

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)
Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service) WC Docket No. 09-197
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To: Wireline Competition Bureau

SUPPLEMENT TO SECTION 54.209 REPORT

Pine Belt Cellular, Inc. (“Pine Belt”), a provider of cellular and personal communications services to rural and non-rural areas in Alabama, is designated as an eligible telecommunications carrier (“ETC”) by this Commission for the services it provides in Alabama. Pine Belt therefore files, pursuant to Section 54.209 of the Commission’s rules, an annual compliance report in relation to receipt of high-cost universal service (“USF”) support.¹

This Supplement is filed in response to the verbal request of Commission staff, seeking additional responsive information from Pine Belt to supplement its 2009 Annual Compliance Report.

Pine Belt respectfully requests that the FCC associate this information with its previously filed 2009 Section 54.209 Report. In the attached information, Pine Belt provides additional maps showing its coverage by wire center, indicating where network improvements were installed. Pine Belt provides information about significant outages by wire center, describing the causes, such as Tropical Storm Fay. During the reporting period, Pine Belt constructed two new base stations and reconfigured an existing base station for improved coverage and capacity, as

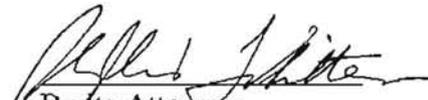
¹ 47 C.F.R. § 54.209.

the attached information shows. In addition, Pine Belt shows, by wire center that during 2010 it plans to build six new base stations, reconfigure a repeater site for improved coverage, and construct eight new transceivers. Additional improvements are planned through 2014. These improvements will allow Pine Belt to continue providing quality service to its rural customers.

WHEREFORE, Pine Belt respectfully requests that the Commission accept this Supplement to its 2009 Section 54.209 Report.

Respectfully submitted,

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PINE BELT CELLULAR, INC. SERVICE AREA MAPS

County and Company Coverage

Choctaw County

Butler and Millry Telephone Companies

Dallas County

Century Orrville and Bell Selma Telephone Companies

Marengo County

Bell Linden, Bell Demopolis, Frontier Thomaston and Pine Belt Telephone Companies

Perry County

Bell Uniontown and Bell Marion Telephone Companies

Wilcox County

Frontier Camden and Century Pine Hill Telephone Companies

Color-Coded Coverage Key

Green = Best

Yellow = Better

Magenta = Good

Symbols

E = Exchange Boundary

U = Company Boundary (Can also be part of an exchange boundary)

Black triangles = New Construction Sites (Labeled as well)