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June 20, 2016

Via Electronic Filing

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

Re: WC Docket No. 14-58
2016 ETC Annual Report Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313 and 54.422
2016 ETC Annual Report of Project Mutual Tel, Study Area Code 472231

Dear Secretary,

On behalf of Project Mutual Tel, we have attached for filing confidential and redacted versions of the FCC Form 481 ETC annual reporting information pursuant to 47 CFR 54.313 and 47 CFR 54.422 of the Commission's rules. Project Mutual Tel seeks confidential treatment under the Commission's existing confidentiality rules at 47 CFR 0.457 and 47 CFR 0.459 for the information filed pursuant to Section 54.313(a)(1) and Section 54.313(f)(2) of the Commission's regulations¹. The redacted version is also being filed this date via the FCC's Electronic Comment Filing System.

Sincerely,

/s/ Leah Richter
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Phone: (605) 995-1793
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Enclosure(s)

cc: Rick Harder, CFO & Treasurer, Project Mutual Tel
Charles Tyler, Telecommunications Access Policy Division

¹ *Connect America Fund et al.*, WC Docket No. 10-90 *et al.*, Protective Order, 27 FCC Rcd 14231 (Wireline Comp. Bur. 2012) (Protective Order).

State of Idaho)
) ss
County of Minidoka)

CERTIFICATION BY ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER
OF COMPLIANCE WITH SERVICE QUALITY AND CUSTOMER PROTECTION,
ABILITY TO REMAIN FUNCTIONAL IN EMERGENCIES, AND USE OF
FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT.

AFFIDAVIT OF BUSINESS OR CORPORATE OFFICER

The Idaho Public Utilities Commission Order No. 29841 requires that Eligible Telecommunications Carriers certify that it is compliant with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules; and ETCs must demonstrate the ability to remain functional in emergencies. In addition, the Commission must file an annual certification with the USAC and the FCC that all federal high-cost support provided to ETCs within the State of Idaho will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. Accordingly, the undersigned states and verifies under oath the following:

1. I am an officer of Project Mutual Tel, an eligible telecommunications carrier for receiving federal universal service support under section 214(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 in the state of Idaho.
2. I am familiar with the Company's day-to-day operations in the state of Idaho and with the State's service quality standards and consumer protection rules as set forth in Commission Order No. 29841.
3. Project Mutual Tel is complying with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules of the Federal Communications Commission and the Idaho Public Utilities Commission.
4. I certify to the Commission that the Company is able to remain functional in emergencies as set forth in Commission Order No. 29841 and in 47 C.F.R. § 54.201(a)(2).
5. I also certify that all federal universal service support funds received by Project Mutual Tel during the current calendar year will be used in a manner consistent with section 254(e); that is, for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. The company will continue to comply for the period of January 1, 2017, through December 31, 2017, to be eligible for federal universal service fund support.
6. This verification and affidavit is provided to be the Idaho Public Utilities Commission to enable the IPUC to certify to the FCC that federal universal service support received by the eligible carriers in the state will be used in a manner consistent with Section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act.



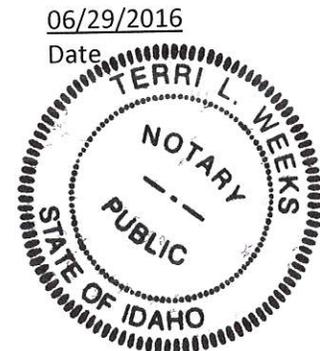
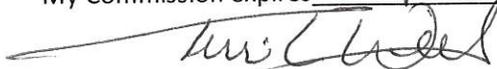
Rick Harder, CFO & Treasurer
Name/Title

06/29/2016
Date

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 29th day of June, 2016.

Notary Public for Rick Harder, residing at Rupert Id

My Commission expires April 9, 2022



**FCC Form 481 - Carrier Annual Reporting
Data Collection Form**

FCC Form 481
OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
July 2013

<010> Study Area Code	472231
<015> Study Area Name	PROJECT MUTUAL TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
<030> Contact Name: Person USAC should contact with questions about this data	Leah Richter
<035> Contact Telephone Number: Number of the person identified in data line <030>	6059951793 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address: Email of the person identified in data line <030>	Leah.Richter@vantagepnt.com
Form Type	54.313 and 54.422

(100) Service Quality Improvement Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<110>	Has your company received its ETC certification from the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
<111>	If your answer to Line <110> is yes, do you have an existing §54.202(a) "5 year plan" filed with the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>

If your answer to Line <111> is yes, please file a progress report, on line <112> delineating the status of your company's existing § 54.202(a) "5 year plan" on file with the FCC, as it relates to your provision of voice telephony service.

