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VIA ECFS

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Form 481 – Carrier Annual Reporting Data Collection, 2016
WC Dockets No. 14-58 and 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to sections 54.313(i) and 54.422(c) of the Commission's Rules,¹ Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits a copy of its "FCC Form 481 – Carrier Annual Reporting Data Collection Form," as filed with the Universal Service Administrative Company. A copy is also being submitted to the appropriate state regulatory commission and tribal government, as further required by sections 54.313(i) and 54.422(c).

Pursuant to the Protective Order adopted by the Commission in this proceeding,² the Company requests confidential treatment for the financial information included in its report, as required by §54.313(f)(2), on the grounds that it is commercially sensitive information that is not normally released to the public. The Company also requests confidential treatment for its Five Year Service Quality Plan pursuant to sections 0.457 and 0.459 of the Commission's Rules. A

¹ 47 CFR §§54.313 and 54.422.

² *In the Matter of Connect America Fund, et al.*, PROTECTIVE ORDER, WC Docket No. 10-90, et al., DA 16-296, released March 22, 2016..

letter in support of the Company's request is attached hereto.

In accordance with the Protective Order and the Commission's rules, one redacted copy has been submitted via ECFS, and one confidential non-redacted copy has been submitted on paper via hand delivery to the Secretary's Office.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Salvatore Taillefer, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Salvatore Taillefer, Jr.

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Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to §0.457 and §0.459 of the Commission's rules, Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("the Company"), by its attorneys, hereby requests that certain materials and information be withheld from public inspection. Specifically, the Company requests confidential treatment of the Five Year Service Quality Improvement Plan (the "Plan" or "confidential information") attached to its Form 481 filing.

In support of its request for confidential treatment and pursuant to the requirements under § 0.459(b) of the Commission's rules, the Company states the following:

1. Identification of the specific information for which confidential treatment is sought.

The Company seeks confidential treatment of the Five Year Service Quality Improvement Plan, attachment 492270nm112 to the Form 481 filing accompanying this letter, which contains sensitive financial information about the Company as well as information about the Company's projected network improvements and upgrades for voice and broadband services during the period from 2015 through 2019.

2. Identification of the Commission proceeding in which the information was submitted or description of the circumstances giving rise to the submission.

The documents are being submitted as part of the annual Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Report (Form 481) mandated by section 54.313 of the Commission's rules.

3. *Explanation of the degree to which the information is commercial or financial, or contains a trade secret or is privileged.*

The data described is highly confidential and sensitive commercial and financial information which constitutes trade secrets or sensitive commercial and financial information that "would customarily be guarded from competitors,"³ and is therefore exempted from mandatory disclosure under FOIA Exemption 4 and Section 0.457(d) of the Commission's rules.⁴

4. *Explanation of the degree to which the information concerns a service that is subject to competition.*

The Plan relates to voice and broadband services provided by the Company that are subject to competition from competitive local exchange carriers, cable television system operators, electric power utilities, fixed and mobile wireless service providers, and/or satellite carriers.

5. *Explanation of how disclosure of the information could result in substantial competitive harm.*

Disclosure of the confidential information is likely to result in substantial competitive harm to the Company because the confidential information could provide competitors with commercially sensitive insights related to the Company's operations, service offerings, and costs.

6. *Identification of any measures taken by the submitting party to prevent unauthorized disclosure.*

The Company does not make the Five Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or any of the information contained therein publically available in any way, and further limits internal access to key employees subject to strict non-disclosure obligations.

7. *Identification of whether the information is available to the public and the extent of any previous disclosure of the information to third parties.*

The Company does not make the confidential information available to the public and it has not previously allowed disclosure of the confidential information to third parties that are not otherwise bound by confidentiality obligations.

³ *Id.* § 0.457(d)(2).

⁴ 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(4); 47 C.F.R. § 0.457(d).

8. *Justification of the period during which the submitting party asserts that the material should not be available for public disclosure.*

The confidential information should be treated as confidential for an indefinite period, as the Company will always be subject to competition and the competitive harms associated with the disclosure of the confidential information.

