

EXHIBIT B-2

FCC Form 481 - Carrier Annual Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<010> Study Area Code	391647
<015> Study Area Name	CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX
<020> Program Year	2016
<030> Contact Name: Person USAC should contact with questions about this data	Mona Thompson
<035> Contact Telephone Number: Number of the person identified in data line <030>	6059642600 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address: Email of the person identified in data line <030>	monat@lakotanetwork.com

ANNUAL REPORTING FOR ALL CARRIERS	54.313	54.422
	Completion Required	Completion Required

			(check box when complete)	
<100>	Service Quality Improvement Reporting (complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<200>	Outage Reporting (voice) (complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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<510>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; font-size: x-small;">391647sd510.pdf</div> (attached descriptive document)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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<700>	Company Price Offerings (voice) (complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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<800>	Operating Companies and Affiliates (complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<900>	Tribal Land Offerings (Y/N)? <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (if yes, complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<1000>	Voice Services Rate Comparability Certification <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No (if not, check to indicate certification)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<1010>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%; margin-top: 5px;"></div> (attach descriptive document)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<1100>	Certify whether terrestrial backhaul options exist (Yes or No) <input checked="" type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> (if not, check to indicate certification)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<1110>	(complete attached worksheet)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<1200>	Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers (complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Price Cap Carriers, Proceed to Price Cap Additional Documentation Worksheet

<2000>	Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers (check to indicate certification)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<2005>	(complete attached worksheet)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Rate of Return Carriers, Proceed to ROR Additional Documentation Worksheet

<3000>	(check to indicate certification)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<3005>	(complete attached worksheet)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

(100) Service Quality Improvement Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<110> Has your company received its ETC certification from the FCC? If your answer to Line <110> is yes, do you have an existing §54.202(a) "5 year plan" filed with the FCC?	(yes / no)	<input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
<111> year plan" filed with the FCC?	(yes / no)	<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>

If your answer to Line <111> is yes, then you are required to file a progress report, on line <112> delineating the status of your company's existing § 54.202(a) "5 year plan" on file with the FCC, as it relates to your provision of voice telephony service.

<112> Attach Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or, in subsequent years, your annual progress report filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(1). If your company is a CETC which only receives frozen support, your progress report is only required to address voice telephony service.

391647ed112.pdf

Name of Attached Document

Please select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 112, contains a progress report on its five-year service quality improvement plan pursuant to §54.202(a). The information shall be submitted at the wire center level or census block as appropriate.

<113> Maps detailing progress towards meeting plan targets	Yes
<114> Report how much universal service (USF) support was received	Yes
<115> How much (USF) was used to improve service quality and how support was used to improve service quality	Yes
<116> How much (USF) was used to improve service coverage and how support was used to improve service coverage	Yes
<117> How much (USF) was used to improve service capacity and how support was used to improve service capacity	Yes
<118> Provide an explanation of network improvement targets not met in the prior calendar year.	Not Applicable

Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Not Applicable

(200) Service Outage Reporting (Voice) Data Collection Form		FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<010>	Study Area Code	392647
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<020>	Program Year	2016
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<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	6059642600 ext.
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<220>	<a>	<b1>	<b2>	<b3>	<b4>	<c1>	<c2>	<d>	<e>	<f>	<g>	<h>
	NORS Reference Number	Outage Start Date	Outage Start Time	Outage End Date	Outage End Time	Number of Customers Affected	Total Number of Customers	911 Facilities Affected (Yes / No)	Service Outage Description (Check all that apply)	Did This Outage Affect Multiple Study Areas (Yes / No)	Service Outage Resolution	Preventative Procedures

Line 510
Processes and Procedures to Ensure Compliance with Service Quality Standards
and Consumer Protection Rules
Per FCC Form 481 Instructions

This document details the processes and procedures that Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority (the "C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority") follows to ensure compliance with service quality standards and consumer protection rules as laid out in FCC Form 481 Instructions.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority provides voice grade access to the public switched telephone networks (PSTN) at a flat rate, thereby enabling access to emergency services provided by local government or other public safety organizations such as 911.

For service quality standards that are affected by plant issues, the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority engineers and installs its plant and other facilities in such a way as to ensure, to the greatest extent possible, safe, adequate and continuous service at all times.

In addition, employees are periodically trained on service quality standards and consumer protection issues. In particular, if any set of issues appear to be prevalent, employees are given briefings on how to handle such issues, beyond the normal guidelines in place for resolution of customer complaints. A recent example is the call completion problems that have arisen and the customer calls that are generated as a result. Although this is not a service quality problem caused by the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority, it does affect customers of the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority and, therefore, deserves the attention of the C.R.S. T. Telephone Authority employees.

The C.R.S.T Telephone Authority also periodically reviews its operating procedures to be sure that those operating procedures are in compliance with service quality standards and that the operating procedures are not in violation of consumer protection rules. Internally a compliance officer ensures annual employee training and dictates disciplinary processes for improper use of consumer information. If concerns arise that cannot be handled by the compliance officer, legal counsel is sought to assist with a resolution.