<112> Attach Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or, in subsequent years, your annual progress report filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(1). If your company is a CETC which only receives frozen support, your progress report is only required to address voice telephony service.

472231ID112.pdf

Name of Attached Document

Please select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 112, contains a progress report on its five-year service quality improvement plan pursuant to §54.202(a). The information shall be submitted at the wire center level or census block as appropriate.

- <113> Maps detailing progress towards meeting plan targets
- <114> Report how much universal service (USF) support was received
- <115> How much (USF) was used to improve service quality and how support was used to improve service quality
- <116> How much (USF) was used to improve service coverage and how support was used to improve service coverage
- <117> How much (USF) was used to improve service capacity and how support was used to improve service capacity
- <118> Provide an explanation of network improvement targets not met in the prior calendar year.

Yes

**(300) Unfulfilled Service Request
Data Collection Form**

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<300> Unfulfilled service request (voice)

<310> Detail on attempts (voice)

Name of Attached Document

<320> Unfulfilled service request (broadband)

472231ID330.pdf

<330> Detail on attempts (broadband)

Name of Attached Document

(400) Number of Complaints per 1,000 customers Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<400>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report voice complaints (zero or greater) for voice telephony service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize.	Offered both fixed and mobile voice
<410>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed voice	0 . 0
<420>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile voice	0 . 0
<430>	Select from the drop-down list to indicate how you would like to report end-user customer complaints (zero or greater) for broadband service in the prior calendar year for each service area in which you are designated an ETC for any facilities you own, operate, lease, or otherwise utilize.	Offered both fixed and mobile broadband
<440>	Complaints per 1000 customers for fixed broadband	1 . 0
<450>	Complaints per 1000 customers for mobile broadband	0 . 0

**(500) Compliance With Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules
Data Collection Form**

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<500>	Certify compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules	Yes
<510>	Descriptive document for Service Quality Standards & Consumer Protection Rules Compliance	472231ID510.pdf

(600) Functionality in Emergency Situations Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<600> Certify compliance regarding ability to function in emergency situations	Yes
<610> Descriptive document for Functionality in Emergency Situations	472231ID610.pdf

**(900) Tribal Lands Reporting
Data Collection Form**

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<900> Does the filing entity offer tribal land services? (Y/N) No

<910> Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

<920> Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

Name of Attached Document

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached document(s), on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select Yes or No or Not Applicable

(1000) Voice and Broadband Service Rate Comparability Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481
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<1000>	Voice services rate comparability certification	Yes
<1010>	Attach detailed description for voice services rate comparability compliance	472231ID1010.pdf
		Name of Attached Document
<1020>	Broadband comparability certification	Yes - Pricing is no more than the most recent applicable benchmark announced by the Wireline Competition Bureau
<1030>	Attach detailed description for broadband comparability compliance	472231ID1030.pdf
		Name of Attached Document

(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<1100> Certify whether terrestrial backhaul options exist (Y/N)

<1130> Please select the appropriate response (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g).

(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers Lifeline Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 0 auto; width: 80%;"> 472231ID1210.pdf </div> <p style="margin: 5px 0 0 0;">Name of Attached Document</p>
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<1220> Link to Public Website	HTTP http://www.pmt.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/Low-Income-Notice_WEB.pdf
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“Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must annually report:

- | | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <1221> Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers, | <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px; border: 1px solid black;" type="checkbox"/> |
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- | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <1222> Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan, | <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px; border: 1px solid black;" type="checkbox"/> |
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| <1223> Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan. | <input style="width: 20px; height: 15px; border: 1px solid black;" type="checkbox"/> |
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(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481
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<i>Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers</i>	July 2013

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Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting

