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Office of the FCC Secretary
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WC Docket No. 10-90, Annual 54.313 Report of High-Cost Recipient

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed herein is the annual report for Chugwater Telephone Company, Study Area Code 512289 pursuant to §54.313 of the Federal Communications Commission's rules.

Please contact me with any questions at:

Phone: 719.594.5821
Email: rhendershot@gvnw.com

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ray Hendershot". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Ray Hendershot
Vice President

Enclosure

CC:

USAC
2000 L Street Suite 200
Washington, DC 20036

Annual Reporting Requirements pursuant to § 54.313(a)(2)-(6)

WC Docket No. 10-90

§ 54.313(a)(2) – Outage reporting

- My company was not required to collect this information in 2011.
- My company collected this information pursuant to state utility commission requirement. A copy of the report is attached.

§ 54.313(a)(3) – Unfulfilled service requests

- My company was not required to collect this information in 2011.
- My company collected this information pursuant to state utility commission requirement. A copy of the report is attached.

§ 54.313(a)(4) – Customer complaints per 1000 connections

- My company was not required to collect this information in 2011.
- My company collected this information pursuant to state utility commission requirement. A copy of the report is attached.

§ 54.313(a)(5) – Service quality standards and consumer protection rules

I certify that the reporting carrier is in compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules.

§ 54.313(a)(6) – Ability to function in emergency situations

I certify that the reporting carrier can function in emergency situations as set forth in 47 CFR §54.202(a)(2). Specifically, the reporting carrier has a reasonable amount of back-up power to ensure functionality without an external power source, is able to reroute traffic around damaged facilities, and is capable of managing traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above and, to the best of my knowledge the information reported on this form is accurate. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below. **(Please enter your Company Name, State and Study Area Code)**

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Chugwater Telephone	Wyoming	512289

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.)

Signed,


[Signature of Corporate Officer]

Date: June 25, 2012

Greg Cochran
[Printed Name of Corporate Officer]

Secretary / Treasurer
[Title of Corporate Officer]

Carrier's Name Chugwater Telephone Co
Carrier's Address 225 2nd St, PO Box 223, Chugwater WY 82210
Carrier's Telephone Number 307-422-3535
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CHUGWATER TELEPHONE COMPANY

Annual Reporting Requirements for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers

Chugwater Telephone Company (Chugwater) is an Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier providing basic telephone services. Chugwater's NECA study area designation is 512289. Chugwater hereby reports the following information with respect to Wyoming Public Service Commission Annual Certification of Eligible Telecommunications Carriers.

- (i) The number of requests for service from potential customers within the ETC's service areas that were unfulfilled during the past year and written submission detailing how it attempted to provide service to those potential customers, as set forth in 47 C.F.R. § 54.202(a)(1)(i).

As per the requirements set forth in 47 C.F.R 54.2020(a)(1)(i), the Company had no unfulfilled service requests in 2011.

- (ii) The number of complaints per 1,000 access lines or handsets.

The company was notified by the Commission of no formal complaints in 2011.

- (iii) Written submission detailing how the carrier is complying with applicable Wyoming service quality standards, consumer protection rules and/or the Cellular Telecommunications and Internet Association (CTIA) Consumer Code (if applicable).

Chugwater Telephone complies with the Wyoming Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules set forth in Chapter 5 of the Commission's Rules. Quarterly Telecommunications Service Quality Reports are filed and should be on record with the Commission.

- (iv) Written submission detailing how the carrier is able to function in emergency situations as set forth in 47 C.F.R. § 54.202(a)(2).

Chugwater Telephone utilizes battery back-up systems and standby generators in its central office. This enables Chugwater to maintain power during an outage of at least 48 hours. Chugwater is installing a new backup generating in 2012.

- (v) Detailed information on any outage, as that term is defined in 47 CFR 4.5, of at least 30 minutes in duration for each service area in which an ETC is designated for any facilities it owns, operates, leases, or otherwise utilizes that potentially affect (i) at least ten percent of the end users served in a designated service area; or (ii) a 911 special facility, as defined in 47 CFR 4.5(e). Specifically, the ETC's annual report must include information detailing:

- A. The date and time of onset of the outage;
- B. A brief description of the outage and its resolution;
- C. The particular services affected;
- D. The geographic areas affected by the outage;
- E. Steps taken to prevent a similar situation in the future; and
- F. The number of customers affected.

The Company has zero outages as defined in 47 C.F.R 4.5 of at least 30 minutes and affecting at least ten percent of the end users in the company's service area or a 911 special facility.

Appendix D

CERTIFICATION

The certification must be submitted by a company officer, stating the date and place of its execution; and that it is so certified or declared under the laws of the state of Wyoming. The certification or declaration may be in substantially the following form:

WYOMING ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER CERTIFICATION APPLICATION

VERIFICATION

"I, Greg Cashner, the Secretary of Chugwater Telephone Company, after being duly sworn upon my oath, depose and state that I certify (or declare), that the information contained on the foregoing 2012 application for certification as an eligible telecommunications carrier, including the attachments thereto, is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that federal universal service support received shall be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities for which the support is intended."

June 27, 2012
(Date and Place)

Greg Cashner
(Signature)

STATE OF Wyoming

COUNTY OF Platte

On this 27th day of June, 2012, before me, a notary public in and for the said state and county, personally appeared before me Greg Cashner (name of person), the Secretary (company employee title) of Chugwater Telephone (company name), to me known to be the identical person named in and who executed the 2012 eligible telecommunications carrier certification application, and acknowledged that he/she executed the 2012 eligible telecommunications carrier certification application as the voluntary act of the person and the company.

Witness my hand and official seal.



Karen L. Misraai
Notary Public
My Commission Expires 6/12/2013