If complaints are filed with the C.R.S. T. Telephone Authority related to service quality standards or consumer protection rules, the complaint is immediately investigated, the matter tracked and any corrective action noted. This process ensures that problems are addressed and corrections made. It should be noted that the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority has received no customer complaints in the past five years regarding service quality standards or consumer protection rules as they relate to the service offered by the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority advertises the availability of its services and the charges using media of general distribution and on its website.

LINE 610
STATEMENT DEMONSTRATING FUNCTIONALITY
IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS

At line 600 of FCC Form 481, Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority (“C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority”) certified that it is able to function in emergency situations as set forth in 47 C.F.R § 54.202(a)(1)(ii). This means that C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority has reasonable amount of back-up power to ensure functionality without an external source, is able to reroute traffic around damaged facilities, and is capable of managing traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations. This statement will detail how C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority is prepared to ensure continued service in an emergency situation.

Back-Up Power

C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority has a back-up generator available with a minimum of a four hour power supply for its central office. In addition, it has portable generators available for remote sites.

Rerouting of Traffic Around Damaged Facilities

C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority has route redundancy for long distance service, E-911 trunking and SS7 signaling trunking.

In the case of isolated groups of customers that may suffer damage due to a cable cut, C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority maintains sufficient staff and other resources to be able to put customers back in service in a very short amount of time. C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority's emergency service equipment is located within its exchange and requires very little time to dispatch.

Traffic Spikes

C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority's outside plant is designed, engineered and built with sufficient capacity to handle traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations and has been able to do so in the past. C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority is in an area where severe weather strikes periodically and has been able to handle communication needs at those times and has the experience from those situations to be able handle such emergency situations in the future.

(800) Operating Companies
 Data Collection Form
 FCC Form 481
 OMB Control No. 3060-0986 / OMB Control No. 3060-0819
 July 2013

<010> Study Area Code 391647
 <015> Study Area Name CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX
 <020> Program Year 2016
 <030> Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data Mona Thompson
 <035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030> 6059642600 ext.
 <039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030> monat@lakotantnetwork.com
 <810> Reporting Carrier Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority
 <811> Holding Company Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority
 <812> Operating Company Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority

<813>	<a1> Affiliates	<a2> SAC	<a3> Doing Business As Company or Brand Designation
	-- See attached worksheet --		

(900) Tribal Lands Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<010>	Study Area Code	391547
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<020>	Program Year	2015
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Mona Thompson
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	6059642600 ext.
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	monat@lakotaneetwork.com

<910> Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Reservation

<920> Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

391547sd920.pdf

Name of Attached Document

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached document(s), on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select Yes or No or Not Applicable
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes

LINE 920
TRIBAL GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT OBLIGATION
PER FCC FORM 481 INSTRUCTIONS

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority (the “C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority”) is 100% wholly – owned by the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe (the “Tribe”) and actively engages in dialogue with the Tribe on a monthly and sometimes daily basis. Those discussions include the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority’s ongoing fiber project, loan requirements, service offerings and concerns on continued revenue support payments at the Federal and State levels.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority is currently in year six of a six year fiber to the home/premise construction project that will provide the increased capability of broadband services and continued voice services to residential and commercial subscribers on the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Reservation, covering Dewey and Ziebach counties in Central South Dakota.

Tribal community anchor institutions include:

- US DHHS - Indian Health Service Health Care – Eagle Butte
- Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Field Health - Cherry Creek, Red Scaffold, White Horse & Swiftbird Clinics
- US DOI – Bureau of Indian Affairs and Bureau of Indian Education
 - Cheyenne Eagle Butte School
 - Takini School
 - Tiospaye Topa School
- Cheyenne River College Center – Oglala Lakota College

These community anchor institutions are in direct and indirect contact with the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority to order both telephone and broadband services. As the fiber project continues, the Tribal community anchor institution customers not currently served by fiber facilities, will have available to them faster broadband speeds as the fiber project is completed.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority is very sensitive to the Tribe’s culture and the marketing of the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority’s services. Service offerings and packages are discussed at all staff levels and are reviewed by Tribal attorneys, ensuring cultural sensitivity.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority is in compliance with land use permitting requirements, facilities siting, environmental and cultural preservation review processes with the Tribe.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority retains all the required business and licensing requirements which include certificates of public convenience and necessity, business license, master license and any other related forms expected by the Tribe.

(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<1120> Please confirm whether terrestrial backhaul options exist within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g) (Yes, No).

<1130> Please select the appropriate response (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(g).

(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers Lifeline Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans

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Name of Attached Document

<1220> Link to Public Website

HTTP

"Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must annually report:

- <1221> Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers,
- <1222> Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan,
- <1223> Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan.