<2010> 2nd Year Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)(i) - Note that for the July 1 2016 certification, this applies to Round 2 recipients of Incremental Support	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2011> 3rd Year Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)(ii) - Note that for the July 1 2016 certification, this applies to Round 1 recipients of Incremental Support	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2022> Recipient certifies, representing year two after filing a notice of acceptance of funding pursuant to 54.312(c), that the locations in question are not receiving support under the Broadband Initiatives Program or the Broadband Technology Opportunities Program for projects that will provide broadband with speeds of at least 4 Mbps/1Mbps - 54.313(b)(2)(i). Round 2 recipients only.	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2023> The attachment on line 2024 includes a statement of the total amount of capital funding expended in the previous year in meeting Connect America Phase I deployment obligations, accompanied by a list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent. This covers year two - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2024A> Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%; height: 60px;" type="text"/>
<2024B> Attach list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent in year two - 54.313(b)(2)(ii). Round 2 recipients only.	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	<input style="width: 100%; height: 60px;" type="text"/>
<2025A> Round 1 or Round 2 Recipient of Incremental Support?	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	
<2025B> Attach geocoded Information for Phase I milestone reports (Round 1 for year three and Round 2 for year two) - Connect America Fund , WC Docket 10-90, Report and Order, FCC 13-	Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information	<input style="width: 100%; height: 60px;" type="text"/>
<2015> 2016 and future Frozen Support Certification 47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4)		<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="text"/>

(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)

FCC Form 481

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Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers

July 2013

Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}

<2016> Certification support used to build broadband

Connect America Phase II Reporting {47 CFR § 54.313(e)}

<2017A> Connect America Fund Phase II recipient?

<2017B> Attach information for Phase II - 54.313(e)(1) - list of geocoded locations already meeting the 54.309 public interest obligations at the end of calendar year 2015 and total amount of Phase II support, if any, the price

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

cap carrier used for capital expenditures in 2015.

<2018> Attach the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the carrier newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year - 54.313(e)(2)(ii)

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

<2019> Recipient certifies that it bid on category one telecommunications and Internet access services in response to all FCC Form 470 postings seeking broadband service that meets the connectivity targets for the schools and libraries universal service support program for eligible schools and libraries located within any area in a census block where the carrier is receiving Phase II model-based support, and that such bids were at rates reasonably comparable to rates charged to eligible schools and libraries in urban areas for comparable offerings - 54.313(e)(2)(v)

<2020> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 40% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2017 - 54.313(e)(3)

<2021> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 60% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2018 - 54.313(e)(4)

<2026> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 80% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2019 - 54.313(e)(5)

<2027> Recipient certifies that it offered broadband meeting the requisite public interest obligations specified in §54.309 to 100% of its supported locations in the state on December 31, 2020 - 54.313(e)(6)

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Complete the items below to note compliance with five year service quality plan (pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.202(a)) and, for privately held carriers, ensuring compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

(3009) Progress Report on 5 Year Plan
Carrier certifies to 54.313(f)(1)(iii)

(3010A) Milestone Certification {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i)} Yes - Attach Certification

(3010B) Please Provide Attachment Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3012A) Community Anchor Institutions {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii)} Yes - Attach New Community Anchors

(3012B) Please Provide Attachment Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3013) Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier {47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)} (Yes/No) Yes No

(3014) If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report (Yes/No) Yes No

Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached PDF, on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:

(3015) Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers)

(3016) Document(s) with Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3017) If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3018) If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited? (Yes/No) Yes No

If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3019) Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers

(3020) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3021) Management letter and/or audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit.

If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3022) Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers

(3023) Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant

(3024) Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.

(3025) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

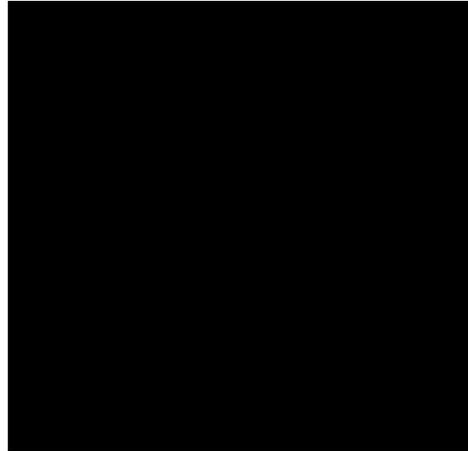
(3026) Attach the worksheet listing required information Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation (Continued)	FCC Form 481
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Financial Data Summary

- (3027) Revenue
- (3028) Operating Expenses
- (3029) Net Income
- (3030) Telephone Plant In Service(TPIS)
- (3031) Total Assets
- (3032) Total Debt
- (3033) Total Equity
- (3034) Dividends



**(4005) Rural Broadband Experiment Additional Documentation
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4005 Rural Broadband Experiment

Authorized Rural Broadband Experiment (RBE) recipients must address the certification for public interest obligations, provide a list of newly served community anchor institutions, and provide a list of locations where broadband has been deployed.

