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Baraga Telephone Co.

June 15, 2015

Tribal Lands Engagement Letter
Keweenaw Bay Indian Community
Baraga, MI 49908

Re: Form 481 Line 900 - Tribal Reporting

Dear Sirs,

The Baraga Telephone Company, BTC, serves the portion of the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community, KBIC, reservation located within Baraga County, Michigan. It should be noted that I am member of this tribal community, enrollment number 5179. Although I do not involve myself in tribal politics, I do vote on all tribal elections. I also participated in a survey by the KBIC Department of Health & Human Services about the knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors related to commercial and traditional tobacco use.

Line 921, "Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions". Personnel from the Baraga Telephone Company, primarily our Internet / Network Supervisor and our Customer Premise Equipment Supervisor work closely with the following Tribal personnel. These contacts occur at least on a weekly basis: The head of Tribal Public Works, the head of the Tribal I.T. department, the Tribal Executive Secretary, the head of the Tribal Parks & Recreation department, the director of the Tribal Radio station who also maintains the Tribal advertising at the Tribal Service station, the president of the Ojibwa Community College and the head of the community college I.T. department. During 2014 I volunteered and was selected to serve on a new Tribal business corporation board of directors.

In 2014 the Baraga Telephone Company helped bury power lines at the Ojibwa campgrounds. At the new Ojibwa Community College campus in L'Anse, MI, BTC installed more than 80 Cat 6E office drops, a new wireless network and a new telephone system. BTC also installed a wireless network in the Tribal Smoke shop in L'Anse, MI.

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The following Tribal anchor institutions are connected with Baraga Telephone Company fiber optic cable for connection to the outside world and also for an internal tribal network:

- The Tribal Industrial Park including Tribal Housekeeping / Tribal maintenance, Tribal Public Works, Ojibwa Plumbing & Heating
- KBIC Social Services
- KBIC Casino & Motel
- KBIC Tribal Center
- Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College, Baraga
- KBIC Pre Primary Education Program
- Office of Domestic Violence against Women
- The KBIC Health & Education Center
- Tribal Radio Station
- Tribal office of Planning & Development
- The Tribal Police Office
- The Pines Convenience Center (Service Station)
- Tribal Court & the KBIC Office of Child Support
- The Tribal Cultural Center (Located in the Ojibwa Park)
- KBIC Senior Citizens Building
- Tribal Housing Commission Building
- The old Tribal Construction Building
- The Tribal Fish Hatchery

The following Tribal offices were connected with a fiber optic cable in 2014:

- KBIC Pre Primary (Head Start)
- The new Zeba Community Center
- KBIC Daycare, L'Anse, MI
- The Ojibwa Community College, L'Anse, MI campus
- The new KBIC Transfer Station in the KBIC Industrial Park

The following Tribal buildings have not as yet been connected with fiber:

- The Tribal Library. Planned for a future date
- KBIC Outpatient Treatment - Not requested.
- KBIC Head Start & Early Head Start - Not requested as yet, a fiber drop would be needed.
- KBIC Commodity food Warehouse - Not requested as yet, a fiber drop would be needed.

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The Baraga Telephone Company worked closely with Mr. Ken Marshall of the KBIC Office of Community Planning & Development for, "Feasibility and sustainability planning", Line 922, "Compliance with Rights of way processes", Line 924, "Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements", Line 925, "Compliance with Facilities Siting rules", Line 926, "Compliance with any Environmental Review processes", Line 927, "Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes", Line 928, In most instances during construction, Baraga uses a boring machine in lieu of direct burial to preserve the integrity of tribal land. During these jobs the Tribe also generally provides a tribal cultural advisor to monitor any digging to determine if any tribal artifacts might be encountered.

The Baraga Telephone Company does most of its marketing by direct personal contact. In order to make sure that we are "Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner", Line 923, we employ tribal members for the majority of these contacts. Julie Petoskey is our primary customer service representative. She consults often with the head of the Tribal Radio Station, Tribal accounting for billing questions and the personnel in the Tribal Community Assistance office. Julie's husband is the head of the Tribal Health & Education Center's I.T. department. The Baraga Telephone Company also purchases advertising from the Tribal Radio Station.