**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
LIFELINE/TRIBAL LINK UP ADVERTISING/OUTREACH
ANNUAL REPORT
JULY 1, 2015**

Company: Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority

Address: PO Box 810
100 Main Street
Eagle Butte, SD 57625

Telephone Number: (605)964-2600

Company Contact: _____

Study Area Code: 391647

Lifeline/Tribal Link Up Advertising/Outreach Activities:

Advertise in media of general distribution.* (See attached advertisement(s).)

Letter to existing and new customers regarding the availability of Lifeline/Tribal Link Up.*
(See attached letter.)

Company's Lifeline/Tribal Link Up information in directory. (C.R.S.T. TA did not print a 2014 directory.)

Company's Lifeline/Tribal Link Up information available on Company website. (www.crstta.com – C.R.S.T. TA did not print the 2014 income guideline page off of website but we are including the 2015 table.)

Company's information posted on USAC website.

*Required

Wouldn't you like to **\$AVE** every month? Then the Tribal Lifeline and Linkup Program might be for you!

What is Lifeline?.... Discounted Telephone Service
What is Linkup?.... Reduction for connection (installation charges) for basic home telephone service

- YOU are eligible if you receive assistance from one of the following:
- Medicaid
 - Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA) or Section 8
 - Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
 - Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
 - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
 - Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
 - Head Start (Income eligible)
 - Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) General Assistance
 - Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TTANF)
 - National School Lunch Program's free lunch program
 - Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations
 - Household Income falls below 135% of the federal poverty guidelines

How Do You Apply?... For an application and/or more information please call: 1-888-587-7035.
If you are eligible, you will be mailed a Lifeline/Link-Up Application from SOLIX. For more information contact:

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority
(605) 964-2600 • 100 Main Street • P.O. Box 810 • Eagle Butte, SD 57625

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Annis looked at the crowd sitting on the track bleachers before him with the sun shining in his eyes and said, "Here we are together for the same purpose. We are a community, even if we don't know each other well." "One of our most sacred things is time; we can give each other time," he said of the time each person took to come to the 5K event, and of the time we could offer each other when struggling with loss or depression. Loss is a painful and difficult emotion to cope with. Annis offered several other strategies that could help someone who is

dealing with a death resulting in suicide, or any death. He first explained the analogy of a piece of meat, which can sustain a person for a time, but once it is gone, its sustenance ends. If you try to save the meat, it will eventually spoil, and offer no sustenance at all. "The eaten meat is the past, and saving the meat for the future will only take you so far before it too is no longer useful. Without the meat, there is no sustenance, but we can't make that one piece last forever.

"The future and the past cannot sustain you; you only have today," explained Annis. "We get sick if we live in the past or the future. So take life one day at a time. Annis ended his speech with a thought a firefighter's wife shared upon his passing.

"She said she is going to make a point to have as much fun as she can while she is alive, because when you're having fun, time flies, and she said, 'I'll be with my husband that much sooner.'"

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*****NOTICE*****

THE SOLID WASTE LANDFILL HAS RECENTLY FINISHED THEIR INVENTORY OF TRASH CONTAINERS AND 2 YARD DUMPSTERS.

Effective July 7th, 2014 any person or persons who has a container or dumpster that belongs to the landfill and does not have a contract will have their container or dumpster removed until such time the person or persons comes to the landfill office to sign a service agreement for garbage collection.

Also, any person or persons who's accounts are grossly behind on payments for services will have their container or dumpster removed as well, until a payment agreement can be made.

Should anyone have questions regarding this NOTICE you may contact the Landfill Office at 964-6111.

All birthdays are Good,
but this one is Great!
So, let's get together and Celebrate
Joan Webb's 80th Birthday
Saturday, June 28, 2014 - 4 p.m. - ?
Big Sue's Legion
Your presence is your gift!

Senators Johnson and Hoeven introduce bill to adopt bison as national mammal

Washington, DC — U.S. Senators Tim Johnson (D-SD) and John Hoeven (R-ND) today led a bipartisan group of Senators in introducing the National Bison Legacy Act, legislation that would officially adopt the North American bison as the national mammal of the United States.

"The bison has played an important role in our nation's history, holds spiritual significance to Native American cultures, and remains one of our most iconic and enduring symbols," Johnson said. "Bison production has also become an important agricultural endeavor in South Dakota and throughout the country as demand continues to grow. By adopting the North American bison as our national mammal, the National Bison Legacy Act recognizes their historical, cultural, ecological, and economic significance."

Bison have played and continue to play an important role in Indian Country economies and in the spiritual lives of American Indians. The animal was nearly extinct in the early 1900s, but a collaboration of public and private interests worked together to help restore its population. Currently, many American Indian tribes are working to restore bison on tribal lands.

Bison producers help grow rural economies and provide quality food to individuals across the country. Nationwide, there are 2,600 bison ranches that help create jobs, generate economic growth, and provide a sustainable and healthy meat source to contribute to our nation's food security.

The following Senators have co-sponsored the bill: Heidi Heitkamp (D-ND), Sheldon Whitehouse (D-RI), Michael Bennet (D-CO), Martin Heinrich (D-NM), Chuck Schumer (D-NY), Kirsten Gillibrand (D-NY), Tom Udall (D-NM), John Thune (R-SD), Rob Portman (R-OH), Mike Johanns (R-NE), James Inhofe (R-OK), and Jerry Moran (R-KS).

