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TO: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FROM: DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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RE: Universal Service and Speech/Hearing-Impaired Funds Status

Docket # 10-999-04

Attached for your information is the latest status report on the Utah Universal Service Fund and the Speech/Hearing-Impaired Fund. All reported amounts are proprietary.

The Universal Service Fund showed a balance of \$4,721,613 at the end of August, which was a decrease of \$486,589 from the previous month. USF disbursements for the month totaled \$547,144. There were no Lifeline reimbursements during the month. Revenues for August totaled \$60,555. The fund balance has ranged between \$7.7 and \$4.7 million for the last 12 months.

During the month of August, the Speech/Hearing-Impaired Fund had expenditures of \$71,601. This total includes \$64,957 for professional and technical services, \$2,320 for operating supplies and maintenance, \$3,662 for travel reimbursement. The fund balance at the end of August was \$1,327,771. This fund balance has generally declined slightly each month since September 2006 when it was at a high of \$4.4 million. The high and low fund balances for the past 12 months were \$1.9 and \$1.3 million respectively. Expenditures from this fund are used primarily for the training and education of interpreters and to provide special telephone equipment for the hearing impaired.

Attachments (12)

