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MESSAGE: Request for Review

Pls see letter. Original will be sent through regular mail.

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January 9, 2007

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REQUEST FOR REVIEW  
 CC DOCKET No. 02-6  
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### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The following is a Request for Review related to the USAC-SLD's decision of November 20, 2006. The Windsor Public Schools respectfully submits:

#### 1. Contact Information:

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#### 2. USAC-SLD Action to be Reviewed:

Funding Year:	2006
Document Date:	November 20, 2006
Applicant Name:	Windsor School District
BEN:	122315
Form 471 Application Number:	538782
Funding Request Numbers:	1492509, 1492510, 1492511, 1492512 & 1492513
Statement:	THIS LETTER IS AN APPEAL

#### 3. Appeal Explanation:

The WINDSOR SCHOOL DISTRICT is appealing the decision made by the USAC-SLD that determined the USAC *could not have determined from the correspondence that our intention was any other than to cancel the entire application (Windsor FCDL, June 27, 2006)*. The exhibits are as follows and are considered to be facts:

- Mr. Uday Bhoopalam was assigned as the Program Integrity Assurance (PIA) reviewer of application 538782.

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- FRN 1492514 was a request for a new, high-speed wide area network to be implemented district-wide. The costs associated with this network were far greater than the costs associated with Windsor's basic telecommunications services.
- Mr. Bhoopalam asked multiple questions related specifically to FRN 1492514. When it became apparent that the school district could not pay its share of the proposed project, the decision was made to cancel FRN 1492514 and reapply for the 2007 funding year.
- Mr. Bhoopalam asked Mr. Frank Williams to send the directive to cancel FRN 1492514 in writing in a phone conversation on or about June 15, 2006.
- Mr. Frank Williams sent (*incorrectly*) the directive via e-mail on June 15, 2006 asking Mr. Bhoopalam to cancel Form 471 538782.
- On June 27, 2006, FRN's 1492509, 1492510, 1492511, 1492512, 1492513 and 1492514 were denied in the USAC-SLD's Funding Commitment Decision Letter (FCDL).
- Each funding commitment decision's explanation was the same: *FRN canceled in consultation with the applicant.*

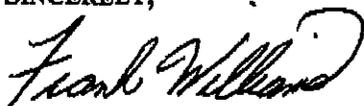
The Windsor School District insists that the USAC-SLD has erred in its original decision to cancel ALL of the FRN's on Form 471 538782. The correspondence and subsequent phone conversations regarding Form 471 538782 were all related to FRN 1492514. Prior to the sending of the e-mail on June 15, 2006, it was agreed on the phone with Mr. Bhoopalam that this singular FRN should be cancelled. Mr. Bhoopalam, upon receipt of the e-mail, should have contacted Mr. Williams a final time to ensure that the information being sent by the district was correct.

Mr. Bhoopalam did not consult with the Windsor School District to cancel all the FRN's or a single FRN on Form 471 538782.

Therefore, we are requesting in good faith of the program a reversal of the USAC-SLD's decision to deny the Windsor School District appeal and reinstate FRN's 1492509, 1492510, 1492511, 1492512 & 1492513.

I trust the above and the attached to be sufficient in processing our appeal. However, if you need any additional information please do not hesitate to contact me.

SINCERELY,



MR. FRANK WILLIAMS  
DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS SERVICES  
WINDSOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
(file: FCC Appeal 538782 08JAN07)