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October 12, 2017

Advice Letter No. NCC-17-03

Mr. Gary Widerburg  
Commission Administrator  
Public Service Commission of Utah  
Heber M. Wells Building  
160 East 300 South,  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

**RE: Navajo Communications Company, Inc. d/b/a Frontier Navajo  
Communications Company – Lifeline Telephone Service ineligible programs**

Dear Mr. Widerburg:

Navajo Communications Company, Inc. d/b/a Frontier Navajo Communications Company hereby submits an electronic filing of revised tariff sheets.

The purpose of this filing is due to the expiration of waiver of FCC rules that become effective October 31, 2017. This filing is to remove ineligible programs from the Lifeline Telephone Service.

It is respectfully requested that this filing become effective on November 1, 2017.

Please direct any questions or notifications of action taken on this filing to Leslie Zink at (585) 777-4717, or [Leslie.zink@fr.com](mailto:Leslie.zink@fr.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Leslie Zink".

Leslie Zink  
Sr. Manager, Pricing & Tariffs

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Enclosures

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2017, a true copy of the foregoing filing was sent via email to the following:

Gary Widerburg, PSC of Utah

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Respectfully submitted,



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**EXCHANGE TELEPHONE SERVICE**

CONDITIONS

Access Line Service

1. Two and Eight Party Services were frozen as of March 1, 1984 and are limited to existing customers in existing locations.
2. Access Line Service is furnished with rotary service as the standard signaling arrangement. Rates for Touch Tone Calling Service are shown in Section 20.
3. The rates for access line service do not include a telephone set with the line.
4. Service Connection Charges for Access Lines are located in Section 15.
5. The Company reserves the right to serve a customer via Rural Radio transmission when physical cable is not feasible.
6. Rural Radio is one party service, which is only available at the Company's option to new customers or existing customers whose facilities are in need of major repair.
7. If Rural Radio is used, the customer will receive Local service from the exchange from which the dial tone is transmitted even though they may be physically located in another exchange. Therefore, calls within the customer's physical exchange will be subject to normal toll charges.
8. The utility shall provide Lifeline telephone service to any applicant that self-certifies that they are currently eligible (though it is not necessary that they be participating) for public assistance under one of the following programs:

Medicaid;  
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program;  
Supplemental Security Income;  
Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8);

Veterans Pension Benefit;<sup>1</sup>  
Veterans Survivors Pension Benefit<sup>1</sup>

"Applicant," – means the eligible telecommunications customer who owns and resides in a residential property or rents and resides in a residential property.

Self-certification forms will be available at the Utility.

<sup>1</sup> Effective December 2, 2016, in compliance with the FCC Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration, WC Docket No. 11-42 (rel. April 27, 2016), Veterans Pension Benefit and Survivors Pension Benefit is a criterion for the federal Lifeline program. Subscribers qualified under this criterion will receive only the federal Lifeline discount.