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--= MEMORANDUM =--

**TO:** PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

**FROM:** DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES  
Chris Parker, Division Director  
William Duncan, Manager, Telecommunications & Water Section  
Shauna Benvegna-Springer, Utility Analyst

**DATE:** March 10, 2012

**SUBJECT:** Lifeline Reimbursement for Strata Networks

**RE:** Docket 11-999-04

The Division has reviewed and conducted a desk audit of the Semi-annual Lifeline Report and Request for Reimbursement of Strata Networks, pursuant to Rule R746-341-7(A), for the period of July 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011. The Division finds that the amounts claimed are reasonable and justified. The desk audit included a review of the amounts and numbers submitted on the invoice, a comparison to previous reports and discussions with the company involved.

The administrative, advertising, voucher and other program expenses were not requested for reimbursement. Interest accrual amounts on Lifeline and Linkup funds were not requested for reimbursement. No outreach efforts were reported due to the agreement with the Division of Community & Culture and the Division of Public Utilities.

The Division, therefore, recommends that the Commission disburse from the Universal Service Fund the amount equal to program expenses and discounts granted in the amounts of **\$22,921.50 to Strata Networks.**

cc: Carolyn Bird, Strata Networks

Attachment (1)