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TO: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FROM: DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
Chris Parker, Director
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RE: Universal Service and Speech/Hearing-Impaired Funds Status
Docket # 12-999-04

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 \$1,413,420 at the end of July, which was a decrease of \$807,302 from the previous month. USF disbursements for the month totaled \$712,744. There were Lifeline reimbursements during the month of \$136,837. Revenues for July totaled \$7,636. The fund balance has ranged between \$2.2 and -\$0.312 million for the last 12 months.

During the month of July, the Speech/Hearing-Impaired Fund had expenditures of \$61,003. This total includes \$57,365 for professional and technical services, \$1,089 for operating supplies and maintenance, \$758 for travel reimbursement. The fund balance at the end of July was \$2,118,476. 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 \$2.4 and \$1.6 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 (17)