-(c) to determine the need for and to implement changes or revisions to disaster preparation and recovery documentation.



Mobile Disbursements Certification (9060)

54.313(o): Recipients of Connect USVI Fund Stage 2 mobile support shall certify that they are in compliance with all requirements for receipt of such support to continue receiving Stage 2 mobile disbursements.

Yes	No

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Transitional Support (9070)

Recipients of transitional support under Section 54.1516 shall certify that such support was not used for costs that are or will be reimbursed by other sources of support, or expenses not directly related to network restoration, hardening, and expansion consistent with the framework of the Connect USVI Fund. Transitional support recipients shall certify that they have conducted an annual review to determine that their disaster preparation and recovery documentation is up to date, as required by Section 54.1515(a) through (c) or Section 54.1524. Answer yes or no if carrier is compliant with 54.313(q).



Spending Plans for Recipients of Legacy Frozen Phase-Down Support (9080)

For annual reports due in 2024, 2025, and 2026, recipients of frozen high-cost support under Section 54.1504(b) shall certify that such support received after June 1, 2023 was used for resiliency and redundancy measures and to maintain their voice and broadband network footprint.



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Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Reporting (10005)

Certify RDOF

Capital Expenditures (10010)

Starting the first July 1 after receiving support until the July 1 after the recipient's support term has ended, recipients of Rural Digital Opportunity Fund support must submit the total amount of support, if any, the recipient used for capital expenditures in the previous calendar year. This is required by 47 C.F.R. Section 54.313(e)(2)(i)(B).

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Available Funds Certification (10011)

Please provide a response (either yes or no) to this certification request for any recipient of Rural Digital Opportunity Fund support that the recipient has available funds for all project costs that will exceed the amount of support that will be received for the next calendar year. This certification must be provided starting the first July 1 after receiving support until the recipient's penultimate year of support, as required by required by 47 C.F.R. Section 54.313(e)(2)(ii).



Yes



No

Community Anchor Institutions (10012A)

Recipients of Rural Digital Opportunity Fund support must attach a list containing the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the eligible telecommunications carrier newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year. This filing is required by 47 C.F.R. Section 54.313(e)(2)(i)(A).



Yes - Attach New Community Anchors



No - No New Community Anchors

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Please Provide Attachment (10012B)

Using link, download template and list the number, name and address for each community anchor institution. As required by 47 CFR Section 54.313(e)(2)(i)(A), attach the document which contains the community anchor institution details.

Community Anchor Template LLS

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FCC Form 470 Postings (10013)

For the filing due July 1st following full implementation of this requirement, please provide a response (either yes, no, or not applicable) to this certification request. Recipients of Rural Digital Opportunity Fund must respond affirmatively that they bid on category one telecommunications and Internet access services in response to all FCC Form 470 postings seeking broadband service that meets the connectivity targets for the schools and libraries universal service support program for eligible schools and libraries (as described in Section 54.501) located within any area in a census block where the carrier is receiving Rural Digital Opportunity Fund, and that such bids were at rates reasonable comparable to rates charged to eligible schools and libraries in urban areas for Instructions for Completing FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986 (High-Cost) OMB Control No. 3060-0819 (Low-Income)

November 2020 Page 44 comparable offerings. This filing is required by 47 C.F.R. Section 54.313(e)(2)(i)(C). This certification will not be required until the July 1st following the E-Rate program year that this obligation has been fully implemented. Modernizing the E-Rate Program for Schools and Libraries et al., WC Docket. Nos. 13-184, 10-90, 29 FCC Rcd 15538, 15566-67, para. 72 (2014).



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Post-Final Deployment Milestone Performance Certification (10014)

Starting the first July 1st after a Rural Digital Opportunity Fund recipient meets its final service milestone until the July 1st after the support recipient's support term has ended, please provide a response (either yes, no, or not applicable) that the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund-funded network that the support recipient operated in the prior year meets the relevant performance requirements in 47 C.F.R. Section 54.309. This filing is required by 47 C.F.R. Section 54.313(e)(2)(iii).



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Certifications

Supply Chain Certifications

Section 54.9: Prohibition on the Use of Funds

I certify under penalty of perjury that no universal service support has been or will be used to purchase, obtain, maintain, improve, or otherwise support any equipment or services produced or provided by any company designated by the Federal Communications Commission as posing a national security threat to the integrity of communications

networks or the communications supply chain since the effective date of the designations.

If **No** is selected, a waiver is required for each SAC which is not certified.



Yes



No

Upload Waiver Document

PDF only

Section 54.10: Prohibition on the Use of Certain Federal Subsidies

I certify that no federal subsidy made available through a program administered by the Commission that provides funds to be used for the capital expenditures necessary for the provision of advanced communications services has been or will be used to purchase, rent, lease, or otherwise obtain, any covered communications equipment or service, or maintain any covered communications equipment or service previously purchased, rented, leased, otherwise obtained, as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 54.10.

If **No** is selected, a waiver is required for each SAC which is not certified.



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No

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Section 54.11: Requirements to Remove and Replace

Prior to answering, review section 54.11 of the Commission's rules (47 CFR Section 54.11). Answer Yes if either (1) you comply with section 54.11(a), meaning you do not use covered communications equipment or services, or (2) section 54.11(d) applies to you, meaning you are not yet subject to section 54.11(a) because you are a Reimbursement Program recipient with an unexpired removal, replacement, and disposal term per section 1.50004(h) of the Commission's rules (47 CFR Section 1.50004(h)). Answer No if you do not comply with section 54.11(a), meaning you do use covered communications equipment or services.





Accuracy Certifications

Certify



I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.



I understand that making willful false statements in any part of this report and/or in these certifications is punishable by fine or imprisonment pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Sections 416(c), 503(b)(1)(B), and 18 U.S.C. Section 1001.

Signature

(Officer Name	Title
	Angela Tenbrink	Vice President of Finance
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I understand this is a digital signature, and is the same as if I signed my name with a pen.