To comply with "Tribal Business and Licensing requirements", Line 929, the Baraga Telephone Company has obtained a Tribal Business license. (See Attachment)

Sincerely,

Paul Stark

pwstark@up.net

President and General Manager, Baraga Telephone Company

For the fourth year, the Baraga County area sent a team to the two-day Special Olympics Basketball Tournament in Escanaba. The team has been coached by Koray Inal, and the group was rewarded this year with a first place divisional victory.

Several hundred athletes participated in the event that began with an opening ceremony led by State Senator Tom Casperson. The tournament consisted of 22 games staged in single elimination fashion across seven divisions. The local Kiwanas Club provided meals as well as a live band for a dance/mixer on the first night of the tournament.

The high scorers on the Baraga County team this year were Hannah Misegan and Chris Cadeau both averaging 7 points per game during the tournament as well as many defensive steals and blocks. Most of the other players also scored baskets and contributed to the team with ball movement and defense.

The team is appreciative of the support from the Ojibwa Community College which allowed the use of its facilities for practices as well as Copper Country Mental Health for logistics and member supports. Additionally, the team has received support over the years from the LaPlante and Stark families which have been greatly appreciated. ~ submitted by Mick Sheridan.



Baraga Vikings 2014 SO Division 6 Basketball Champions
Members from left rear: Koray Inal, James Cook, Chris Cadeau, Mick Sheridan, Hannah Misegan, Joyce Beadreau, Pam Sheridan. From front left: Laura Barrette, Janel LaPlante, Diane Johnston, Lola Mariacher.

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Sexual assault awareness continues





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Department of Health & Human Services

Donald A. LaPointe Health & Education Center

102 Superior Avenue - Baraga, MI 49908

PHONE (906) 353-8666 - FAX (906) 353-8799

May 6, 2014

Paul Stark
PO Box 21
Baraga, MI 49908

Dear Mr. Stark,

You have been randomly selected to participate in a survey about the knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors related to commercial and traditional tobacco use. This survey has been approved by the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community and Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan. Whether you use tobacco or not, your participation in this study is important in helping to identify tobacco use in your community. The results will be used to address serious health issues among Native American people as a result of commercial tobacco use. The data that are collected will be owned or controlled by the tribe; no other organization will have access to the data unless they have been granted permission by the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community.

This is a confidential survey, which means that your name will be kept private. If you participate in this survey, you will receive a \$15 Pines gift card as compensation for your time.

Please call me at 906-353-4546 as soon as possible to let us know if you would like to participate or not. We have events at the LaPointe Health Center on May 13, 19, and 28 or we can arrange for you to meet with an interviewer at a time that is more convenient for you.

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Sincerely,

Heather M. Wood-Paquet
Health Promotion Specialist
KBIC Dept. of Health & Human Services

KEWEENAW BAY INDIAN COMMUNITY

2013 TRIBAL COUNCIL

WARREN C. SWARTZ, JR, President
ELIZABETH D. MAYO, Vice President
SUSAN J. LAFERNIER, Secretary
TONI J. MINTON, Asst. Secretary
JENNIFER MISEGAN, Treasurer

Keweenaw Bay Tribal Center
16429 Beartown Road
Baraga, Michigan 49908
Phone (906) 353-6623
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ELIZABETH "CHIZ" MATTHEWS
DON MESSER, JR.

BUSINESS LICENSE

KNOW ALL PERSONS, by these presents, that the holder of this BUSINESS LICENSE has been granted the privilege of engaging in business on the L'Anse Federal Indian Reservation by the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community Tribal Council subject to the following terms and conditions:

LICENSEE:

Paul W. Stark
d/b/a Baraga Telephone Company
P.O.Box 21
107 Pine Street
Baraga, MI 49908
353-6644

TYPE OF LICENSE:

Communications and Data Services.