Public Interest Obligations – FCC 14-98 (paragraphs 26-29, 78)

Please address Line 4001 regarding compliance with the Commission’s public interest obligations. All RBE participants must provide a response to Line 4001.

4001. Recipient certifies that it is offering broadband to the identified locations meeting the requisite public interest obligations consistent with the category for which they were selected, including broadband speed, latency, usage capacity, and rates that are reasonably comparable to rates for comparable offerings in urban areas?

Community Anchor Institutions – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 79)

4003a. RBE participants must provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which they newly deployed broadband service in the preceding calendar year. On this line, please respond (yes – attach new community anchors, no – no new anchors) to indicate whether this list will be provided.

If yes to 4003A, please provide a response for 4003B.

4003b. Provide the number, names and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the recipient newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

Broadband Deployment Locations – FCC 14-98 (paragraph 80)

4004a. Attach a list of geocoded locations to which broadband has been deployed as of the June 1st immediately preceding the July 1st filing deadline for the FCC Form 481. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

4004b. Attach evidence demonstrating that the recipient is meeting the relevant public service obligations for the identified locations. Materials must at least detail the pricing, offered broadband speed and data usage allowances available in the relevant geographic area. Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	PROJECT MUTUAL TEL
Signature of Authorized Officer:	CERTIFIED ONLINE Date 06/22/2016
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	Rick Harder
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	CFO/Treasurer
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	2084347124 ext.
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	472231 Filing Due Date for this form: 07/01/2016
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Certification - Agent / Carrier Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<015> Study Area Name	PROJECT MUTUAL TEL
<020> Program Year	2017
<030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Leah Richter
<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	6059951793 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	Leah.Richter@vantagepnt.com

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
<p>I certify that (Name of Agent) _____ is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the reports and data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.</p>	
Name of Authorized Agent:	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
<p>I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service support recipients on behalf of the reporting carrier; I have provided the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported herein is accurate.</p>	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
Name of Authorized Agent Firm:	
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Date: 06/22/2016
Name of Authorized Agent Employee:	
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	
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(710) Broadband Price Offerings Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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	ID	Rupert	45.95	0.0	45.95	5.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None At This Time
	ID	Rupert	55.95	0.0	55.95	15.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None At This Time
	ID	Rupert	75.95	0.0	75.95	15.0	2.0	999999.0	Other, None At This Time
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	ID	Paul	23.95	0.0	23.95	1.0	1.0	999999.0	Other, None At This Time
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PROJECT MUTUAL TEL (SAC 472231)

ATTACHMENT LINE 112

**Service Quality Improvement Reporting
Pursuant to 47 C.F.R § 54.313(a)(1)**

ATTACHMENT REDACTED IN ENTIRETY

DETAILS ON ATEMPTS FOR UNFULFILLED SERVICE REQUEST (BROADBAND) OF PROJECT MUTUAL TEL**Reporting Period January 1 – December 31, 2015****Sec. 54.313(a)(3) Unfulfilled Service Request (Broadband)**

Pursuant to § 54.313(a)(3) for High-cost Recipients, Carrier hereby provides details on The number of requests for service from potential customers within the recipient's service areas that were unfulfilled during the prior calendar year, including detail how it attempted to provide service to those potential customers.

Carrier had 8 unfulfilled service requests. In all instances of these requests, it would not be economically feasible to provide broadband service because the Loop length was too great, thus the distance from Carrier's equipment makes it financially unreasonable to provide or build service to the requested location. Therefore, the requests for service are not considered reasonable.

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on June 14, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

Rick Harder, CFO & Treasurer, Project Mutual Tel

SAC: 472231

CERTIFICATION OF PROJECT MUTUAL TEL
Reporting Period January 1 – December 31, 2015

Sec. 54.313(a)(5) Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules Compliance

Pursuant to § 54.313(a)(5) for High-cost Recipients, Carrier hereby certifies that it is in compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules.

