

July 31, 2024

Mr. Steven Kahl  
Director of Administration/Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
State Capitol  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Re: In the Matter of the Annual Report to the North Dakota Public Service Commission for  
Essential Telecommunications Carrier Certification for Griggs County Telephone  
Company SAC 381615  
Case No. PU-24-15

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Pursuant to the Commission's Order of August 28, 2002, enclosed please find the following for  
filing in the above-referenced proceeding:

- (1) The sworn affidavit required by the Commission in support of the annual certification  
pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314 that the Commission will file with the Federal  
Communications Commission on behalf of Griggs County Telephone Company SAC  
381615.
- (2) An annual report in compliance with North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-09-  
05-12.1, including a Request to Protect Trade Secret Information on behalf of Griggs  
County Telephone Company SAC 381615.

A copy of each of these documents has also been provided by email to [ndpsc@nd.gov](mailto:ndpsc@nd.gov). In a  
separate sealed envelope, marked "Trade Secret - Private," is Griggs County Telephone  
Company's Trade Secret Exhibit A.

The Company respectfully requests that the Commission notify the FCC and USAC prior to  
October 1st of this year that Griggs County Telephone Company (SAC 381615) is eligible to  
receive Federal High-Cost support for 2024.

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Affidavit Regarding Certification of Use of  
Federal Universal Service Support

Griggs County Telephone Co. Study Area 381615  
John Kuykendall, JSI Regulatory Advisor



Please contact the undersigned if further information is required.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Kuykendall'.

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