

# STATE OF COLORADO

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September 23, 2008

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room TW - A306  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Colorado's Certification of Support for Rural and Non-Rural High Cost Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313-314, CC Dockets No. 96-45 and No. 00-256.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The Colorado telephone companies listed on the attachment have certified to the Colorado Public Utilities Commission that all federal high cost support provided to rural and non-rural carriers in this state will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with § 254 (e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

The attachment lists rural and non-rural carriers certified by the Colorado PUC pursuant to §§ 54.313 and 54.314 of the Federal Communications Commission's rules (47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313 and 54.314), which require states to establish an annual certification process for rural and non-rural carriers receiving federal high cost support. As requested by the Universal Service Administrative Company, the assigned study area code is listed beside each carrier's name.

Questions regarding the annual certifications should be directed to Susan Travis at (303) 894-2043.

Sincerely,

Doug Dean  
Director

cc: Ms. Karen Majcher  
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## LIST OF STATE CERTIFIED CARRIERS

### Non Rural Carriers

Qwest Services Corporation SAC # 465102

### Rural Carriers – Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers

Agate+ Mutual Telephone Coop Assoc.	SAC # 462178
Big Sandy Telecom, Inc.	SAC # 462192
Bijou Telephone Cooperative Assn.	SAC # 462181
Blanca Telephone Company	SAC # 462182
CenturyTel of Eagle	SAC # 462185
CenturyTel of Colorado	SAC # 462208
Columbine Telecom Inc.	SAC # 462204
Delta County Tele-Com, Inc.	SAC # 462184
Dubois Telephone Exchange, Inc.	SAC # 512291
Eastern Slope Rural Telephone Assn.	SAC # 462186
El Paso County Telephone Co.	SAC # 462187
Farmers Telephone Company	SAC # 462188
Haxtun Telephone Company	SAC # 462190
Nucla- Naturita Telephone Co.	SAC # 462193
Nunn Telephone Company	SAC # 462194
Peetz Cooperative Telephone Co.	SAC # 462196
Phillips County Telephone Company	SAC # 462197
JED Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Pine Telephone Co.	SAC # 462198
Plains Cooperative Telephone Assn.	SAC # 462199
Rico Telephone Company	SAC # 462201
Roggen Telephone Coop. Company	SAC # 462202
Rye Telephone Company	SAC # 462203
S&T Telephone Coop. Assoc.	SAC # 411827
South Park Telephone Company	SAC # 462195
Stoneham Cooperative Telephone Co.	SAC # 462206
Strasburg Telephone Co.	SAC # 462207
Sunflower Telephone Co.	SAC # 461835
Union Telephone Company	SAC # 512297
Wiggins Telephone Association	SAC # 462209
Willard Telephone Co.	SAC # 462210

### Rural Carriers – Competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carriers

Commnet Wireless, LLC	SAC Unknown
San Isabel Telecom, Inc.	SAC #469004
Northeast Colorado Cellular, Inc.	SAC #469001
Western Wireless Corporation (WWC)	SAC #469003
NTCH-Colorado, LLC	SAC Unknown

**LIST OF STATE CARRIERS NOT CERTIFIED**

**Rural Carriers – Competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carriers NOT Certified**

VCI Company d/b/a Vilaire

SAC Unknown