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Ms. Jean Jewell
Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
472 West Washington Street
Boise, ID 83720

**RE: FCC Certification of Filer Mutual Telephone Company, Inc. in Idaho
for Federal Universal Service Support**

Dear Ms. Jewell,

Filer Mutual Telephone Company, Inc. ("the Company" or "Filer") hereby provides copies to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") of the filing to the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") and the Universal Service Administrative Corporation ("USAC") for universal service support, in accordance with 47 U.S.C. 54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h). Filer, Study Area Code 472220, is a rural incumbent local exchange carrier (ILEC) as designated by the FCC, and is eligible to receive federal universal service high-cost support pursuant to the Code of Federal Regulations ("CFR"), Title 47, Sections 54.301, 54.305, and Part 36, sub-part F. This is an informational filing for notification to the Commission of Filer's compliance by the July 2, 2012 deadline.

Sincerely,

Steve Cowger
General Manager/COO

**Annual Reporting for High-Cost Recipients
47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h)
Filer Mutual Telephone Company**

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June 15, 2012

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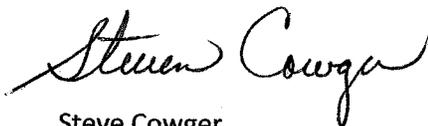
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RE: WC Docket No. 10-90: Annual Reporting Requirements for High-Cost Recipients §54.313 (a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h)

Pursuant to Section 54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h) of the Federal Communications Commission's rules, enclosed are the 2012 annual reporting requirements and certifications for Filer Mutual Telephone Company-ID, Study Area Code 472220. Filer Mutual Telephone company also operates in Nevada with a study area code of 552220, though Filer Mutual Telephone Company does not receive high Cost Loop Support in Nevada. Filer Mutual Telephone Company is a state-designated ETC in both Idaho and Nevada, and as such, is submitting to the Commissions relevant information from reports it files with its state commissions for §54.313 (a)(2) through (a)(4).

Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at stevec@filertel.net or by phone at 208-326-4331.

Sincerely,



Steve Cowger
COO/General Manager

Enclosures

Cc: Idaho Public Utilities Commission

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OUTAGE REPORTING – §54.313 (a)(2)

Detailed information on any outage in the prior calendar year, as that term is defined in 47 C.F.R. 4.5, of at least 30 minutes in duration for each service area in which an eligible telecommunications carrier 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 C.F.R. 4.5(e). 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(2).

Detailed Outage Information for 2011						
Date of Outage	Time of Outage	Description of Outage and Resolution	Particular Services Affected	Geographic Areas Affected	Steps Taken to Prevent Future Recurrences	Number of Customers Affected
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

UNFULFILLED SERVICE REQUESTS – §54.313(a)(3)

The number of requests for service from potential customers within the recipient's service areas that were unfulfilled during the prior calendar year. The carrier shall also detail how it attempted to provide service to those customers.

There were no unfilled requests for service during calendar year 2011.

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NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS PER 1,000 CONNECTIONS – §54.313(a)(4)

The number of complaints per 1,000 connections (fixed or mobile) in the prior calendar year.

During calendar year 2011, Filer Mutual Telephone Company received 0 complaints per 1,000 working access lines.

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

Ability to Function in Emergency Situations Annual Certification

<u>Steve Cowger</u>	<u>COO/General Manager</u>	<u>Filer Mutual Telephone Company</u>
Printed Name of Officer	Title of Officer	Company Name

I am authorized to provide this certification on behalf of the Company. I hereby certify that the Company is capable of functioning in emergency situations. The Company 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.

Executed on 6/15/2012
Date

Signature 

Printed/Typed Name Steve Cowger

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ADDITIONAL VOICE RATE DATA – §54.313(h)

All incumbent local exchange carrier recipients of high-cost support must report all rates for residential local service, as well as state fees as defined pursuant to §54.318(e) of this subpart, that are below the local urban rate floor as defined in §54.318 of this subpart, and the number of lines for each rate specified. Carriers shall report lines and rates in effect as of June 1.

As of June 1, 2012, Filer Mutual Telephone Company did not have any rates for residential local service, as well as state fees as defined pursuant to §54.318(e), that are below the local urban rate floor as defined in §54.318.