LOCATION:

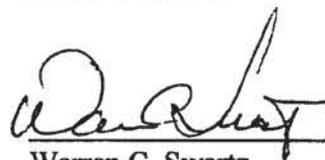
Baraga Telephone Company
204 State Street (Main Office)
Baraga, MI 49908
353-6644

REQUIREMENTS:

Licensee shall comply with all applicable tribal and federal laws and regulations. Failure to comply with all applicable laws and regulations will immediately void this license.

EFFECTIVE DATES:

December 6, 2013 – December 5, 2014



Warren C. Swartz
President
Keweenaw Bay Indian Community

THIS LICENSE MUST BE POSTED IN A PROMINENT AND VISIBLE LOCATION AT ALL TIMES

LAKE SUPERIOR BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

"Home of the Midnight Two-Step Championship"

KEWEENAW BAY INDIAN COMMUNITY

2012 TRIBAL COUNCIL

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ELIZABETH D. MAYO, Vice President
SUSAN J. LAFERNIER, Secretary
JERRY LEE CURTIS, Asst. Secretary
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ATTENTION ADULT TRIBAL MEMBERS AANIKOOSING INC.

Our very own newly created Tribal business corporation, Aanikoosing Inc. is seeking interested and experienced Tribal members to apply for three (3) open seats on this newly created Board of Directors. The code requires a five (5) member Board with two (2) Board members coming from the Tribal Council, still to be determined, one (1) may be an enrolled member of the Tribe currently serving on the Tribal Economic Development Committee, who shall not be a member of the Tribal Council, and two (2) shall come from the membership of our Community.

Those interested should exhibit exemplary experience in business, be responsible and express integrity as well as good judgment. Each interested individual member should be sensitive to the unique goals and the culture of the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community.

The ideal candidate would recognize the need for diversification within the Tribe's holdings as well as demonstrate expertise in and have an understanding in business management, administration, accounting, finance, Indian law, marketing, grants management, public relations, and other related disciplines. Time requirements include all regularly scheduled meetings, including additional project meetings and special meetings.

The Board of Directors shall be required to get approval from Tribal Council for its annual operating plan and the first plan shall include two projects: first, a new cigarette manufacturing business, second, a new gas station/smoke shop in Marquette.

The three seats each come with initial terms of one year, two year, and three year terms. Thereafter, the term for each director shall be for three years.

A Letter of Intent will be accepted through June 29, 2012, and should be mailed to:

**Keweenaw Bay Indian Community
C/O President Swartz
16429 Bear Town Road
Baraga, MI 49908**

LAKE SUPERIOR BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

"Home of the Midnight Two-Step Championship"

Baraga Telephone Company
Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1 (R)

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

A. DESCRIPTION

- 1. Lifeline Service applies discounts to monthly recurring rates for qualifying residential customers. These discounts are applied to existing tariffed rates and charges for residential telephone service.
- 2. In order to be eligible for Lifeline Service a residential customer's household income must be at or below 150% of the poverty level as determined by the United States Office of Management and Budget and as approved by the State Treasurer, or the customer must participate in one of the following federal assistance programs:

- a. Medicaid
- b. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) - Food stamps
- c. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- d. Federal Public Housing Assistance/Section 8
- e. Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- f. National School Lunch Program's free lunch program
- g. Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) aka Family Independence Program

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In addition to the criteria above, applicants residing on Tribal Lands (referenced in Title 25 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 20.1) may qualify if they participate in one of the following federal assistance programs:

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- a. Bureau of Indian Affairs general assistance
- b. Tribally administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- c. Head Start (must meet program's income qualifying standard)
- d. Food Distribution on Indian Reservations (FDPIR)

Applicants residing on Tribal Lands must sign under penalty of perjury that he/she resides on Federally-recognized Tribal Land, as defined in Title 47 Code of Federal Regulations, Section 54.400(e), or Section 54.412, and receives benefits from at least one of the programs referenced above. The Tribal Lands Applicant also must agree to notify the Company if they cease to participate in the program.