Caring for your family is a natural thing to do ...
Let us take care of the final details!

CRST Tribal Members:
~ All service fees, casket & headstone included under tribal burial program
~ Star Quilts available

Non Tribal Members:
~ All service fees and caskets starting at \$4,695
~ Casket spray provided
~ Granite headstones starting as low as \$150

All Funerals Receive:
~ Clergy fees provided*
~ Full-sized Memorial programs
~ Spacious chapel and/or church services

~ Memorial candle
~ Memorial Thank You's
* Out-of-state deaths may incur extra costs

Every family's needs are served regardless of their faith, financial situation or culture!

STOUT
Family Funeral Home
845-7400
24339 US Hwy 212, Eagle Butte, SD
519 7th Ave E, Mobridge, SD

Joe Stout
Dennis Thiessen

Peek Into the Past

November 5, 1914

Robbins & Linde are moving a large amount of dirt, a bank about 16 feet deep and are getting down to a new vein of coal. They are shipping coal so fast that they can hardly get the orders filled and are employing all the men they can find.

Miss Tillie Pillar had the misfortune to break a bone in her foot. She attempted to step over a woven wire fence, which was about a foot high and she tripped.

It has been reported that on this day it will be cleanup day. All of the school children will assist in picking up tin cans, etc. Two wagons will be on the job to haul the stuff out of town.

November 2, 1934

G.L. Koch of Mound City and Nels Jeppson of Isabel had the misfortune of crashing automobiles near the junction of No. 8 and 65, west of Isabel. The Koch car was considerably damaged. It is reported the accident was due to defective lights.

C.E. Boehrs, Jr., democratic candidate for sheriff was in an accident, which resulted in three broken ribs.

In returning home, he ran into a car without tail lights. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Paul, passengers in the other car were also hurt.

The 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Flagg has been seriously ill with pneumonia.

November 3, 1944

Isabel lost the game played at Selby by a 26-8 score. The East River boys played real rough-and, which was tolerated by the referee.

Corky Wortman was the victim of a splintered bone and was taken to Moberidge hospital.

On October 27th six cars of sheep and three cars of cattle were shipped from Isabel.

Mrs. Earl Woodcock returned home from a trip to the West Coast. While at Van Couver, Washington she was a guest at the launching of a ship.

November 4, 1954

After an interim of 20 years Mrs. "Shorty" Lutz and her brother, Alvin Opp, visited in Blanchard, Idaho.

Kenneth Lindskov had a tonsillectomy operation at the Lowe hospital at Moberidge.

Chris Aldinger was the winner of the shotgun that was given away at the Fireman's Ball in Isabel.

The first issue of The Wildcat hit the streets Nov. 1st. Donna Heck is the editor and Donna Beebe, Assistant editor. Memeographers are Carol Lutz, Corinne Solberg, and Lucille Taylor; art editors: Mary Beer and Donna Beebe; copy readers Corinne Solberg and Esther Young; proof readers: Roberta Lindskov and Forrest Hall; typists: Romona

Bertsch, Carol Lutz and Roberta Lindskov; feature writers Kay Badure, Esther Young and Corinne Elfrink; Boys sports: Duane Heck, Marvin Gill and Forrest Hall; Girls Sports: Dolores Dahl, Mary Beer and Dawn Siepman; exchange news: Romona Bertsch; Grade news: Edith Stapert grades 1-4 and Elvina Klingman grades 5-8; Reporters are Eileen Reichert, Alice Anderson, Margaret Siepman and Alvin Motis.

November 5, 1964

News from Moberidge: a 30 pound lynx, was shot just west of Moberidge by Clarence Mendell while hunting grouse. The male cat appeared near a small pond about a mile west of the Sitting Bull monument and Mendell shot him in the head with a .410 shotgun.

Returning letterman for the Isabel boys' basketball team include, Mark Perrett, Ronald Stradinger, Gerry Heck, Dean Finkbeiner and Leslie Lindskov. There are twenty-five boys out for basketball.

October 31, 1974

Sixty-seven senior citizens attended the annual Senior Citizens Tea in Isabel.

The Dewey County Bank of Isabel has announced that a high school senior, Margaret Meginness has been named to attend the 13th Annual Economics

Seminar for Young Adults held in Pierre.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Heck of Firesteel and Mr. and Mrs. Reine Heck of Moberidge recently traveled to the East Coast. On their trip they visited Washington, D.C., Niagara Falls, Cobb Island and Port Tobacco.

November 1, 1984

Ray Knodel, Isabel, was injured when a rock fell off a rock-crusher conveyor and struck him on the side of the head - in the temple area.

The Isabel Lounge held their annual Halloween party. "Spookiest" prize went to Mick Frank, "Funniest" prize was won by Ginger Kuowltin, "Ugliest" prize went to LeRoy Warner, "Most Original" prize went Christy Finkbeiner and "Best Over-All" went to Brad Haack.