Carrier completes installation requests and responds to service orders from existing and new locations within 5 business days of the request to existing customers and within 10 days if a new drop is required to reach a new customer. Carrier provides bill notification 30 days in advance of any customer rate changes. Carrier provides notice to customers of their billing practices through their terms and conditions located on their Carrier's website and in their retail office. An annual Lifeline Notice is also printed in the local newspaper annually. Carrier's procedures for receiving emergency calls during non-business hours include having a technician on call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Any after hour emergency calls are directed to a queue for emergency service which is relayed to the technician on call. The technician then responds to all service related calls.

Carrier follows Customer Proprietary Network Information (CPNI) rules and also files the annual CPNI certification with the FCC pursuant to the FCC's current CPNI rules and regulations. Attached is an annual notice to customers on matters related to customer privacy. Carrier has also implemented an Identity Theft Prevention Program in accordance with the federal Red Flags Rule.

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 12, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

Rick Harder, CFO & Treasurer, Project Mutual Tel

SAC: 472231

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PO Box 366, Rupert, ID 83350

April 01, 2015

Attachment Line 510



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Account

Phone Number

Please Pay this amount by 4/10/15 \$139.48

Amount you are enclosing: \$ _____

Please bill my Credit Card: \$ _____



Signature: _____

Card #: _____

Exp. Date: _____ 3-Digit Sec. Code: _____

Your security code is located on the back of your credit card, next to the signature box.

Change of billing address
Check here and make changes on the back



Statement of Service
April 01, 2015



Account

Phone Number

For Service at

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PMT HIGH SPEED INTERNET	3.00
PMT PHONE SERVICE	.00
PMT TECH FORCE	14.95
PMT LONG DISTANCE	.00
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Contact Us

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Basic services are offered at the following rates:

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CERTIFICATION OF PROJECT MUTUAL TEL**Reporting Period January 1 – December 31, 2015****Sec. 54.313(a)(6) Ability to Function in an Emergency Situation**

Pursuant to § 54.313(a)(6) for High-cost Recipients, Carrier hereby certifies that it is able to function in emergency situations as set forth in § 54.202(a)(2). Carrier is able to remain functional in an emergency situation through the use of back-up power to ensure functionality without an external power source. Carrier is able to provide service for a reasonable period of time if external power is lost.

All locations requiring commercial power are equipped with an 8 hour battery backup and/or emergency generators. The connection to the fiber electronics in the homes and businesses is also designed for eight (8) hour battery backup. All electronic cabinets and remote electronic sites are equipped with the necessary wiring and power supplies (rectifiers) to sustain operation beyond the eight (8) hours of battery backup with the use of portable or fixed generators.

Battery backup is tested yearly by a designated employee. The designated employee tests the batteries and replaces batteries that do not meet Carrier's specifications (8 hour backup) and cleans & replaces all necessary connections. All batteries are on a replacement rotation, so are replaced regardless of how they test, to ensure backup is secure. Emergency generators are tested annually by an outside contractor.

Carrier's network is engineered to handle reasonable excess traffic in the event of traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations. Carrier's fiber ring technology protects well from loss of toll trunking. Carrier has redundancy in its network for use in re-rerouting traffic when facilities are damaged.

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 12, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

Rick Harder, CFO & Treasurer, Project Mutual Tel
SAC: 472231

CERTIFICATION OF PROJECT MUTUAL TEL**Reporting Period January 1 – December 31, 2015****47 CFR 54.313(a)(10) - Voice Services Rate Comparability**

Pursuant to 47 CFR 54.313(a)(10) for High-cost Recipients, Carrier hereby certifies that the pricing of Carrier's voice services is no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rate for voice service, as specified in the most recent public notice issued by the Wireline Competition Bureau and Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

The WCB announced that the average local end-user rate plus state regulated fees of the surveyed incumbent LECs in urban areas is \$41.07. This was published in the FCC's Public Notice, WC Docket No. 10-90, DA 16-362, released April 5, 2016. Carrier's voice service rates are less than two standard deviations in relation to the applicable 2016 national average urban rate as established by the WCB.

