

**North American Local, LLC  
North Dakota ETC Application**

**Presentation To The North Dakota Public Service Commission**

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Case: North American Local, LLC Designated Eligible Carrier Application, Case No. PU-19-127

Application Filed: April 8, 2019

Comments and Requests for Hearing (due June 5, 2019): None

Background:

- North American Local, LLC (“NAL”) is an experienced local telecommunications provider serving the telephone, broadband, and information needs of residents of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, and Alabama.
  - NAL has its own facilities and the last mile facilities of the major wireless carriers (AT&T, Verizon, T-Mobile and Sprint) to provide the best coverage and service available for consumers.
  - NAL’s business model is based upon having a physical presence within the communities served.
  - NAL has approximately 7,000 customers.
  - NAL has 15 employees and will hire individuals in North Dakota upon designation as an ETC.
- NAL serves the Lifeline needs of eligible low-income consumers, including those residing on Tribal lands in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, and Alabama.
  - Unlike the national wireless carriers providing Lifeline service, NAL’s focus is on serving rural areas, which makes North Dakota a priority market for the Company.
- With respect to Tribal areas, NAL engages with Tribes to ensure that all requirements are met and services are provided in a manner consistent with the needs of the Tribes and residents of Tribal lands.
- NAL has been a model Lifeline provider by making a discounted service available to eligible consumers in compliance with all applicable requirements.

North Dakota ETC Application:

- NAL filed its application to be designated as an ETC in the state of North Dakota on April 8, 2019 and demonstrated that it meets all of the applicable requirements.
  1. NAL is financially and technically capable of providing Lifeline service.
    - The company currently provides Lifeline service in 4 states and has demonstrated its ability to not only provide Lifeline service, but to do so

in a manner that greatly benefits low-income consumers residing in rural areas, including Tribal areas.

- The company has the financial, technical, and management capability to provide Lifeline service consistent with all applicable requirements and has a strong compliant history of providing Lifeline service.
- 2. NAL is a common carrier and subject to all of the requirements applicable to a Commercial Mobile Radio Service ("CMRS") providers.
- 3. NAL will provide Lifeline supported services, including, but not limited to, telephone service, broadband service, and access to emergency services.
  - NAL's Lifeline service offerings will meet the minimum service requirements adopted by the FCC, which is currently defined as voice service with at least 1,000 minutes and broadband service with at least 2 GB of data.
- 4. NAL will use a combination of its own facilities and the facilities of other carriers to provide Lifeline service.
  - As a reseller of wireless service, NAL was granted forbearance from the facilities based requirement by the FCC in 2012.
- 5. NAL will comply with all applicable advertising requirements and will make available its Lifeline service offerings in a manner designed to reach eligible low-income consumers.
- 6. NAL meets all of the other requirements for designation as an ETC, including the ability to remain functional in emergency situation and compliance with all applicable consumer protection requirements.
- 7. The public interest will be greatly served by NAL's entry into the Lifeline market in North Dakota by enabling low-income consumers to gain access to a provider with a unique background and experience in serving the Lifeline needs of low-income consumers, especially those in rural and Tribal areas.

Closing Thoughts:

- NAL appreciates the opportunity to address the North Dakota Public Service Commission and looks forward to serving the Lifeline needs of residents of North Dakota.
- The Lifeline market is undergoing significant changes with many providers leaving the market, some providers focusing on urban areas, and other providers experiencing difficulties meeting applicable Lifeline requirements. NAL is different – (1) its business is focused on providing a service to consumers with a focus on rural areas; (2) it establishes a presence in the communities served to provide the best customer experience; and (3) the company itself becomes a member of the communities served through its actions and outreach initiatives.

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# Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation

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The **Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation** (**MHA Nation**), also known as the **Three Affiliated Tribes** (Mandan: *Miiti Naamni*; Hidatsa: *Awadi Aguraawi*; Arikara: *ačítaanu' taWIt*), is a Native American Nation resulting from the alliance of the Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara peoples, whose native lands ranged across the Missouri River basin extending from present day North Dakota Through western Montana and Wyoming.