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- 3. Lifeline Service includes the services and functionalities enumerated in by the F.C.C. as follows: voice grade access to the public switched network; local usage; dual tone multi-frequency signaling or its functional equivalent; single-party service or its functional equivalent; access to operator services; access to interexchange service; access to directory assistance; and toll blocking for qualifying customers.
- 4. Other services can be provided with the Lifeline Service at applicable rates and charges.

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By: Paul W. Stark, President
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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

B. REGULATIONS

1. Regulations specified elsewhere in the Company's tariffs apply to Lifeline Service.
2. Lifeline Service is available only with residence services, excluding foreign exchange service. Lifeline Service is limited to one line per household at the customer's primary residence.
3. A miscellaneous service charge does not apply when Lifeline Service is added or discontinued to existing service when that is the only work being done.
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 - a. A discount of 20% of the Basic Local Exchange rate or \$11.25 whichever is greater, on the monthly rate for Basic Local Exchange Service for Lifeline customers is applicable. For Lifeline customers 65 years of age or more, the discount will be 25% of the Basic Local Exchange rate or \$12.35, whichever is greater. The total discount shall not exceed 100% of all end-user common line charges and the Basic Local Exchange rate.
 - b. The credit will be applied in the following order: (1) The Interstate End User Access Charge, National Exchange Carriers Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, Section 17.1.2.(A); (2) The Access Recovery Charge, National Exchange Carriers Association, Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, Section 17.8; and (3) The balance of the credit, if any, will be applied as a credit to the Basic Local Exchange rate.
 - c. The Company will provide, at the qualifying customer's option, toll blocking service at no charge. The Company defines toll blocking as a service provided by the Company that lets the customer elect not to allow the completion of outgoing toll calls from their telecommunications channel.
 - d. The Company will not require a service deposit in order to initiate Lifeline Service if the qualifying customer voluntarily elects toll blocking service.
 - e. The Company will not disconnect Lifeline Service for non-payment of toll charges by qualifying customers.
5. The Lifeline plan will apply after receipt and processing of a completed Company or community/government provided application, including documentation indicating that the household income meets the eligibility standards established above.
6. Customers of Lifeline Service must notify the Company of any changes which would affect qualification. Reverification of eligibility will take place on an ongoing basis. When the customer is no longer eligible for Lifeline service, the Lifeline discount would be discontinued and regular tariff rates and charges would apply.

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C. MONTHLY RATE FOR NON LIFELINE CUSTOMERS

A rate specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C No. 25 Part XVII - General applies per exchange access line to cover the costs of the Lifeline service, to the Telephone Company intrastate services as listed below:

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- Business and Residence exchange services excluding Lifeline customers.
- PBX Trunk Services
- Centrex Services

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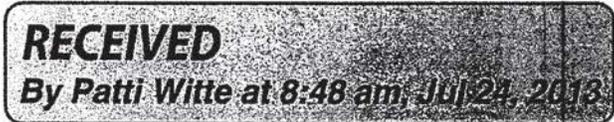
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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE
LIFELINE SERVICE

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D. TRIBAL LINK UP PROGRAM

- 1. A discount on the line connection charges, specified elsewhere in this tariff, is also available to qualifying customers, for the installation or transfer of service from one residential premises to another.
- 2. a. In order to be eligible for the Tribal Link Up Program, a residential customer must live on federally recognized tribal lands, and the residential customer's household income must be at or below 150% of the poverty level as determined by the United States Office of Management and Budget and as approved by the State Treasurer. (C)
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- b. A qualifying customer may receive a reduction in the installation charges, or transfer of service charges, for connection at the customer's principal place of residence of 100% of the customary charges up to \$100.00, whichever is less. (C)
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- b. A qualifying customer may then make payments for the connection charges on a deferred schedule in which the qualifying customer does not pay interest. The interest charges not charged to the qualifying customer shall be for connection charges of up to \$200.00 that are deferred for a period not to exceed one year. Charges assessed for installation or transfer of service include any charges that the Company customarily assesses to connect subscribers to the network. These charges do not include any permissible security deposit requirements.
- c. A qualifying customer may choose one or both of the programs set forth in 2.a. and 2.b. of this section.
- d. A qualifying customer can receive the benefits of the Tribal Link Up Program for a second and subsequent time only for a principal place of residence with an address different from the residence address at which the Link Up assistance was provided previously. (C)
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Michigan Lifeline Administration Service