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 12, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

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CERTIFICATION OF PROJECT MUTUAL TEL**Reporting Period January 1 – December 31, 2015****47 CFR 54.313(g) – Broadband Services Rate Comparability**

Pursuant to 47 CFR 54.313(g) for High-cost Recipients, Carrier hereby certifies that the pricing of Carrier's broadband services is no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rates for broadband service, as specified in the most recent public notice issued by the Wireline Competition Bureau and Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

The following table was published in the FCC's Public Notice, WC Docket No. 10-90, DA 16-362, released April 5, 2016. The table provides the 2016 benchmark for a number of different broadband service offerings.

Download Speed (Mbps)	Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Benchmark
10	1	100	\$71.40
10	1	250	\$75.99
10	1	Unlimited	\$77.80
25 ⁹	5	250	\$95.08
25 ¹⁰	5	Unlimited	\$96.89

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on June 7, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

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Lifeline - Low Income Support

What is Lifeline?

Lifeline is a government program that offers qualified low income households a discount on unlimited basic local telephone service with the availability of long distance restrictions. Through this government program you could save up to \$11.75 a month. This program can cover basic local telephone service charges, plus the subscriber line charge.

What is the Cost of Landline Telephone Service?

PMT's basic local telephone service is \$18.25 plus applicable taxes and surcharges. Long distance toll charges will apply. For Example: If you choose PMT as your Preferred Interstate Carrier (PIC), long distance toll charges are currently \$.12 per minute. However, long distance toll blocking is provided to Lifeline customers at no charge.

Eligibility / Restrictions

Lifeline can only be used for the primary telephone line in a household. You may purchase additional services available to a non-Lifeline customer. You must establish phone service prior to applying for the Lifeline discount. The name on the phone bill must match the name of the household member participating on the eligible program.

How do I apply?

Eligibility is determined by the South Central Community Action Partnership at 1-800-627-1733.

Do I Need to Apply Every Year?

Yes. If you still meet the eligibility criteria and wish to continue receiving financial assistance, you must re-apply every year.

More Information

You can find this and more information about Lifeline at the website for [Universal Service Administrative Company](#). Any additional questions can be answered by calling PMT at: (208) 436-7151 or 1-(800)-322-4074

Rate Increase



Attachment Line 1210



We're grateful that you have chosen PMT to be your communications provider and we remain committed to offering you the best quality and value possible. We work extremely hard on your behalf to keep costs low. As a result, we have not had any price increases in over two years. Unfortunately, the cost of cable programming content and costs associated with landline telephones have forced us to increase our prices this year. Please note the price increase chart on the reverse side. Only Cable TV and Telephone services are affected by this rate increase. If you receive either of these services you will see an increase in price on your billing statement beginning May 1, 2015.



New Prices

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Cable TV Package

Bronze	\$29.95
Silver	\$64.95
Gold	\$70.95
Platinum	\$119.95

Premium Movie Channels

Any Premium Package	\$15.00 each
Pick Any 3	\$40.00
Pick All 4	\$50.00

Phone Package

Attachment Line 1210

Basic Residential Phone	\$19.75
Basic Business Phone	\$31.30

Bundles

If you are an existing customer with a bundle that includes Cable TV, add an additional \$10 to your current bundle price. If you do not have Cable TV as part of your bundle, your price will remain the same.

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Rupert
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Twin Falls
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Pay your bill online with PMT E-Bill

- ✓ Get a \$1 monthly credit for using E-Bill!
- ✓ SAVE time-you'll be done in no time!
- ✓ No envelopes, stamps or checks required!

Give us a call to sign up.

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Change of Billing Address

Check the box on the front of this stub and fill in your new billing information below.

Street Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone () _____

Work Phone () _____

Billing Information

Charges are Billed in Advance.

Recurring monthly charges are billed one month in advance, such as calling plans, television and internet services.

Discounts/Credits

You may receive discounts or credits due to a service change you've made to your account. Where this amount will appear depends on the change you made. You may find it under the Charge Detail section of your bill.

Partial Charges

Partial monthly charges will occur if services are either added or removed during a billing cycle prior to the bill date. Services billed in advance are prorated, based on your installation or disconnect date, when they are added or removed during the billing cycle. The actual amount prorated is determined by the number of days the services were installed during the current billing cycle. This amount could be a credit, a charge or both depending on whether you added or removed a service and when you did so.