In order to provide adequate protection from public disclosure, the Commission should strictly limit distribution of the confidential information within the Commission on a "need to know" basis and not allow any distribution outside of the Commission. In the event that any person or entity outside the Commission requests disclosure of the confidential information, the Company requests that it be so notified immediately so that it can oppose such request or take other action to safeguard its interests as it deems necessary.

Please direct any questions regarding this submission to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



Salvatore Taillefer, Jr.
Counsel for
Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

<010> Study Area Code	492270
<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
<030> Contact Name: Person USAC should contact with questions about this data	Ian Brumana
<035> Contact Telephone Number: Number of the person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address: Email of the person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com
Form Type	54.313 and 54.422

(100) Service Quality Improvement Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481
	OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
	July 2013

<010> Study Area Code	492270
<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
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<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com

<110> Has your company received its ETC certification from the FCC? If your answer to Line <110> is yes, do you have an existing §54.202(a) "5 <111> year plan" filed with the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>

If your answer to Line <111> is yes, please file a progress report, on line <112> delineating the status of your company's existing § 54.202(a) "5 year plan" on file with the FCC, as it relates to your provision of voice telephony service.

492270NM112Map.pdf, 492270NM112.pdf

<112> Attach Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or, in subsequent years, your annual progress report filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(1). If your company is a CETC which only receives frozen support, your progress report is only required to address voice telephony service.

Name of Attached Document

Please select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 112, contains a progress report on its five-year service quality improvement plan pursuant to §54.202(a). The information shall be submitted at the wire center level or census block as appropriate.

- <113> Maps detailing progress towards meeting plan targets
- <114> Report how much universal service (USF) support was received
- <115> How much (USF) was used to improve service quality and how support was used to improve service quality
- <116> How much (USF) was used to improve service coverage and how support was used to improve service coverage
- <117> How much (USF) was used to improve service capacity and how support was used to improve service capacity
- <118> Provide an explanation of network improvement targets not met in the prior calendar year.

Yes

(300) Unfulfilled Service Request Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481
	OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
	July 2013

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<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
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<030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Ian Brumana
<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757461241 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com

<300> Unfulfilled service request (voice)

<310> Detail on attempts (voice)

Name of Attached Document

<320> Unfulfilled service request (broadband)

<330> Detail on attempts (broadband)

Name of Attached Document

(400) Number of Complaints per 1,000 customers Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<010>	Study Area Code	482270
<015>	Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020>	Program Year	2017
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Law Brumana
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757461241 ext.
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	lbrumana@pvt.com
<400>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report voice complaints (zero or greater) for voice telephony service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize.	Offered only fixed voice
<410>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed voice	0.0
<420>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile voice	
<430>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report end-user customer complaints (zero or greater) for broadband service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize.	Offered only fixed broadband
<440>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed broadband	0.0
<450>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile broadband	

(500) Compliance With Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules		FCC Form 481
Data Collection Form		OMB Control No. 3060-0985/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
<010> Study Area Code	492270	
<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL	
<020> Program Year	2017	
<030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Tim Erumana	
<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.	
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	terumana@pvt.com	
<500> Certify compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules	Yes	
<510> Descriptive document for Service Quality Standards & Consumer Protection Rules Compliance	492270NMS10.pdf	

(600) Functionality in Emergency Situations		FCC Form 481
Data Collection Form		OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
		July 2013

<010>	Study Area Code	492276
<015>	Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020>	Program Year	2012
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Jan. Brunana
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrunana@pvt.com
<600>	Certify compliance regarding ability to function in emergency situations	Yes
<610>	Descriptive document for Functionality in Emergency Situations	492270NM610.pdf

(900) Tribal Lands Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986 / OMB Control No. 3050-0819 July 2013
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<010> Study Area Code	492270
<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
<030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Ian Brumana
<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com

<900> Does the filing entity offer tribal land services? (Y/N) No

<910> Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

<920> Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

Name of Attached Document

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached document(s), on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select Yes or No or Not Applicable

(1000) Voice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481
	OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
	July 2013

<010>	Study Area Code	492270
<015>	Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020>	Program Year	2017
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Ian Brumana
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757401241 ext.
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com