LIFELINE APPLICATION

Eligible customers will receive \$11.25 off their monthly phone bill and seniors aged 65 and older can receive additional discounts.

TOLL FREE 1-866-321-2323

To apply for Lifeline Service, complete the application below and send it to:

Lifeline Administration Service

PO Box 11037, Lansing, Michigan 48901 OR fax to 517-482-3548

IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

| | | | |
|---|--|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant's phone number: | | Name of phone company: | |
| Date of Birth: | Last 4-digits of Social Security Number: | | |
| Last Name: | First Name: | M.I.: | |
| Street: | | | |
| Residential street address only; FCC regulations prohibit the use of P.O. Boxes for the Lifeline program | | | |
| City: | State: | ZIP Code: | |
| This is my permanent address: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> This is a rural address with no postal route: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| Billing Address, City, State and Zip Code (if different from Service Address) | | | |
| There are multiple unique households (e.g. nursing home, assisted living facility) at my address, as defined in this program. | | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |

PROGRAM QUALIFICATION INFORMATION

To be eligible for Lifeline discounts, regulations require you to qualify via one of the two methods below. Please fill out one section only.

Method 1. My income is within the guidelines and I am providing the following photocopies that document my total household income, which is stated below. Please check all that apply.

TOTAL MONTHLY INCOME: \$ **NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS:**

| # of Household Members | Gross Monthly Income | Gross Annual Income* |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | \$1,471 | \$17,655 |
| 2 | \$1,991 | \$23,895 |
| 3 | \$2,511 | \$30,135 |
| 4 | \$3,031 | \$36,375 |

*Add \$6,240 (\$520 monthly) for each additional household member.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Prior year's state or federal tax return. | <input type="checkbox"/> Current Annual Income Statement from Employer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Security statement of benefits | <input type="checkbox"/> Paycheck stubs or other official document containing income information for any 3 consecutive months within last 12 months |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Retirement/pension statement of benefits | <input type="checkbox"/> Veterans Administration statement of benefits |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployment/Worker's Compensation Statement of Benefits | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce decree or child support document containing income information |

Method 2. I, or the member of my household named below, receives assistance from one of the listed programs. I am providing documentation of participation in the checked program.

Name: _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Food stamps | <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Public Housing Assistance or Section 8 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid | <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental Security Income | <input type="checkbox"/> National School Lunch – Free Lunch Program |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low-Income Home Energy Plan (LIHEAP) | |

LIFELINE ADMINISTRATION SERVICE PROCESSES APPLICATIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPANIES

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| AcenTek | Climax Telephone Company | Springport Telephone Company |
| Allband Communications Coop. | Deerfield Farmers' Telephone Co. | TDS Telecom |
| Baraga Telephone Company | Hiawatha Telephone Company | Thumb Cellular |
| Barry County Telephone Company | Kaleva Telephone Company | Upper Peninsula Telephone Company |
| Blanchard Telephone Company | Lennon Telephone Company | Waldron Telephone Company |
| Bloomington Communications | Michigan Central Broadband Co. | Westphalia Broadband, Inc./Comlink |
| Carr Telephone Company | Midway Telephone Company | Westphalia Telephone Company |
| CenturyLink of Michigan | Ogden Communications | Winn Telecom |
| CenturyLink of Midwest Michigan | Ontonagon County Telephone Co. | Winn Telephone Company |
| CenturyLink of Northern Michigan | Pigeon Telephone Company | |
| CenturyLink of Upper Michigan | Sand Creek Telephone Company | |
| Chapin Telephone Company | Southwest Michigan Communications | |

For more information, please call 1-866-321-2323.