After the signing of the Fort Laramie Treaty and subsequent taking of land, the Nation's land base is currently approximately 1 million acres located Fort Berthold Reservation in northwestern North Dakota. The Tribe reported a total enrollment of 16,085 registered tribe members in July 2018.<sup>[1][2]</sup> Nearly 5,200 live on the reservation; others live and work elsewhere.

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### Recent history

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Membership (Citizenship) is derived from the 1936 Indian Census roll of the Three Affiliated Tribes. In 2010 the tribal membership passed amendments specifying "blood quantum," or minimum amounts of tribal ancestry to qualify individuals for membership and for candidates for public office. Effective December 16, 2010 individuals must have at least 1/8 Mandan, Hidatsa, or Arikara ancestry (the equivalent of one full-blooded great-grandparent) to become an enrolled member of the MHA Nation and 1/4 ancestry to serve in elected office.<sup>[3]</sup>

## Tribal Business Council

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# Spirit Lake Tribe

The **Spirit Lake Tribe** (in Santee Dakota: *Mni Wakan Oyate*, formerly known as Devils Lake Sioux) is a federally recognized tribe based on the Spirit Lake Dakota Reservation located in east-central North Dakota on the southern shores of Devils Lake. It is made up of people of the Pabaksa (*Ihąŋkthuŋwaŋna*), Sisseton (*Sisíthuŋwaŋ*) and Wahpeton (*Wah̄péthuŋwaŋ*) bands of the Dakota tribe.<sup>[2]</sup> Established in 1867 in a treaty between Sisseton-Wahpeton Bands and the United States government, the reservation, at 47°54′38″N 98°53′01″W﻿ / ﻿47.91083°N 98.88361°W﻿ / 47.91083; -98.88361, consists of 1,283,777 square kilometres (495.669 sq mi) of land area, primarily in Benson and Eddy counties. Smaller areas extend into Ramsey, Wells and Nelson counties.

According to the tribal enrollment office in 2014, the tribe had 7,256 members enrolled members.<sup>[1]</sup> At the time of the U.S. 2010 census, 3,587 members out of a total of 4,238 people (including non-tribal members) were residing on the reservation. The unemployment rate was 47.3% in 2000. The largest community on the reservation is Fort Totten.

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The reservation of the tribe is located on the southern shore of Devil's Lake, which has been historically the territory of the Dakota people. The Sisseton, Wahpeton, and Cut-Head bands of Dakotas were relocated to the Spirit Lake Reservation as a result of the 1867 treaty with the United States that established a reservation for Dakotas who had not been forcibly relocated to Crow Creek Reservation in what is now called South Dakota.<sup>[1][3]</sup>

### Spirit Lake Dakota Tribe



Flag of the Spirit Lake Tribe

<b>Total population</b>
7,256 enrolled members <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Regions with significant populations</b>
<span><span><span></span></span><span> </span></span> United States ( <span><span><span></span></span><span> </span></span> North Dakota)
<b>Languages</b>
English, Dakota
<b>Religion</b>
Christianity (incl. syncretistic forms), Midewiwin
<b>Related ethnic groups</b>
Assiniboine, Stoney (Nakoda), and other Siouan peoples

# Standing Rock Indian Reservation

The **Standing Rock Indian Reservation** (Lakota: *Íŋyaŋ Woslál Háŋ*/inyan bosdata) is located in North Dakota and South Dakota in the United States, and is inhabited by ethnic "Hunkpapa and Sihhasapa bands of Lakota Oyate and the Ihanktuwona and Pabaksa bands of the Dakota Oyate,"<sup>[3]</sup> as well as the Hunkpatina Dakota (Lower Yanktonai).<sup>[4]</sup> The Ihanktonwana Dakota are the Upper Yanktonai,<sup>[4]</sup> part of the collective of Wiciyena. The sixth-largest Native American reservation in land area in the US, Standing Rock includes all of Sioux County, North Dakota, and all of Corson County, South Dakota, plus slivers of northern Dewey and Ziebach counties in South Dakota, along their northern county lines at Highway 20.