November 3, 1994

Over five inches of rain was received in Isabel during the month of October.

Kimberly K. Lindskov was one of 114,000 students included in the 17th Annual Edition of The National Dean's List. She attends University of Mary in Bismarck.

The All-State Chorus quartet has been chosen for the 1994 school year. The quartet consists of senior, Matthew Reichert, tenor; junior Melody Reich, soprano; junior Melody Stradinger, alto; and sophomore, Brok Bege-man, bass.

Monte Lindskov and Keri Kerstiens were selected as the 1994 Homecoming royalty.

Nov. 4, 2004

Two hundred six voters marked their ballots at the Isabel Nutrition Site Tuesday, Nov. 2.

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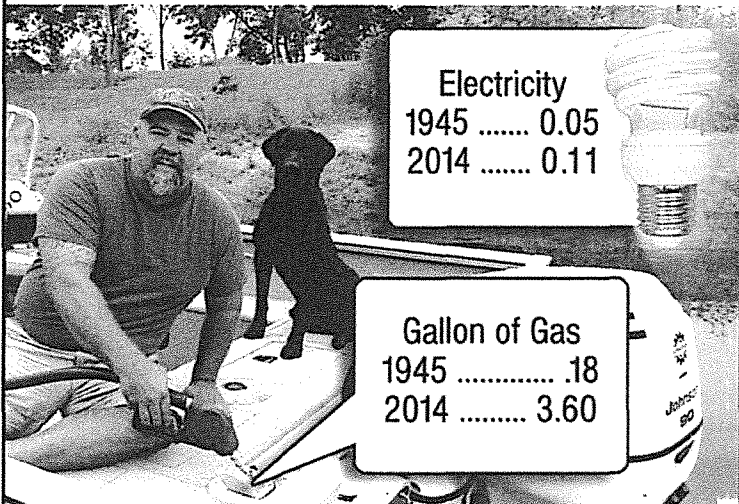
- Medicaid
- Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA) or Section 8
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- Head Start (Income eligible)
- Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) General Assistance
- Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TTANF)
- National School Lunch Program's free lunch program
- Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations
- Household Income falls below 135% of the federal poverty guidelines

Apply by calling 1-888-587-7035 for an application or more information. If you are eligible, you will be mailed a Lifeline/Link-Up Application from SOLIX. For more information contact:



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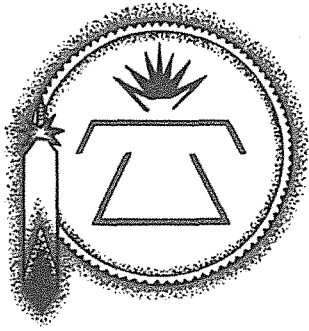
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C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority

Dear C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority Customer,

Please read this letter carefully.

Individuals who reside on tribal lands and meet the eligibility criteria may qualify for discounts [on the telephone bill] through **Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link Up programs**. Tribal lands are defined as any federally-recognized Indian tribe's reservation, pueblo, or colony; Indian Allotments; and areas that fall outside the boundaries of existing Tribal lands but have been designated by the Federal Communications Commission as Tribal lands for the purpose of receiving Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link Up support.

Tribal Lifeline helps eligible residents of tribal lands save up to \$34.25 on their monthly phone bill. The discount applies to wireline or wireless residential telephone service plans and is limited to one line per household. **Tribal Link Up** provides a one-time discount for the connection or activation charge for new telephone service at the applicant's primary residence. The discount is a 100 percent reduction, up to \$100, of the customary charge to initiate telecommunications service. Link Up also allows you to pay any remaining amount owed on initiation of service (up to \$200) on a deferred schedule, interest free.

Eligible consumers may also be able to sign up for free toll blocking or toll limitation service that either blocks or limits long-distance calls from your phone.

Both programs have eligibility requirements. You may qualify if you, one or more of your dependents, or your household participates in any of the following programs:

- Medicaid (example, Title XIX/Medical State Supplemental Assistance)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8)
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, formerly known as food stamps)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- National School Lunch Program's Free Lunch Program
- Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance
- Tribally-Administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TTANF)
- Head Start (if income eligibility criteria are met)
- Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations
- Or, if your household income is no more than 135 percent of the federal poverty income guidelines (see table below).

2015 Health & Human Services Poverty Guidelines			
Number in Residence	135% Guideline (Annual)	Number in Residence	135% Guideline (Annual)
1	\$15,890	5	\$38,354
2	\$21,506	6	\$43,970
3	\$27,122	7	\$49,586
4	\$32,738	8	\$55,202

For each additional person after 8, add \$5,616 to the annual guideline.

*Federal Register, Vol. 80, No. 14, February 2, 2015, pp. 3236-3237
(Applicable to the 48 contiguous states and the District of Columbia only.)*

To apply for **Tribal Lifeline or Tribal Link Up on Tribal Lands**, contact Solix at 1-888-587-7035 for a Tribal Lifeline or Tribal Link Up Assistance Application, complete the form, and then return it to **Lifeline Administrator, 30 Lanidex Plaza West, PO Box 685, Parsippany, NJ 07054-0685**. A representative from Solix will contact you to verify your eligibility and complete the application process. You will be required to provide documentation to prove eligibility.

