

REPORT OF WESTGATE COMMUNICATIONS LLC UNDER THE  
WASHINGTON UNIVERSAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES PROGRAM  
IN COMPLIANCE WITH WAC 480-123-130

July 1, 2020

Docket No. UT-190644

File electronically

1. WAC 480-123-130(1)(a) - Access Lines Served [NECA 1.3 working loops]

	January 1, 2019	December 31, 2019
Residential	_____50_____	_____47_____
Business	_____33_____	_____41_____

2. WAC 480-123-130(1)(b) - Use of Support

The funds received by the Westgate Communications LLC (dba "WeavTel", "Company") from the universal communications services program in calendar year 2019 represent monies that the Company formerly received through the Washington Exchange Carrier Association (WECA) pooling process and the reduction of support under the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC's) Connect America Fund InterCarrier Compensation Fund (CAF ICC) program. As such, the funds from the universal communications services program contributed to defrayal of the ongoing operation and maintenance expenses of the Company. The funds from the universal communication services program are contributing to the Company's ongoing provision of high-quality basic telecommunications service to customers residing in the area the Company serves.

In December 2019, the Company received \$52,885.00 as half of the total amount due from the universal communications services program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020. In March 2020, the Company received \$52,885.00 as the second half and balance due from the fund.

During the first six months of 2020, the Company undertook and continued three major construction projects. The first project consists of building two new KU Band satellite antennas of which one will be located in Stehekin and one in Holden Village. This project will allow Westgate to improve its data capacity from 12/3 Mbps to 25/3 Mbps. Radiation studies are currently being conducted at both sites for licensing of the two new Earth Stations. Engineering and design have been completed and approved. Purchase orders will be generated in July 2020. New satellite service contracts for transponder space will also be signed and approved in July 2020. A new LTE radio site has been engineered and designed. A lease agreement for the LTE site is being reviewed by lessor. The LTE



equipment purchase order will be issued in August 2020. Westgate is also dramatically increasing its customer base in the current COVID-19 public health crisis. With the number of new customers in the last two months and orders on the install calendar, the Company expects it will increase its customer base by 10 to 15 percent by the end of the 2020. The funds received from the universal communications services program can be viewed as contributing to the Company's ability to perform the projects listed above, including, without limitation, the repayment of RUS loan funds. In the second half of 2020 the Company plans to complete the two construction projects listed above and continue to perform installations for new customers.

3. WAC 480-123-130(1)(c) - Unfilled Consumer Requests for New Basic Telecommunications Service\*

None

\* Service requests that are ongoing but still within normal processing times are not counted as unfulfilled.

4. WAC 480-123-130(1)(e) - FCC Form 477

This form was previously filed on or about March 1, 2020 under Docket UT-200002.

5. WAC 480-123-130(1)(f) - Report on Operational Efficiencies/Business Plan Modifications

The Company continually reviews its operations to determine if efficiencies can be achieved. The Company already has a plan in place to concentrate on improving broadband service while continuing to provide high-quality basic telecommunications service to the customers that are located within the area that the Company serves. The funds received from the universal communications services program can be viewed as assisting in the Company's efforts to obtain operational efficiencies.

6. WAC 480-123-130(1)(g) and (h) - Other information

N/A.

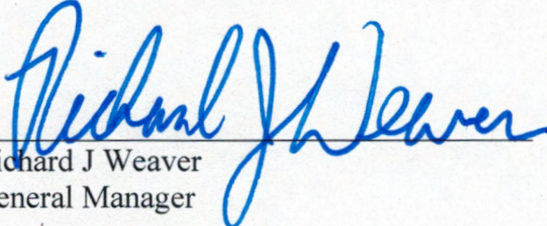
Certified Statement as required by WAC 480-123-130(1)(d):

I, Richard J. Weaver, am an officer of Westgate Communications LLC (d/b/a "WeavTel", the "Company"), and upon personal knowledge and with responsibility therefore, hereby certify under penalty of perjury, that Westgate Communications LLC d/b/a "WeavTel"



materially complied with Commission rules under Chapter 480-120 WAC that are applicable to the Company and its provision of service within the area for which the Company received universal communications services program support.

Signed at 51 Varney Lane Stehekin, Washington this 1st day of July 2020.

  
Richard J Weaver  
General Manager