If your phone company is not on the list above, please contact them directly to apply for Lifeline discounts.

APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

PLEASE READ AND INITIAL EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS TO INDICATE THAT YOU UNDERSTAND AND AGREE:

- I understand and consent to Lifeline Administration Service providing my Lifeline service account information, including but not limited to, my name, residential address, phone number, date of birth, the last 4 digits of my social security number, the date on which my Lifeline service was initiated/terminated, the amount of Lifeline support provided, and the means through which I qualified for Lifeline, to the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC), USAC's agents and/or the National Lifeline Accountability Database to ensure the proper administration of the Lifeline program. I understand that if I fail to provide this consent, Lifeline Administration Service will deny me Lifeline service.
- Lifeline is a non-transferable benefit and the subscriber may not transfer his or her benefit to any other person.
- Lifeline is a federal benefit and willfully making false statements to obtain the benefit can result in fines, imprisonment, de-enrollment or being barred from the program.
- Lifeline support is only available for a single phone line at my principal residence and no one else in my household is receiving Lifeline discounts. (A "household" is defined as any individual or group of individuals who live together at the same address and share income and expenses.)
- Violation of the one-per-household limitation constitutes a violation of the Federal Communication Commission's rules and will result in the subscriber's de-enrollment from the program and potentially prosecution by the US government.
- I understand that if I am identified as receiving more than one Lifeline benefit, all telephone service providers involved may be notified so that I may select one service and be de-enrolled from the other(s).
- I will notify my telephone company within 30 days if I no longer qualify for Lifeline and I may be subject to penalties if I fail to do so.
- I will notify my telephone company within 30 days of any changes to my residential address.
- I will be required to certify my continued eligibility for Lifeline at least once a year and know failure to do so will result in termination of my participation in the program.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

I certify, under penalty of perjury, that the information provided in this application and supporting documentation is true and complete.

Signature:

Date:

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Baraga Telephone Company (SAC 310675)

Response to Line 3010 – Milestone Certification (47 CFR §54.313(f)(1)(i))

Baraga Telephone Company hereby certifies that throughout 2014, it took reasonable steps to provide upon reasonable request broadband service at actual speeds of at least 4 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream, and currently, it is taking reasonable steps to provide upon reasonable request actual speeds of at least 10 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream broadband service at with latency suitable for real-time applications, including Voice over Internet Protocol, and usage capacity that is reasonably comparable to comparable offerings in urban areas as determined in an annual survey, and that requests for such service are met within a reasonable amount of time.

Baraga Telephone Company (SAC 310675)

Response to Line 3012 - List of Community Anchor Institutions to Which the ETC Newly Began Providing Service

The FCC's *USF/ICC Transformation Order* requires a listing of community anchor institutions to which the ETC newly began providing broadband service. BTC hereby provides the FCC with a list of community anchor institutions to which it newly began providing access to broadband service in calendar year 2014.¹

| Number | Name | Address |
|--------|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Baraga County Courthouse | 16 N. Third Street, L'Anse, MI |
| 2 | Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College, L'Anse Campus | 770 N. Main Street, L'Anse, MI |
| 3 | KBIC Transfer Station | Ojibwa Industrial Park |
| 4 | Zeba Community Center | 16141 Zeba Road, L'Anse, MI |
| 5 | KBIC Daycare | 615 North Main Street, L'Anse, MI |
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¹ The FCC has defined community anchor institutions in Section 54.5 of its Rules as "schools, libraries, health care providers, community colleges, other institutions of higher education, and other community support organizations and entities."

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ATTACHMENT - LINE 3026

ATTACHMENT REDACTED IN ENTIRETY