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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON

The Honorable Henry A. Waxman
Chairman
Committee on Oversight and Government Reform
U.S. House of Representatives
2157 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Waxman:

Please find enclosed the information you requested in your June 9, 2008, letter regarding the universal service high-cost program.

Please contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kevin J. Martin".

Kevin J. Martin
Chairman

Enclosure

Study Areas with the Highest Disbursements per Line in 2006

Rank	Study Area Name	State	Holding Company	Disbursements	Lines (average ¹)	ILEC Disbursements per Line
1	SANDWICH ISLES COMM.	Hawaii	Sandwich Isles Communications, Inc.	\$20,337,885	1,505	\$13,514
2	BORDER TO BORDER	Texas	Border to Border Communications, Inc.	\$1,161,846	128	\$9,077
3	TERRAL TEL CO	Oklahoma	Terral Telephone Company	\$2,002,704	280	\$7,153
4	ADAK TEL UTILITY	Alaska	Adak Eagle Enterprises, LLC	\$1,347,866	190	\$7,094
5	ACCIPITER COMM.	Arizona	Accipiter Communications, Inc.	\$1,414,116	203	\$6,966
6	SOUTH PARK TEL. CO.	Colorado	SSF Partners, LLC	\$814,716	209	\$3,908
7	BEEHIVE TEL CO - NV	Nevada	Beehive Telephone Companies	\$572,580	165	\$3,470
8	ELSIE COMM., INC.	Nebraska	Newcastle Holdings, Inc.	\$651,240	214	\$3,043
9	MESCALERO APACHE	New Mexico	Mescalero Apache Telecom, Inc.	\$3,542,031	1,209	\$2,931
10	SUMMIT TEL & TEL -AK	Alaska	Remote Control, Inc.	\$892,098	305	\$2,925

¹ The average number of lines in 2006 was calculated by averaging the number of lines at the end of years 2005 and 2006.

Study Areas with the Highest Disbursements per Line in 2007

Rank	Study Area Name	State	Holding Company	Disbursements	Lines (average ¹)	ILEC Disbursements per Line
1	BEAVER CREEK TIMBRLN	Washington	Beaver Creek Telephone Company	\$396,126	29	\$13,660
2	SANDWICH ISLES COMM.	Hawaii	Sandwich Isles Communications, Inc.	\$21,818,766	1,612	\$13,535
3	ADAK TEL UTILITY	Alaska	Adak Eagle Enterprises, LLC	\$1,787,926	191	\$9,361
4	BORDER TO BORDER	Texas	Border to Border Communications, Inc.	\$1,382,160	150	\$9,245
5	ALLBAND COMM COOP	Michigan	Allband Communications Cooperative	\$267,394	33	\$8,103
6	ACCIPITER COMM.	Arizona	Accipiter Communications, Inc.	\$1,476,648	198	\$7,458
7	TERRAL TEL CO	Oklahoma	Terral Telephone Company	\$1,721,598	283	\$6,094
8	SOUTH PARK TEL. CO.	Colorado	SSF Partners, LLC	\$920,052	205	\$4,499
9	S. CENTRAL TEL - OK	Oklahoma	South Central Telephone Association, Inc.	\$1,409,277	321	\$4,397
10	BEEHIVE TEL CO - UT	Utah	Beehive Telephone Companies	\$4,349,802	1,005	\$4,330

¹ The average number of lines in 2007 was calculated by averaging the number of lines at the end of years 2006 and 2007. Because year-end line counts have not yet been filed with the Commission, the number of lines at the end of 2007 was estimated using a straight line projection of data from 2004 to 2006. For carriers with line count data for only the end of year 2006 (i.e., BEAVER CREEK TIMBERLN and ALLBAND COMM COOP), end of year 2007 data were estimated using the Universal Service Administrative Company's most recent FCC High Cost Loop filing.