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To Whom it may concern,

I am requesting a waiver of the Form 471 filing deadline. There was some confusion on my part that began with the Form 470. In December 2018, I started the Form 470 for Category 1 funding for data transmission and internet access. I had forgotten that the Form 470 that had been filed in the previous year was filed for a multiple year contract. So then I tried to cancel the Form 470 that I had started in December 2018 and decided to be proactive and start working on the Form 471 for FY 19. I kept getting an error that FY2018 was closed. That was fine because I was trying to do the 471 for FY 19. After getting aggravated I finally sent USAC a message asking for help. I received a response from them on December 27, 2018 stating that Form 471 for funding year 2019 didn’t open until January 16, 2019.

During this time of the year it is very busy in my office and I have no other excuse than to say I neglected to go back into Form 471 to get it filed. I am now being reactive and asking for a waiver from the FCC for missing the Form 471 filing deadline. It would really mean a lot to my district. Thank you in advance for your consideration of my request.

I have attached my Form 471 and my conversations with USAC regarding the above information.

Sincerely,

Joeline Ribley, Treasurer

Riverdale Local School District