<1000> Voice services rate comparability certification Yes

<1010> Attach detailed description for voice services rate comparability compliance 492270NM1010.pdf

Name of Attached Document

<1020> Broadband comparability certification Yes - Pricing is no more than the most recent applicable benchmark announced by the Wireline Competition Bureau

<1030> Attach detailed description for broadband comparability compliance 492270NM1030.pdf

Name of Attached Document

(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481
	OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013

<010>	Study Area Code	492270
<015>	Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020>	Program Year	2017
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Ian Brumana
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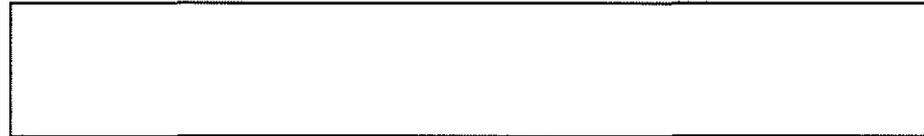
<1100> Certify whether terrestrial backhaul options exist (Y/N)

<1130> Please select the appropriate response (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g).

(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers		FCC Form 481
Lifeline		OMB Control No. 3060-0988/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
Data Collection Form		July 2013

<010>	Study Area Code	492270
<015>	Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020>	Program Year	2017
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<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.
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<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans



Name of Attached Document

<1220> Link to Public Website

HTTP www.pvt.com/telephone/low-income-support/

"Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must annually report:

- <1221> Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers,
- <1222> Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan,
- <1223> Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan.

(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation Data Collection Form <i>Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers</i>	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<010> Study Area Code	492270
<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
<030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Ian Brumana
<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com

Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting

<2010> 2nd Year Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)(i) - Note that for the July 1 2016 certification, this applies to Round 2 recipients of Incremental Support	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2011> 3rd Year Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)(ii) - Note that for the July 1 2016 certification, this applies to Round 1 recipients of Incremental Support	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2022> Recipient certifies, representing year two after filing a notice of acceptance of funding pursuant to 54.312(c), that the locations in question are not receiving support under the Broadband Initiatives Program or the Broadband Technology Opportunities Program for projects that will provide broadband with speeds of at least 4 Mbps/1Mbps - 54.313(b)(2)(i). Round 2 recipients only.	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2023> The attachment on line 2024 includes a statement of the total amount of capital funding expended in the previous year in meeting Connect America Phase I deployment obligations, accompanied by a list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent. This covers year two - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2024A> Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%; height: 60px;" type="text"/>
<2024B> Attach list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent in year two - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	<input style="width: 100%; height: 60px;" type="text"/>
<2025A> Round 1 or Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2025B> Attach geocoded information for Phase I milestone reports (Round 1 for year three and Round 2 for year two) - Connect America Fund , WC Docket 10-90, Report and Order, FCC 13-	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	<input style="width: 100%; height: 60px;" type="text"/>
<2015> 2016 and future Frozen Support Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4)	<input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	

(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)

Data Collection Form

Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers

FCC Form 481

OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819

JULY 2013

Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}

<2016> Certification support used to build broadband

Connect America Phase II Reporting {47 CFR § 54.313(e)}

<2017A> Connect America Fund Phase II recipient?

<2017B> Attach information for Phase II - 54.313(e)(1) - list of geocoded locations already meeting the 54.309 public interest obligations at the end of calendar year 2015 and total amount of Phase II support, if any, the price

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

cap carrier used for capital expenditures in 2015.

<2018> Attach the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the carrier newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year - 54.313(e)(2)(ii)

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

<2019> Recipient certifies that it bid on category one telecommunications and Internet access services in response to all FCC Form 470 postings seeking broadband service that meets the connectivity targets for the schools and libraries universal service support program for eligible schools and libraries located within any area in a census block where the carrier is receiving Phase II model-based support, and that such bids were at rates reasonably comparable to rates charged to eligible schools and libraries in urban areas for comparable offerings - 54.313(e)(2)(v)

<2020> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 40% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2017 - 54.313(e)(3)

<2021> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 60% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2018 - 54.313(e)(4)

