

June 28, 2012

Mr. David Danner
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 South Evergreen Park Drive SW
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: WUTC Docket No. UT-123008
Annual Report for High-Cost Recipients
Pursuant to FCC 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h)
Mashell Telecom, Inc.

Dear Mr. Danner,

Attached is a copy of Mashell Telecom, Inc.'s 2012 annual reporting requirements under the above referenced Docket.

Our CAF eligibility data required by 47 C.F.R. § 54.304(c)(1) will be filed separately under this same docket as soon as we receive it from NECA.

Should you have any questions I can be reached by any manner listed below.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Carrier", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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June 26, 2012

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

Ms. Karen Majcher
Vice President – High Cost Low Income Division
Universal Service Administrative Company
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Washington, D.C. 20036

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 Mashell Telecom, Inc., Study Area Code 522431. Mashell Telecom, Inc. is a state-designated ETC, and as such, is submitting to the Commission relevant information from reports it files with its state commission for §54.313 (a)(2) through (a)(4).

Should you have any questions, please contact our Regulatory & Compliance Manager, Mark Carrier by email at mark.carrier@rainierconnect.net or by phone at 360-623-4555.

Sincerely,



Brian Haynes
President & CEO

Enclosures

Cc: Washington Utilities & Transportation 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).

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
The company had no outages in 2011 as defined in 47 C.F.R. 4.5 affecting 10% or more of end users for 30 minutes or longer or a 911 special facility as defined in 47 C.F.R. 4.5(e).						

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 unfulfilled 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, Mashell Telecom, Inc. received 0 (zero) complaints per 1,000 working access lines from its ETC/ILEC Customers.

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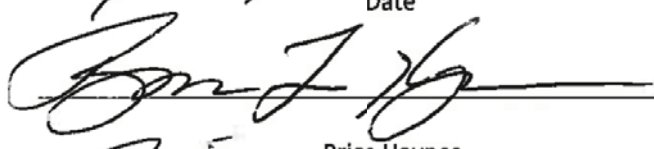
§54.313(a)(5) – COMPLIANCE WITH SERVICE QUALITY STANDARDS AND CONSUMER PROTECTION RULES

Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules Annual Certification

<u>Brian Haynes</u>	<u>President & CEO</u>	<u>Mashell Telecom, Inc.</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 in compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules.

Executed on 6/25/2012
Date

Signature 

Printed/Typed Name Brian L Haynes
Brian Haynes

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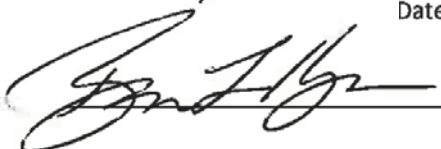
§54.313(a)(6) – ABILITY TO FUNCTION IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS

Ability to Function in Emergency Situations Annual Certification

Brian Haynes	President & CEO	Mashell Telecom, Inc.
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 6/25/2012
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Signature 

Printed/Typed Name Brian L Haynes
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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, Mashell Telecom, Inc. 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.