The reservation has a land area of 9,251.2 square kilometers (3,571.9 sq mi) and a population of 8,217 as of the 2010 census.<sup>[5]</sup> There are 15,568 enrolled members of the tribe.<sup>[2]</sup> The largest communities on the reservation are Fort Yates, Cannon Ball and McLaughlin.

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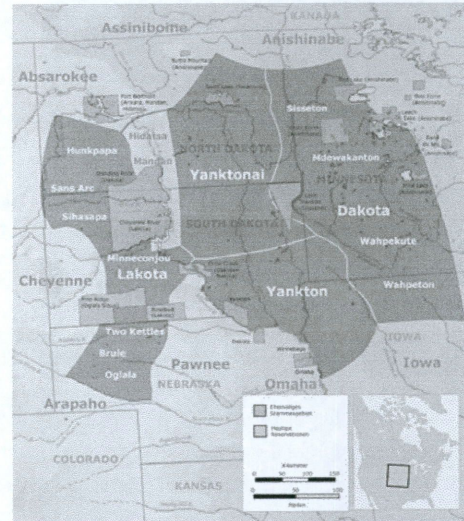
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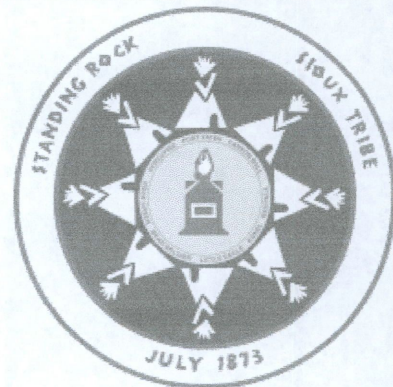
Together with the Hunkpapa and Sihhasapa bands, the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe is part of what was known as the Great Sioux Nation. The peoples were highly decentralized. In 1868 the lands of the Great Sioux Nation were reduced in the Fort Laramie

## Standing Rock Indian Reservation

### Native American reservation



Standing Rock Indian Reservation straddles the border between North and South Dakota



Seal

Coordinates: 45°45′0″N 101°12′0″W﻿ / ﻿45.750°N 101.200°W﻿ / 45.750; -101.200

<b>Country</b>	United States
<b>State</b>	North Dakota South Dakota
<b>North Dakota Counties</b>	Sioux County
<b>South Dakota Counties</b>	Corson County Dewey County Ziebach County

<b>Area</b>	
• Land	3,571.9 sq mi

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# Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians

The **Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians** (Ojibwe language: *Mikinaakwajiw-ininiwag*) is a Native American tribe of Ojibwa and Métis peoples, based on the Turtle Mountain Indian Reservation in Belcourt, North Dakota. The tribe has 30,000 enrolled members. A population of 5,815 reside on the main reservation and another 2,516 reside on off-reservation trust land (as of the 2000 census).<sup>[1]</sup> It is federally recognized and Jamie Azure is the current Tribal Chairman elected for 2016 to 2018 term.

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Around the end of the eighteenth century, prior to the advent of white traders in the area, the formerly woodland-oriented Chippewa, who had been in what is now Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan, moved out onto the Great Plains in pursuit of the bison and new beaver resources to hunt and trade. They successfully reoriented their culture to life on the plains, adopting horses, and developing the bison-hide tipi, the Red River cart, hard-soled footwear, and new ceremonial procedures. By around 1800, these Indians were hunting in the Turtle Mountain area of present-day North Dakota.<sup>[2][3]</sup>

For more than a century, as there was no international boundary, the Chippewa freely ranged in the areas that would become Manitoba, Canada and the United States including Minnesota, North Dakota and Montana, where they mingled with Cree and other tribes in the area.<sup>[4]</sup> Running battles with the Dakota over territorial disputes, were finally settled in 1858 with the signing of the Sweet Corn Treaty which described the 11,000,000 acres of the Chippewa domain and provided for reparations. The agreement was signed by Mattonwakan, Chief of the Yanktons and La Terre Qui Purle, Chief of the Sisseton Band, Chief Wilkie (Narbexxa) of the Chippewa and witnessed by many members of both tribes.<sup>[5]</sup>