One-Time Charges

One-time charges may include labor, set-up fees and activation fees for new services or features. This may also include cost of equipment or accessories (e.g. wireless phones, caller id box).

When your Bill is Due

Paying your bill by the "DUE DATE" should enable your payment to be processed before your next billing statement. If your payment is not received by the next billing statement then your account is subject to possible interruption of services for non-payment. If services are disconnected for non-payment, a late fee will be assessed on the next billing and possible deposits may be required for reconnecting services. A \$44.95 fee will be assessed for accounts requiring expedited service to reconnect services due to non-payment.

Insufficient Funds Payment Policy

If your check, bankcard (debit or credit) charge or other instrument or electronic transfer transaction used to pay us is dishonored, refused, returned unpaid, or otherwise invalid for any reason, a processing fee of \$25 will be added to your bill.

Payment Arrangements

A PMT representative is happy to discuss payment arrangements with you Monday- Friday, 8 am - 6 pm.

Call Blocking

Protect yourself from fraudulent 3rd party charges on your telephone bill. PMT offers Call Blocking on 900 numbers for free. We also offer Deny +1 Dialing, which blocks long distance calls from being placed from your landline number, for \$2.50 per month.

Taxes & Fees Explained

PMT is required by law to bill customers the following taxes and fees. These taxes and fees may change from time to time without notice.

Sales Tax

Taxes assessed by state government on goods and services.

Telecommunications Relay Service Fund

A state charge used to fund relay centers that assist hearing and speech impaired individuals to make and receive calls.

Idaho Assistance Program

These monies help provide discounted telephone service to low-income, elderly or disabled customers who could not afford telephone services otherwise. For more information on Telephone Service Assistance or for eligibility contact the South Central Community Action Partnership at 678-3514 or 733-9351

911 Charge

A federal and state/local government charge to fund emergency services.

Universal Service Fund

This state tax helps keep basic exchange rates affordable to all customers in the state. The funds are remitted to the state utility commission.

End User Charge

The End User Charge is authorized by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) for providing access to and maintaining local telephone service.

Federal Excise Tax

This percentage based tax is assessed by the federal government for local telephone service.

Federal Universal Service Charge (FUSC)

The Federal Universal Service Fund assists with the cost of providing affordable service to consumers living in high-cost service areas, rural areas and low-income individuals. It also helps provide service for schools, hospitals, libraries and rural health care providers.

Cable Franchise Fee

Cable operators, such as PMT, are often required to pay a fee to the municipalities that they serve, for the rental of their right-of-way. Federal law permits this "franchise fee" to be passed through to subscribers. This fee appears on your monthly PMT billing statement as a separate line item.

CERTIFICATION OF PROJECT MUTUAL TEL
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Sec. 54.313(f)(1)(i) Milestone Certification

Pursuant to § 54.313 f)(1)(i) for Rate-of-Return Carriers, Carrier hereby certifies it is taking reasonable steps to provide upon reasonable request broadband service at actual speeds of at least 4 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream, with latency suitable for real-time applications, including Voice over Internet Protocol, and usage capacity that is reasonably comparable to comparable offerings in urban areas as determined in an annual survey, and that requests for such service are met within a reasonable amount of time.

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 12, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

Rick Harder, CFO & Treasurer, Project Mutual Tel

SAC: 472231

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Sec. 54.313(f)(1)(ii) Community Anchor Institutions

Pursuant to § 54.313(f)(1)(ii) for Rate-of-Return Carriers, Carrier hereby certifies the following number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which the ETC newly began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.

1. Minidoka Joint School District, Youth Ranch, 1275 N 400 E, Rupert, ID 83350
2. Minidoka Joint School District, Transportation Department, 311 7th St, Rupert, ID 83350
3. Minidoka Joint School District, Lunch Supervisor, 1201 D St, Rupert, ID 83350
4. Minidoka Joint School District, Rupert Elementary, 202 18th Street, Rupert, ID 83350
5. Bureau of Reclamation, Church of Jesus Christ LDS, 324 E 18th St, Rupert, ID 83350

All requests for broadband services, and speed, were fulfilled in 2015. Carrier continues to monitor customer demand and technological innovation, planning to size its network in anticipation of requests and demand for higher speed broadband needs.

I verify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 12, 2016.

/s/ Rick Harder

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