<2026> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 80% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2019 - 54.313(e)(5)

<2027> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 100% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2020 - 54.313(e)(6)

(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481
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Complete the items below to note compliance with five year service quality plan (pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.202(a)) and, for privately held carriers, ensuring compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

(3009) Progress Report on 5 Year Plan
Carrier certifies to 54.313(f)(1)(iii)

(3010A) Milestone Certification {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i)} Yes - Attach Certification

(3010B) Please Provide Attachment Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3012A) Community Anchor Institutions {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)} Not Applicable - No Attachment Required

(3012B) Please Provide Attachment Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3013) Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)} (Yes/No)

(3014) If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report (Yes/No)

Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:

(3015) Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers)

(3016) Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3017) If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3018) If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited? (Yes/No)

If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3019) Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers

(3020) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3021) Management letter and/or audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit. If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3022) Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers

(3023) Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant

(3024) Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.

(3025) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3026) Attach the worksheet listing required information Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

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3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)	FCC Form 481
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Financial Data Summary

(3027) Revenue	[REDACTED]
(3028) Operating Expenses	[REDACTED]
(3029) Net Income	[REDACTED]
(3030) Telephone Plant In Service(TPIS)	[REDACTED]
(3031) Total Assets	[REDACTED]
(3032) Total Debt	[REDACTED]
(3033) Total Equity	[REDACTED]
(3034) Dividends	[REDACTED]

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

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(4005) Rural Broadband Experiment Additional Documentation Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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4005 Rural Broadband Experiment

Authorized Rural Broadband Experiment (RBE) recipients must address the certification for public interest obligations, provide a list of newly served community anchor institutions, and provide a list of locations where broadband has been deployed.

Public Interest Obligations – FCC 14-98 (paragraphs 26-29, 78)

Please address Line 4001 regarding compliance with the Commission’s public interest obligations. All RBE participants must provide a response to Line 4001.

4001. Recipient certifies that it is offering broadband to the identified locations meeting the requisite public interest obligations consistent with the category for which they were selected, including broadband speed, latency, usage capacity, and rates that are reasonably comparable to rates for comparable offerings in urban areas?

Community Anchor Institutions – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 79)

4003a. RBE participants must provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which they newly deployed broadband service in the preceding calendar year. On this line, please respond (yes – attach new community anchors, no – no new anchors) to indicate whether this list will be provided.

If yes to 4003A, please provide a response for 4003B.

4003b. Provide the number, names and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the recipient newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

Broadband Deployment Locations – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 80)

4004a. Attach a list of geocoded locations to which broadband has been deployed as of the June 1st immediately preceding the July 1st filing deadline for the FCC Form 481. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

4004b. Attach evidence demonstrating that the recipient is meeting the relevant public service obligations for the identified locations. Materials must at least detail the pricing, offered broadband speed and data usage allowances available in the relevant geographic area. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

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Certification - Reporting Carrier Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 306D-0986/OMB Control No. 306D-0819 July 2013
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<015> Study Area Name	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
<030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Ian Brumana
<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	5757481241 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	ibrumana@pvt.com

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	PENASCO VALLEY TEL
Signature of Authorized Officer:	CERTIFIED ONLINE Date 06/30/2016
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	Kevin Bartley
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	Chief Financial Officer
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	5757481241 ext.
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	492270 Filing Due Date for this form: 07/01/2016
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

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Certification - Agent / Carrier	FCC Form 481
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I certify that (Name of Agent) _____ is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the reports and data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.	
Name of Authorized Agent: _____	
Name of Reporting Carrier: _____	
Signature of Authorized Officer: _____	Date: _____
Printed name of Authorized Officer: _____	
Title or position of Authorized Officer: _____	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer: ext. _____	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier: _____	Filing Due Date for this form: _____
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service support recipients on behalf of the reporting carrier; I have provided the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported herein is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier: _____	
Name of Authorized Agent Firm: _____	
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: _____	Date: _____
Name of Authorized Agent Employee: _____	
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: _____	
Telephone number of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent: ext. _____	
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Attachments

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LINE 112: PROGRESS REPORT UPDATE

