

State Certification of Rural &
Non-rural Carriers for High
Cost Support
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**RE: Certification of Support for Rural and Non-Rural High-Cost Carriers Pursuant to
47 C.F.R Sections 54.313-314, CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 00-256**

To the Filing Representatives:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission hereby certifies that all federal high cost support provided to rural and competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETCs) in this state will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This includes High Cost Loop (HCL) support, Local Switching Support (LSS), High Cost Model (HCM) support, and high cost support received pursuant to the purchase of exchanges.

Attached is a list of rural and competitive ETCs certified by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission pursuant to sections 54.313 and 54.314 of the FCC's rules (47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313, 54.314), which require states to establish an annual certification process for rural and non-rural carriers receiving federal high cost support. As requested by the Universal

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Service Administrative Company, listed beside each carrier is its assigned study area code (SAC), if known.

Sincerely,

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Executive Director and Secretary

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Attachment

ETCs Certified by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission

SAC	ETC Name	Type
522404	ASOTIN TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522410	CENTURYTEL OF COWICHE, INC.	Rural Wireline
522408	CENTURYTEL OF WASHINGTON, INC., CENTURYTEL OF INTER ISLAND, INC.	Rural Wireline
522412	ELLENSBURG TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522417	HAT ISLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522419	HOOD CANAL TELEPHONE CO., INC.	Rural Wireline
522423	INLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522426	KALAMA TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522427	LEWIS RIVER TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.	Rural Wireline
522431	MASHELL TELECOM, INC.	Rural Wireline
522430	MCDANIEL TELEPHONE CO.	Rural Wireline
522418	PEND OREILLE TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522437	PIONEER TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
520581	SKYLINE TELECOM INC. F/K/A BEAVER CREEK TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
520581 ¹ (521402)	SKYLINE TELECOM INC. F/K/A M&L ENTERPRISES, INC.	Rural Wireline

¹ Skyline Telecom Inc.'s study area includes study areas of former Beaver Creek Telephone Company (SAC 520581) and former M&L Enterprises, Inc. (former SAC 521402). After merger, the two companies combined the study areas effective July 1, 2011. They now both report under SAC 520581.

SAC	ETC Name	Type
522442	ST. JOHN CO-OPERATIVE TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522446	TENINO TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522447	TOLEDO TELEPHONE CO., INC.	Rural Wireline
522451	WESTERN WAHIAKUM COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
520580	WESTGATE COMMUNICATIONS LLC	Rural Wireline
522452	WHIDBEY TELEPHONE COMPANY	Rural Wireline
522453	YCOM NETWORKS, INC.	Rural Wireline
529910	AT&T MOBILITY, F/K/A CINGULAR, AT&T WIRELESS SERVICE, INC.	Wireless
529004	EASTERN SUB-RSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP	Wireless
529008	SPRINT NEXTEL CORPORATION	Wireless
529013	T-MOBILE WEST CORPORATION	Wireless
529001	U.S. CELLULAR CORPORATION	Wireless
529003	WASHINGTON RSA NO. 8 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP	Wireless