

**Annual Reporting for High-Cost Recipients
47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h)
Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. -AZ
and Copper Valley Telephone, Inc.
Study Area 452176**

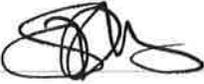
§54.313(a)(5) – COMPLIANCE WITH SERVICE QUALITY STANDARDS AND CONSUMER PROTECTION RULES

Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules Annual Certification

Steven D. Metts	CEO/GM	Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc. and Copper Valley Telephone, Inc.
Printed Name of Officer	Title of Officer	Company Names

I am authorized to provide this certification on behalf of the Companies. I hereby certify that the Companies are in compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules.

Executed on June 19, 2012
Date

Signature 

Printed/Typed Name Steven D. Metts

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§54.313(a)(6) – ABILITY TO FUNCTION IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS

Ability to Function in Emergency Situations Annual Certification

Steven D. Metts	CEO/GM	Valley Telephone Cooperative Inc. and Copper Valley Telephone, Inc.
Printed Name of Officer	Title of Officer	Company Names

I am authorized to provide this certification on behalf of the Companies. I hereby certify that the Companies are capable of functioning in emergency situations. The Companies have a reasonable amount of back-up power to ensure functionality without an external power source, are able to reroute traffic around damaged facilities, and are capable of managing traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations.

Executed on _____ June 19, 2012 _____
Date

Signature _____  _____

Printed/Typed Name _____ Steven D. Metts _____