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Peñasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
Study Area: 492270

Voice Network

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(5) and or 47 C.F.R. § 54.422(b)(3) Peñasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("ILEC") is in compliance with appropriate FCC Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules. ILEC provides CPNI training to all of its new employees and in addition trains all of its existing employees on an annual basis. ILEC also conducts subscriber outreach regarding CPNI by placing CPNI explanation onto its website at www.pvt.com which informs subscribers about CPNI rules and other applicable customer rights and obligations. In addition ILEC trains staff on Red Flag issues on an annual basis. All company employees are required to sign and acknowledge that they have completed CPNI and Red Flag training and understand obligations to adherence of applicable rules.

ILEC also outlines its rates, terms, and conditions under which ILEC offers service in its Local Exchange Tariff. The tariff explains customer rights and obligations, customer service, dispute resolution, deposits, billing and payment options, disconnection of service as well as cancellation of service options. ILEC keeps its tariffs available for public inspection at its business offices.

Broadband Network

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(5) and or 47 C.F.R. § 54.422(b)(3) ILEC is in compliance with applicable FCC Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules. ILEC trains staff on applicable rules for broadband services issues on an annual basis. In addition ILEC has placed on its website at www.pvt.com its network practices and policies regarding broadband.

ILEC also outlines its rates, terms, and conditions under which ILEC offers Broadband service in NECA Tariff #5 to Internet Service Providers ("ISP"). The Tariff explains customer rights and obligations, customer service, dispute resolution, deposits, billing and payment options, disconnection of service as well as cancellation of service options. Public inspection of NECA Tariff #5 can be found on NECA's website. Retail DSL rates, terms, and conditions for retail services are provided by the ISP.

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FCC Emergency Functioning

Peñasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc., (PVT) has battery backup at all central offices, remote offices and electronic digital loop carrier sites. All of these sites are also either equipped with a standby generator or a connection for a portable generator. The portable generators are stored at various locations within PVT's service area so they can be deployed quickly as needed. All batteries are tested yearly and all standby generators are tested weekly.

PVT has planned for network issues by establishing alternate toll routes, and where possible, establishing fiber rings between our main host central office and our remote offices. The majority of PVT's toll traffic and interconnection trunks utilize a collapsed ring fiber segment from the Cottonwood host central office north to Century-Link in Roswell, NM. PVT also has a separate toll route going southeast to the Hobbs, NM AT&T point of presence, which also allows PVT to manage traffic spikes in emergency situations. PVT's SS7 signaling links are split between these two toll routes along with our long distance trunks so that a single fiber cut, even on our main fiber route cannot take us completely down and isolate our network. The interoffice fiber routes between PVT exchanges are all configured on collapsed rings. This provides equipment protection (dual interfaces) on the transport equipment, however, all of the signals travel in the same fiber jacket. A complete fiber cut on one of these routes in most cases will isolate that office so that calling inside the exchange is possible, but customers will not be able to place calls out of the local calling area.

PVT currently has two bonded 1 Gb Internet circuits traversing one egress path plus an additional two 1 Gb CBR burstable circuits traversing a second diverse egress path for all of the broadband traffic. If one peer or path goes down, the traffic will automatically route over alternate path and peers. PVT has added two segregated authoritative DNS servers to protect our customers from a denial of service vulnerability with recursive DNS servers. PVT has added new switches to remove single points of failure and to provide increased throughput within our network in the future.

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(710) Broadband Price Offerings Data Collection Form		FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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State	Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees	Broadband Service - Download Speed (Mbps)	Broadband Service - Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached {select}
NM	Cottonwood	67.89	0.0	67.89	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Lakewood	67.89	0.0	67.89	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Hope	67.89	0.0	67.89	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Hondo	67.89	0.0	67.89	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Loco Hills	67.89	0.0	67.89	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Mayhill	67.89	0.0	67.89	4.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Cottonwood	70.33	0.0	70.33	6.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Lakewood	70.33	0.0	70.33	6.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Hope	70.33	0.0	70.33	6.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Hondo	70.33	0.0	70.33	6.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Loco Hills	70.33	0.0	70.33	6.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Mayhill	70.33	0.0	70.33	6.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Cottonwood	77.8	0.0	77.8	10.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Lakewood	77.8	0.0	77.8	10.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Hope	77.8	0.0	77.8	10.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Hondo	77.8	0.0	77.8	10.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Loco Hills	77.8	0.0	77.8	10.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None
NM	Mayhill	77.8	0.0	77.8	10.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None