Important Information

- Not all telephone providers in South Dakota offer the Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link Up discounts.
- Tribal Lifeline is available on only one line per household. A household is defined as any individual or group of individuals living together at the same address as one economic unit. An "economic unit" consists of all adult individuals contributing to and sharing in the income and expenses of a household. A household may include related and unrelated persons.
- Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link Up discounts cannot be applied to past due telephone bills.
- It can take up to two months for the discounts to show up on your bill as a credit. You must pay the bill until that time.
- Tribal Link Up will not cover the cost of a phone or wiring your home.
- You must notify C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority when you no longer qualify for the program.

Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link Up Telephone Assistance Programs Proof of Eligibility

If you qualify for Tribal Lifeline or Tribal Link Up based on income, you may be asked to provide proof of your income. The following documents are acceptable proof:

- Last year's state, federal or tribal tax return
- Current income statement from an employer or paycheck stub
- A Social Security statement of benefits
- A Veterans Administration statement of benefits
- A retirement/pension statement of benefits
- An Unemployment/Worker's Compensation statement of benefits
- A federal or tribal notice letter of participation in General Assistance
- A divorce decree, child support award, or other official document containing income information

If the prospective subscriber presents documentation of income that does not cover a full year, such as current pay stubs, the prospective subscriber must present the same type of documentation covering three consecutive months within the previous 12 months.

If you qualify for Tribal Lifeline or Tribal Link Up based on **program-based eligibility**, you may be asked to provide proof of your eligibility. The following documents are acceptable proof:

- The current or prior year's statement of benefits from a qualifying assistance program
- A notice or letter of participation from a qualifying assistance program
- Program participation documents
- An official document demonstrating that the prospective subscriber, one or more of the prospective subscriber's dependents, or the prospective subscriber's household receives benefits from a qualifying assistance program.

Sincerely,

C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe



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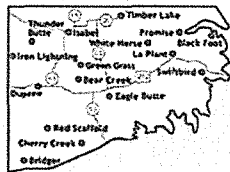
The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority offers many valuable services for our customers from basic telephone service to robust internet solutions.

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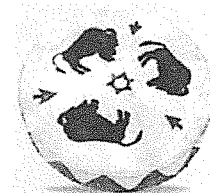
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Tribal Lifeline And Linkup Program

You May Be Eligible For Discounted Telephone Service.

Qualifying customers who reside within the boundaries of the Cheyenne River Sioux Indian Reservation. This program can decrease your local monthly telephone service by as much as \$22.75 per month.



On January 01, 1998, the basic Lifeline and Linkup program was implemented. This program was designed to assist low-income consumers with the cost of basic telephone service. On October 01, 2001, the Enhanced Lifeline and Link-up rules were implemented. This "enhanced" program applies to low income consumers living on tribal lands.

Eligibility Requirements:

This low income federal telephone assistance program is available to eligible subscribers that are participating in at least one of the following public assistance programs:

- Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) general assistance program
- Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8)
- Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, formerly known as food stamps)
- Head Start (meeting income qualifying standards)
- Household Income is at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance
- Medicaid (eg., Title XIX Medical State Supplemental Assistance)
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For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$5,616 for each additional person.

How To Apply:

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Service Type</u>
Northern Valley Communications	888-919-8145	Wireline
James Valley Wireless	800-556-6525	Wireless
AT&T Mobility	800-377-9450	Wireless
City of Brookings Telephone Fund		Wireless
Northern Valley Communications	888-919-8945	Wireless
Budget Mobile	888-777-4007	Wireless
ITC Telecom	800-417-8667	Home Phone
Swiftel Communications	605-692-6211	Home Phone
Alliance Communications	800-701-4978	Home Phone
CenturyLink (formerly Qwest)	800-244-1111	Home Phone
C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority	605-964-2600	Home Phone
Golden West Telecommunications	866-279-2161	Home Phone
James Valley Telecommunications	800-556-6525	Home Phone
Kennebec Telephone Company	605-869-2220	Home Phone
Jefferson Telephone Company	712-271-4000	Home Phone
Midstate Communications	605-778-6221	Home Phone
PrairieWave Community Telephone	877-633-4567	Home Phone
PrairieWave Black Hills	605-721-2000	Home Phone
Santel Communications	888-978-7777	Home Phone
RC Communications, Inc.	800-256-6854	Home Phone
Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association	800-256-6854	Home Phone
TrioTel Communications, Inc.	800-242-1925	Home Phone
Valley Telecommunications Cooperative Association	605-437-2615	Home Phone
Venture Communications	800-824-7282	Home Phone
West River Telecom	800-748-7220	Home Phone
Beresford Municipal Telephone	605-763-2500	Home Phone
City of Fairth Municipal Telephone Company	605-967-2261	Home Phone
Mt. Rushmore Telephone Company	605-666-4411	Home Phone

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Western Telephone Company	800-824-7282	Home Phone
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391647

Line 1222 Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority only provides its lifeline customers a flat rate local service. There is no measured local service provided, so the number of minutes provided is not necessary.

