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Office of the Secretary

Federal Communications Commission

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Washington, DC 20554

Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC)

Vice President, High Cost Division

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Washington, DC 20005

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 14-58, Annual State Certification Of Support For Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETC) Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314.

Dear Ms. Dortch and USAC:

Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, the Iowa Utilities Board (Board) hereby certifies to the Federal Communications Commission and the Universal Service Administrative Company that, based upon the information available to the Board, the telecommunications carriers included in this letter are eligible to receive federal high-cost support for the program years cited.

The Board certifies for the carriers listed all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within Iowa was used in the preceding calendar year (2016) and will be used in the coming calendar year (2018) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.[[1]](#footnote-1) The Board bases this certification on the individual carrier sworn affidavits filed with the Board.

Attached is the list of carriers certified by the Board pursuant to section 54.314 of the FCC’s rules (47 C.F.R. § 54.314), which requires states to establish an annual certification process for carriers receiving federal high cost support.

As requested by the Universal Service Administrative Company, listed beside each carrier is its assigned study area code (SAC), if known.

If you have questions concerning this matter, please contact Jim Langenberg, a member of the Iowa Utilities Board's staff at (515) 725-7327 or e-mail jim.langenberg@iub.iowa.gov.

Sincerely,

*/s/* Larry Stevens

Larry Stevens

Utility Specialist

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| **Company Name:** | **Study Area Code:** |
| Ace Telephone Association | 351346 |
| Algona Municipal Utilities | 359069 |
| Allamakee-Clayton Electric Cooperative, Inc. | 356220 |
| Allamakee-Clayton Electric Cooperative, Inc. | 356221 |
| Allamakee-Clayton Electric Cooperative, Inc. | 356222 |
| Allamakee-Clayton Electric Cooperative, Inc. | 356223 |
| Alliance Communications Coop. Inc. f/k/a Hills Telephone Company, Inc. | 351405 |
| Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. | 391642 |
| Alpine Communications, LC | 351106 |
| Alta Municipal Broadband Communication Utility (Alta Municipal Utilities) | 359024 |
| Andrew Telephone Company, Inc. | 351097 |
| Arcadia Telephone Cooperative | 351098 |
| Atkins Telephone Company, Inc. | 351101 |
| Ayrshire Farmers Mutual Telephone Company | 351105 |
| Baldwin-Nashville Telephone Co., Inc. - Wireless | 359087 |
| Baldwin-Nashville Telephone Company, Inc. | 351107 |
| Barnes City Cooperative Telephone Company | 359075 |
| Barnes City Cooperative Telephone Company | 351108 |
| Bernard Communications Inc. | 359103 |
| Bernard Telephone Company, Inc. | 351110 |
| Breda Telephone Corporation (d/b/a Western Iowa Networks) | 351112 |
| Brooklyn Mutual Telecommunications | 359047 |
| Brooklyn Mutual Telecommunications Cooperative | 351113 |
| Butler-Bremer Mutual Telephone Company | 351115 |
| Cascade Communications Company | 351118 |
| Casey Mutual Telephone Company | 351119 |
| Iowa Wireless Services, L.P. f/k/a CCM Wireless, Inc | 359102 |
| Cedar County PCS, LLC | 359046 |
