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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

what you should really tell the wireless phone users of America is that you want to line your pockets with more of our hard earned money. Wireless phone service is one of the most popular and highly used items used in America....so lets let the goverment tax us again on something already so high priced. My mother uses a cell phone because she cannot afford a wire phone system, she only gets \$362.00 a month on SSI and \$10.00 in goverment food stamps. GIVE US A BREAK!! ehy don't you look at a universal tax on groceries, which everyone needs to buy.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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