

April 12, 2011



Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Notice of Ex Parte –
Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future, GN
Docket No. 09-51; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers, WC
Docket No. 07-135; High-Cost Universal Service Support, WC Docket No. 05-337; Developing
an Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime, CC Docket No. 01-92; Federal-State Board on
Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 12, 2011 Desda Passarella Hutchins of Loretto Telephone, Patricia Stewart of Ironton Telephone Company, Trey Judy of Hargray Communications, Dave Corn of Yadkin Valley Telephone, Carole M. Woodward of Eastern Rural Telecom Association, Jerry Weikle of Weikle & Co., and Steve Kraskin, Keith Oliver, Judy Berberich representing the Rural Broadband Alliance met with Sharon Gillett, Carol Matthey, Amy Bender, Scott Mackoul, Gary Seigel, Patrick Halley, Alexander Minard, Katie King, and Ted Burmeister of the Wireline Competition Bureau.

There was discussion about inaccuracies in the National Broadband Map. There was discussion about intercarrier compensation reform and Local Switching Support. There was discussion about USF reform and the need to recover costs of existing investments.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jerry Weikle

Jerry Weikle

cc: Sharon Gillett
Carol Matthey
Amy Bender
Scott Mackoul
Gary Seigel
Patrick Halley
Alexander Minard
Katie King
Ted Burmeister