| Cedar-Wapsie Communications, Inc. | 359084 |
| Center Junction Telephone Company, Inc. | 351121 |
| Center Junction Telephone Company, Inc. - Wireless | 359090 |
| Central Scott Telephone Company | 351125 |
| CenturyTel of Chester, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink | 351126 |
| CenturyTel of Postville, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink | 351274 |
| Citizens Mutual Telephone Cooperative | 351129 |
| Citizens Telecommunications Company of Minnesota, LLC | 367123 |
| City of Hawarden Municipal Utilities (d/b/a HITEC) | 359001 |
| Clarence Telephone Company, Inc. | 351130 |
| Clay County Communications | 359111 |
| Clear Lake Independent Telephone Company | 351132 |
| C-M-L Telephone Cooperative Association | 351133 |
| C-M-L Telephone Cooperative Association | 359118 |
| Colo Telephone Company | 351134 |
| Communications 1 Network, Inc. | 351262 |
| Comm 1 Wireless, Inc. | 359098 |
| Community Digital Wireless, LLC | 359044 |
| Coon Creek Telephone Company | 351136 |
| Coon Valley Cooperative Telephone Assn. Inc. | 351137 |
| Cooperative Telephone Company | 351139 |
| Cooperative Telephone Company | 359030 |
| Cooperative Telephone Exchange | 351303 |
| Corn Belt Telephone Company | 351141 |
| CST Communications | 359032 |
| Cumberland Telephone Company | 351146 |
| Danville Mutual Telephone Company | 351147 |
| D-C Communications, Inc. | 359081 |
| Dixon Acquisition Co. LLC fka Dixon Telephone Company | 351150 |
| Dixon Telephone Company (Dixon Wireless) | 359133 |
| Dumont Telephone Company | 351152 |
| Dumont Wireless, Inc. | 359083 |
| Dunkerton Telephone Cooperative | 351153 |
| East Buchanan Telephone Cooperative | 351156 |
| East Buchanan Telephone Cooperative | 359036 |
| Ellsworth Cooperative Telephone Association | 351157 |
| Farmer’s Mutual Cooperative Telephone Company (Moulton, Iowa) | 351169 |
| Farmers & Business Men's Tel. Co. dba F & B Communications, Inc. | 351160 |
| Farmers & Business Men's Tel. Co. dba F & B Communications, Inc. | 359007 |
| Farmers and Merchants Mutual Telephone Co. (Farmers & Merchants) | 351166 |
| Farmers Cooperative Telephone Company | 351162 |
| Farmers Mutual Cooperative Telephone Co. f/k/a Manilla Telephone Co. | 351235 |
| Farmers Mutual Cooperative Telephone Co. f/k/a Defiance Telephone Co. | 351149 |
| Farmers Mutual Cooperative Telephone Company (Farmers Mutual Coop.) | 351168 |
| Farmers Mutual Telephone Co. (Farmers Mutual Jessup) | 351171 |
| Farmers Mutual Cooperative Telephone Co. - Harlan | 359059 |
| Farmers Mutual Telephone Company (Nora Springs, Iowa) | 351172 |
| Farmers Mutual Telephone Company of Stanton, Iowa (Farmers Mutual Tel.) | 351174 |
| Farmers Mutual Telephone Cooperative of Shellsburg, Iowa | 351173 |
| Farmers Telephone Company (Riceville) | 351177 |
| Farmers Telephone Company - Essex | 351176 |
| Farmers Telephone Company (Batavia, Iowa) | 351175 |
| Fenton Co-operative Telephone Company | 351179 |
| FMTC Wireless | 359082 |
| Frontier Communications of Iowa, LLC (Frontier Iowa) | 351127 |
| Goldfield Access Network | 359020 |
| Goldfield Telephone Company | 351188 |
| Grand Mound Cooperative Telephone Association | 351191 |
| Grand River Mutual Telephone Corporation | 351888 |
| Griswold Cooperative Telephone Company | 351195 |
| Guthrie Telecommunications Network, Inc. | 359051 |
| Iowa Wireless Services, L.P. f/k/a Hamilton County Wireless, LLC | 359131 |
| Hardin County Wireless | 359100 |
| Harmony Telephone Company | 361404 |
| Hawkeye Telephone Company | 351199 |
| Heart of Iowa Communications Cooperative | 351297 |
| Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications | 351096 |