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 Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
 Study Area 492270

Voice Services Comparability Report

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313 (a) (10) Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("PVT") is in compliance with the requirement that voice services is no more than two standard deviations above the national average urban rate for voice service of \$41.07 as specified in Public Notice DA 16-362 issued on April 5, 2016. PVT's current total local end-user rate¹ of \$18.54 (which includes a local fee of \$.54 and surcharges and any EAS) is not above the standard deviation as specified in the USF/ICC Transformation Order.²

State	Exchange (ILEC)	Rate type	Residential Local Service Rate	State Sub Line Charge	State Univer. Service Fee	Mandatory	Total Per Line Rates and Fees	National Average
						Ext. Area Service Charge		
NM	Cottonwood	FR	18.00	0	0.54		18.54	21.93
NM	Lakewood	FR	18.00	0	0.54		18.54	21.93
NM	Hope	FR	18.00	0	0.54		18.54	21.93
NM	Hondo	FR	18.00	0	0.54		18.54	21.93
NM	Loco Hills	FR	18.00	0	0.54		18.54	21.93
NM	Mayhill	FR	18.00	0	0.54		18.54	21.93

The national average is above Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative's rate in every exchange

¹ Local End User Rate as defined in USF/ICC Transformation Order 26 FCC Rcd at 17751, Para. 238

² USF/ICC Transformation Order, 26 FCC Rcd at 17694, Para. 84 (footnote included) "The standard deviation is a measure of dispersion. The sample standard deviation is the square root of the sample variance. The sample variance is calculated as the sum of the squared deviations of the individual observations in the sample of data from the sample average divided by the total number of observations in the sample minus one. In a normal distribution, about 68 percent of the observations lie within one standard deviation above and below the average and about 95 percent of the observations lie within two standard deviations above and below the average."

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 Pensaco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
 492270

Broadband Services Comparability Report

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313 (a) (11) Penasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("PVT") charges a residential rate of \$74.95 for broadband providing 10 Mbps download, 1 Mbps upload, and an unlimited usage allowance. This rate is lower than \$75.20, which is the 2016 reasonable comparability benchmark for the same offering established by the Wireline Competition Bureau.¹

State	Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees	Broadband Service Download Speeds	Broadband Service Upload Speeds	Usage Allowance	Benchmark Rate
NM	Cottonwood	74.95	0	74.95	10.0	1.0	Unlimited	75.2
NM	Lakewood	74.95	0	74.95	10.0	1.0	Unlimited	75.2
NM	Hope	74.95	0	74.95	10.0	1.0	Unlimited	75.2
NM	Hondo	74.95	0	74.95	10.0	1.0	Unlimited	75.2
NM	Loco Hills	74.95	0	74.95	10.0	1.0	Unlimited	75.2
NM	Mayhill	74.95	0	74.95	10.0	1.0	Unlimited	75.2

Penasco Valley Telephone's rate is at or below the benchmark for 10/1 in all exchanges.

¹ Wireline Competition Bureau Announces Results of 2016 Urban Rate Survey for Fixed Voice and Broadband Services and Posting of Survey Data and Explanatory Notes, Public Notice, WC Docket No. 10-90, DA 16-362 (rel. April 6, 2016).

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Peñasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
Study Area: 492270

Milestone Certification

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.202(a) Peñasco Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("PVT") provides this certification that it is taking reasonable steps to provide upon reasonable request broadband speeds of at least 10 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream, with latency suitable for real-time applications, including Voice over Internet Protocol, and usage capacity that is reasonably comparable to offerings in urban areas as determined in an annual survey as specified in Public Notice DA 16-362, and that requests for such service are met within a reasonable amount of time.

LINE 3017: RUS ANNUAL REPORTS

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