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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

December 19, 2016

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director  
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Building, 1st Floor 500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re: Revised CAF ICC Data Filings – Farmers Mutual Telephone Company Study Area 361389

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

The Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) November 18, 2011 USF/ICC Transformation Order, FCC 11-161 (WC Docket No. 10-90) requires carriers seeking recovery through the federal mechanisms established in the Order to make certain certifications to the FCC and to state commissions regarding their eligibility for, and their compliance with the rules applicable to such recovery.

The FCC's November 18, 2011 USF/ICC Transformation Order, FCC 11-161 (WC Docket No. 10-90) also requires rate of return carriers seeking CAF/ICC support to file data establishing the amount of the rate of return carrier's eligible CAF/ICC funding per 47 C.F.R. §54.304 (d) (1). Included in Attachment A, is the projected Access Recovery Support and Connect America Fund Support as filed with the FCC under this same Order. This revised filing is made to reflect the reporting requirements due to the implementation of Consumer Broadband Only Lines as outlined in FCC TRP Docket # WC 16-317.

The Company requests confidential treatment of Attachment A which is submitted as a separate Confidential document pursuant to the requirements of ARSD § 20:10:01:41. These Exhibits contain financial information with independent economic value which is not generally known to, and not readily ascertainable to, competitors of the Company which could obtain economic value from disclosure. The Company maintains the information as secret. The Company requests that such information be maintained as confidential by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission in perpetuity.

If you have any further questions, please contact Tom Campbell at [tcampbell@otcpas.com](mailto:tcampbell@otcpas.com).

Regards,

Tom Campbell

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Study Area: FARMERS MUTUAL TEL (ID: 361389)

## Revised CAFICC Support with Imputed ARC Revenue for Consumer Broadband Loops

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Line ID	Line Description	Amount
10	Projected Average Monthly Consumer Broadband-Only Loops	
20	Test Period 2016-2017 Projected ARC Revenues	
30	Test Period 2016-2017 Total Lines excluding Life Line	
40	Average ARC per Line per Month	
50	ARC Revenue Adjustment	
60	Test Period 2016-2017 CAFICC Support	
<b>70</b>	<b>Adjusted Test Period 2016-2017 CAFICC Support</b>	

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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER,

## Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the CAF ICC Data Reported

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the actual data reported; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form is accurate.

Name of Reporting Carrier **Farmers Mutual Telephone Company**

Signature of Authorized Officer 

Date

11-21-16

Printed name of Authorized Officer **Kevin Beyer**

Title or position of Authorized Officer

Telephone number of Authorized Officer: **(320) 324-7111**, ext.

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier

**361389**

Filing Due Date for this form  
(mm/dd/yyyy)

6/16/2016

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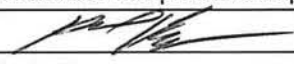
TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING DATA ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

## Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Data Reported on Behalf of Reporting Carrier

I certify that (Name of Agent) National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the data provided to the Authorized Agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the actual data provided to the Authorized Agent are accurate.

Name of Authorized Agent National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA)

Name of Reporting Carrier Farmers Mutual Telephone Company

Signature of Authorized Officer 

Date

11-21-16

Printed name of Authorized Officer Kevin Beyer

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