Line 1223 Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan.

The C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority provides access to toll service providers for its lifeline customers. The lifeline customer has to choose its own toll service provider, so no additional charges are noted or required by the C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority.

(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation Data Collection Form <i>Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers</i>	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<010>	Study Area Code	
<015>	Study Area Name	39164
<020>	Program Year	CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	2016
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	None (in person)
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	COSP@12000.BAL
<small>MONTELEONE@NETWORKS.COM</small>		

Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental Connect America Phase I support, frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting

- <2010> 2nd Year Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)i)
- <2011a> 3rd Year Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)ii)
- <2011b> Attachment (47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)ii)

Name of Attached Document(s) Listing Required Information

Price Cap Carrier Receiving Frozen Support Certification (47 CFR § 54.312(a))

- <2012> 2013 Frozen Support Calculation (47 CFR § 54.313(c)(1))
- <2013> 2014 Frozen Support Calculation (47 CFR § 54.313(c)(2))
- <2014> 2015 Frozen Support Calculation (47 CFR § 54.313(c)(3))
- <2015> 2016 and future Frozen Support Calculation (47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4))

Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support (47 CFR § 54.313(d))

- <2016> Certification Support Used to Build Broadband

Connect America Phase II Reporting (47 CFR § 54.313(e))

- <2017> 3rd year Broadband Service Certification
- <2018> 5th year Broadband Service Certification
- <2019> Interim Progress Certification

<2020> Please check the box to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 2021, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (e)(3)(ii), as a recipient of CAF Phase II support shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.

- <2021> Interim Progress Community Anchor Institutions

Name of Attached Document(s) Listing Required Information

(3005) Rate Of Return Carrier Additional Documentation	FCC Form 481
Data Collection Form	OMB Control No. 3060-0386/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
	July 2013

<010>	Study Area Code	391647
<015>	Study Area Name	CHEYENNE RIVER STORM
<020>	Program Year	2016
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Mona Thompson
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	6059662600 ext
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	mpat@labnetnetwork.com

CHECK the boxes below to note compliance on its five year service quality plan (pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.202(a)) and, for privately held carriers, ensuring compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I further certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

(3010) Progress Report on 5 Year Plan
 Milestone Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i))

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Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3011) Please check this box to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 3012 contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(1)(ii), the carrier shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.

(3012) Community Anchor Institutions (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(ii))

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Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3013) Is your company a Privately Held ROR Carrier (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)) (Yes/No) Yes No

(3014) If yes, does your company file the RUS annual report (Yes/No) Yes No

Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 3017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance requires:

(3015) Electronic copy of their annual RUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers)

(3016) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3017) If the response is yes on line 3014, attach your company's RUS annual report and all required documentation

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Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

(3018) If the response is no on line 3014, is your company audited? (Yes/No) Yes No

If the response is yes on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3019) Either a copy of their audited financial statement; or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications

(3020) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3021) Management letter and audit opinion issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit

If the response is no on line 3018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on line 3026 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:

(3022) Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant; or 2) a financial report in a format comparable to RUS Operating Report for Telecommunications Borrowers.

(3023) Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant

(3024) Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.

(3025) Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows

(3026) Attach the worksheet listing required information

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

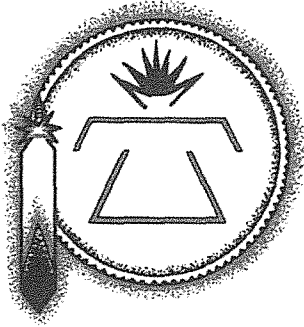
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<035> Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	6059647600 ext.
<039> Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	mona@blackstonepark.com

Financial Data Summary

(3027) Revenue	[REDACTED]
(3028) Operating Expenses	[REDACTED]
(3029) Net Income	[REDACTED]
(3030) Telephone Plant In Service(TPIS)	[REDACTED]
(3031) Total Assets	[REDACTED]
(3032) Total Debt	[REDACTED]
(3033) Total Equity	[REDACTED]
(3034) Dividends	[REDACTED]

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information



C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority

July 1, 2015

To: Commission Secretary, Office of Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 – 12th Street, SW
Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

Re: FCC Form 481
47 CFR 54.313(f)(1)(i)
Milestone Certification
Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority
Eagle Butte, South Dakota
Study Area Code 391647

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority, SAC 391647, ("Authority") hereby certifies as required by 47 CFR 54.313 (f)(1)(i) for the FCC Form 481 program year 2016 that it is taking reasonable steps to provide upon reasonable request broadband service at actual speeds of at least 4 Mbps downstream/1 Mbps upstream, with latency suitable for real-time applications, including Voice over Internet Protocol, and usage capacity that is reasonably comparable to comparable offerings in urban areas as determined in an annual survey, and that requests for such services are met within a reasonable amount of time, if requested.

