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TO: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FROM: DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
Chris Parker, Director
Bill Duncan, Manager, Telecommunications and Water
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RE: Universal Service and Speech/Hearing-Impaired Funds Status
Docket # 11-999-04

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 \$2,717,612 at the end of March, which was a decrease of \$647,908 from the previous month. USF disbursements for the month totaled \$481,478. Lifeline reimbursements during the month totaled \$565,536. Revenues for March totaled \$399,105. The fund balance has ranged between \$6.5 and \$2.7 million for the last 12 months.

During the month of March, the Speech/Hearing-Impaired Fund had expenditures of \$123,886. This total includes \$116,760 for professional and technical services, \$5,213 for operating supplies and maintenance, \$1,485 for travel reimbursement. The fund balance at the end of March was \$1,325,774. 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 \$1.5 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 (13)