By 1863, the Chippewa domain encompassed nearly one-third of the land in what would become North Dakota. White settlers, wanting to take advantage of the Homestead Act petitioned Congress to open up the Red River valley for agriculture and to make treaties with the native peoples. On 2 October 1863, at the Old Crossing of the Red Lake River in

### Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians



**Total population**

30,000

**Regions with significant populations**

North Dakota, United States

**Languages**

English, Ojibwe, Michif

**Religion**

Catholicism, Methodism, *Midewiwin*

**Related ethnic groups**

Chippewa Cree, Ottawa, Potawatomi, Métis



# Lifeline

USAC Home Lifeline Program Telecom Carriers Search Tools **Funding Disbursement Search**

## FUNDING DISBURSEMENT SEARCH

(Spin = ALL , Study Area Code = ALL , Study Area Name = ALL , Year = 2019 , Month = Sep , State = ND )

This disbursement tool contains data from Jan 2004 through Sep 2019.

To view how the disbursement was calculated:

1. Select the company that you would like to review (the selected company will be highlighted blue)
2. Click the left mouse button to display a drop down menu
3. To hide the data, scroll to the company (the selected company will be highlighted blue) and click the left mouse button
4. The tool will display as many or few company data as you wish

### Subscriber Count Notes:

1. For Disbursements based on projections (months prior to October 2012), subscriber counts for Form 497 data month are shown in month where true-up occurred.
2. \* reflects USAC adjustments.

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08-2019	08-2019	Projection							\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00				

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**Key**

**Entered:** The month/year the data was entered by USAC into its Low Income database

**Applies:** The "Data Month" – Line 4b on FCC Form 497

**Type:** Projection, True-up or Projection Override

**Projection:** The amount of support the Low Income system determines a company will need for the month, based on historical support claims

**True-up:** The difference between the projection and the amount the company claimed on FCC Form 497 for prior months (this can be one month or multiple months)

**Projection override:** In some cases, USAC will manually adjust the projection for new companies to prevent a large true-up in the future

**Lifeline Disbursements - September 2019**

	Non-Tribal Subscribers	Tribal Subscribers	Total Subscribers	Total Disbursement	Broadband
North Dakota Telephone Company	210	96	306	\$ 4,866.00	10
BEK Communications	103	0	103	\$ 953.00	5
Consolidated Telecom	41	0	41	\$ 380.00	3
Dakota Central	43	0	43	\$ 399.00	3
Griggs County	41	0	41	\$ 379.00	0
Inter-Community Telephone	14	0	14	\$ 130.00	0
Northwest Communications	16	0	16	\$ 148.00	0
Red River Rural Telephone	42	0	42	\$ 389.00	0
Reservation Telephone	45	39	84	\$ 1,542.00	29
United Telephone Mutual	124	622	746	\$ 21,952.00	104
West River Telecommunications	242	406	648	\$ 15,508.00	64
Missouri Valley Telecommunications	28	0	28	\$ 259.00	0
SRT Communications	268	1	269	\$ 2,513.00	67
Centurylink	323	0	323	\$ 2,989.00	2
DakTel Communications	1	0	1	\$ 9.00	0
North Dakota - 1	14	1	15	\$ 155.00	0
North Dakota RSA 3	2	0	2	\$ 18.00	0
Midcontinent Communications	1180	0	1180	\$ 10,915.00	0
Sagebrush Cellular	3	0	3	\$ 28.00	0
<b>Standing Rock*</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>\$ 10,926.00</b>	<b>0</b>
AT&T	12	14	26	\$ 307.00	0
Telrite Corporation	94	0	94	\$ 869.00	0
Tempo Telecom	5	0	5	\$ 46.00	0
<b>September 2019 Lifeline Totals</b>	<b>2,851</b>	<b>1,498</b>	<b>4,349</b>	<b>\$ 75,680.00</b>	<b>287</b>

Turtle Mountain Residents	5,815				
Three Affiliated Tribes	5,200				
Spirit Lake	3,587				
Standing Rock	3,421				
<b>18,023</b>					
				<b>Tribal Penetration Rate</b>	<b>0.08</b>