| Hospers Telephone Company (HTC Communications) | 359112 |
| Hospers Telephone Exchange, Inc. d/b/a HTC Communications | 351202 |
| Hubbard Cooperative Telephone Association | 351203 |
| Huxley Communications Cooperative | 351205 |
| IAMO Telephone Company | 351206 |
| FMTC-I35, Inc. | 351209 |
| Iowa 8 Monona Limited Partnership | 359071 |
| Iowa RSA 2 L.P. d/b/a Lyrix Wireless | 359053 |
| Iowa Wireless Services L.P. (d/b/a i wireless) | 359027 |
| Jefferson Telephone Company | 351212 |
| Jordan-Soldier Valley Telephone Company | 351213 |
| Kalona Cooperative Telephone Company | 351214 |
| Kalona Cooperative Telephone Company PCS (KCTC PCS) | 359037 |
| Keystone Farmers Cooperative | 351217 |
| Killduff Telephone Company | 351407 |
| La Motte Telephone Company | 351222 |
| La Porte City Telephone Co. | 351220 |
| Lehigh Valley Cooperative Telephone Association | 351225 |
| West Liberty Telephone Company (Liberty Communications) | 351332 |
| Lone Rock Cooperative Telephone Company | 351228 |
| Lost Nation-Elwood Telephone Company | 351229 |
| Lynnville Telephone Company | 351232 |
| Mabel Cooperative Telephone Company | 351424 |
| MAC Wireless, LLC | 359028 |
| Marne & Elk Horn Telephone Company | 351237 |
| Martelle Cooperative Telephone Assn. d/b/a Martelle Communications Co-op | 351238 |
| Massena Telephone Company, Inc. | 351239 |
| Mechanicsville Telephone Company | 351241 |
| Mediapolis Telephone Company dba MTC Technologies | 351251 |
| Miles Cooperative Telephone Association | 351242 |
| Mill Valley Wireless | 359034 |
| Minburn Telecommunications, Inc. | 351158 |
| Minburn Telephone Company | 351245 |
| Minerva Valley Telephone Company, Inc. | 351246 |
| Iowa Wireless Services, L.P. f/k/a Minerva Valley Wireless | 359122 |
| Modern Communications | 359109 |
| Modern Cooperative Telephone Company | 351247 |
| Mutual Telephone Company | 351252 |
| North English Cooperative Telephone Company | 351257 |
| Northeast Iowa Telephone Company | 351230 |
| Northern Iowa Telephone Company | 351259 |
| Northwest Iowa Telephone LLC a/k/a Long lines | 351260 |
| Northwest Telephone Cooperative Association | 351261 |
| Ogden Telephone Company | 351263 |
| Ogden Telephone Company | 359089 |
| Olin Telephone Company, Inc. | 351264 |
| Olin Telephone Company, Inc. | 359031 |
| OmniTel Communications, Inc. | 359011 |
| Onslow Cooperative Telephone Association - Wireless | 359088 |
| Onslow Cooperative Telephone Association | 351265 |
| Oran Mutual Telephone Company | 351266 |
| Osage Municipal Utilities | 359048 |
| Palmer Mutual Telephone Company | 351270 |
| Palo Cooperative Telephone Association | 351269 |
| Panora Communications Cooperative | 351271 |
| Partner Communications Cooperative | 351187 |
| Peoples Telephone Company | 351273 |
| Prairie Telephone Co., Inc. | 351344 |
| Prairieburg Telephone Company, Inc. | 351275 |
| Premier Communications, Inc. | 359125 |
| Premier Wireless, LLC | 359114 |
| Preston Telephone Company | 351276 |
| Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC | 355141 |
| Radcliffe Telephone Co., Inc. (Wireless) | 359092 |
| Radcliffe Telephone Company, Inc. | 351277 |
| Readlyn Telephone Company | 351278 |
| Reasnor Telephone Company, LLC | 350739 |
| Ringsted Communications Company | 359119 |
| Ringsted Telephone Company | 351280 |
| River Valley Telecommunications Coop | 351189 |
| Ruthven Telephone Exchange | 351284 |
| Rockwell Cooperative Telephone Association (Wireless) | 359086 |
| Rockwell Cooperative Telephone Association | 351282 |
| Royal Telephone Company | 351283 |
