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Ms. Jean Jewell, Secretary Idaho Public Utilities Commission 472 W. Washington Street Boise, ID 83702

GNR-T-16-01

Re: FCC WC Docket 10-90 Connect America Fund Intercarrier Compensation Replacement; Annual Reporting Requirements

Dear Jean:

On behalf of those Idaho local exchange carriers listed below, and pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 54.304(d)(1) of the Federal Communications Commission regulations, we are filing projected eligibility for CAF ICC funding for July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017, and Local Rate Floor Data. In addition to the redacted hard copies for each company, this information is also being submitted on the enclosed CD-ROM.

The companies request that the data contained as digital information on the CD-ROM be treated as confidential, trade secret information exempt from disclosure under Idaho Public Utilities Commission Rule of Procedure 67, IDAPA 31.01.01.67. This information is considered confidential because it includes, among other things, company-specific financial information, minutes of use and numbers of customers lines. I am familiar with the information alleged to be confidential and not subject to public inspection, examination or copying and in good faith believe there is a basis in law for that claim, namely that the information constitutes a trade secret as defined by Idaho Code 9-340 and is subject to protection.

The Idaho local exchange carriers for which these filings are being made are:

- Project Mutual Telephone Company
- Farmers Mutual Telephone Company

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- Rural Telephone Company/RTI
- Cambridge Telephone Company/CTC Telecom
- Midvale Telephone Exchange Inc
- Custer Telephone Cooperative
- Direct Communications, Inc.
- Filer Mutual Telephone

If you have any questions, or require any further information in connection with this filing, please contact me at your first convenience.

Sincerely, Michael Mann

Michael C. Creamer

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