| RSA #1 Limited Partnership | 359054 |
| RSA 7 Limited Partnership | 359070 |
| Sac County Mutual Telephone Company | 351285 |
| Sac County Mutual Telephone Company | 359124 |
| Schaller Telephone Company | 351291 |
| Scranton Telephone Company | 351294 |
| Scranton Wireless | 359120 |
| Searsboro Telephone Company | 351292 |
| SEI Wireless LLC | 359045 |
| Sharon Telephone Company | 351293 |
| Sharon Telephone Company | 359038 |
| Shell Rock Communications, Inc. | 351295 |
| Skybeam, LLC d/b/a Rise Broadband | 356134 |
| Skybeam, LLC d/b/a Rise Broadband | 356135 |
| Skybeam, LLC d/b/a Rise Broadband | 356136 |
| SkyLink, LLC | 359113 |
| South Central Communications | 351888 |
| South Slope Cooperative Telephone Company | 351298 |
| South Slope Wireless | 359008 |
| Southeast Wireless, Inc. | 359029 |
| FMTC-SWT, Inc. (f/k/a Southwest Telephone Exchange, Inc.) | 351301 |
| Spring Grove Communications | 361485 |
| Springville Cooperative Telephone Association, Inc. | 351302 |
| Stratford Mutual Telephone Company | 351305 |
| Sully Telephone Association | 351306 |
| Superior Telephone Cooperative | 351307 |
| South Slope Coop. Tel. Co. fka Swisher Telephone Company | 351304 |
| Templeton Telephone Company | 351308 |
| Terril Communications, LLC | 359117 |
| Terril Telephone Co. | 351309 |
| The Community Cable Television Co. of O'Brien County dba The Community Agency | 359022 |
| The Mutual Telephone Company of Morning Sun, Iowa | 351250 |
| Titonka Telephone Company | 351310 |
| Titonka-Burt Communications fka The Burt Telephone Company | 351114 |
| U.S. Cellular Corporation | 358001 |
| U.S. Cellular Corporation | 359016 |
| United Farmers Telephone Company | 351316 |
| Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc. | 351319 |
| Iowa Wireless Services, L.P. f/k/a Van Buren Wireless, Inc. | 359091 |
| Van Horne Cooperative Telephone Company | 351320 |
| Ventura Telephone Company, Inc. | 351322 |
| The Farmers Mutual Telephone Co. f/k/a Villisca Farmers Telephone Company | 351324 |
| Walnut Telephone Company d/b/a Walnut Communications | 351326 |
| Webb-Dickens Telephone Corporation | 351327 |
| Webster-Calhoun Cooperative Telephone Association | 351328 |
| Iowa Wireless Services, L.P. f/k/a Webster-Calhoun Cooperative Telephone Association | 359132 |
| Wellman Cooperative Telephone Association | 351329 |
| Wellman Cooperative Telephone Association | 359039 |
| West Iowa Telephone Company (d/b/a WesTel Systems) | 351331 |
| Western Iowa Telephone Association | 351334 |
| Westside Independent Telephone Company | 351335 |
| Windstream Iowa Communications, LLC (f/k/a Iowa Telecom) | 351178 |
| Windstream Iowa Communications, LLC (f/k/a Iowa Telecom) | 351170 |
| Windstream Iowa Communications, LLC (f/k/a Iowa Telecom) | 351167 |
| Windstream Montezuma, LLC (f/k/a Montezuma Mutual Telephone Company) | 351248 |
| Winnebago Cooperative Telecom Association | 359093 |
| Winnebago Cooperative Telecom Association | 351337 |
| Woolstock Mutual Telephone Association | 351342 |
| WTC Communications, Inc. | 351336 |
| Wyoming Mutual Telephone Company | 351343 |

1. 47 C.F.R. §54.314(a) (“*Certification*. States that desire eligible telecommunications carriers to receive support pursuant to the high-cost program must file an annual certification with the Administrator and the Commission stating that all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within that State was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. High-cost support shall only be provided to the extent that the State has filed the requisite certification pursuant to this section.”). [↑](#footnote-ref-1)