No such request has been received. The Authority is in its final stages of implementation of their fiber-to-the-home project for their whole serving area. The last exchange, Isabel is to be completed in 2015.

By: Ivan Bruguier
Ivan Bruguier
Board Chairman

CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX TRIBE TELEPHONE AUTHORITY
 COMMUNITY ANCHOR INSTITUTIONS IN STUDY AREA 391647
 LINE 3012

	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
1	CHEYENNE RIVER HOUSING AUTHORITY	N. HEART ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
2	DUPREE MANOR	N. E STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
3	DUPREE MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING	HWY 212	DUPREE	SD	57623
4	DUPREE SCHOOL	S. B STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
5	HEADSTART DUPREE	N. C STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
6	ZIEBACH COUNTY COURTHOUSE	215 S. MAIN STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
7	FIRE ALARM	MAIN STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
8	YMCA SIOUX	6TH & B STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
9	DEWEY COUNTY AMBULANCE	2ND & MAIN	ISABEL	SD	57633
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11	NORTHWEST AREA SCHOOLS	503 N. MAIN STREET	ISABEL	SD	57633
12	UNITED STATE POSTAL SERVICE	200 MAIN STREET	ISABEL	SD	57633
13	CHERRY CREEK CHRISTIAN SCHOOL	156 TAKINI ROAD	CHERRY CREEK	SD	57622
14	CHERRY CREEK CLINIC	5TH AVE	CHERRY CREEK	SD	57622
15	CHEYENNE RIVER HOUSING AUTHORITY	18151 1st AVE	RED SCAFFOLD	SD	57626
16	ELDERLY NUTRITION	#258	CHERRY CREEK	SD	57622
17	HEADSTART CHERRY CREEK	2ND STREET	CHERRY CREEK	SD	57622
18	RED SCAFFOLD CLINIC	18190 1ST AVE	RED SCAFFOLD	SD	57626
19	RED SCAFFOLD HEADSTART	21366 BIA 6	RED SCAFFOLD	SD	57626
20	TAKINI SCHOOL	HWY 34 E BIA RT 8	TAKINI	SD	57748
21	LAPLANT BAPTIST CHURCH	27248 USHWY 212	LAPLANT	SD	57652
22	ADULT EDUCATION/GED PROGRAM	#583	LAPLANT	SD	57652
23	SWIFTBIRD CLINIC	16050 BIA 7	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
24	TIOSPAYE TOPA SCHOOL	1234 LAPLANT RD	LAPLANT	SD	57652
25	UNITED VETERANS BEACON HOUSE	BIA RT 8	PROMISE	SD	57601
26	WHITE HORSE CLINIC	25962 BIA 3	WHITE HORSE	SD	57661
27	WHITE HORSE COMMUNITY BLDG	#13 3rd AVE	WHITE HORSE	SD	57661
28	WHITE HORSE HEADSTART	#5 2ND AVE	WHITE HORSE	SD	57661
29	911 CORPORATION	24292 E AIRPORT ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
30	ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC RECTORY	LANDMARK & N. SPRUCE	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
31	ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH	HERITAGE & CEDAR	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
32	BIA FIRE MANAGEMENT	D STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
33	BIA SOCIAL SERVICES	203 C STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
34	BLACK HILLS DIALYSIS	100 SYCAMORE STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
35	BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF WATERTOWN	DUPREE & 4TH STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
36	C-EB SCHOOL	E STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
37	CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE	E STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
38	CHEYENNE RIVER COLLEGE CENTER	LINCOLN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
39	CHEYENNE RIVER TRANSIT	E HWY 212 & RODEO ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
40	CITY FIRE HALL	WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
41	CITY POLICE	207 MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
42	CR HOMELESS SHELTER	311 S. MAIN	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
43	MOBILE COURT	317 MAIN STRET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
44	CRST SORNA PROJECT	JEFFERSON STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
45	CRST TRIBAL VENTURES	PRAIRIE ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
46	CRST YOUTH AFFAIRS	HWY 212	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
47	DAKOTA CLUB LIBRARY	215 MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
48	DAKOTA PLAINS LEGAL SERVICE	W FRONTIER AVE	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
49	DAY CARE CENTER	N MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
50	DENTAL CLINIC	100 AIRPORT ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
51	DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS	HWY 212 & W NO HEART ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625

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LINE 3012

	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
52	EAGLE BUTTE PUBLIC SCHOOL	PRAIRIE ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
53	ELDERLY NUTRITION	LINCOLN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
54	EMERGENCY SHELTER	405 CHINATOWN	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
55	EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE	MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
56	FAMILY HEALTH CENTER	MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
57	FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION	WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
58	FOOD DISTRIBUTION	JEFFERSON STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
59	FOUR BANDS COMMUNITY FUND	101 S MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
60	GAME FISH & PARKS	HWY 212	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
61	EAGLE CENTER	EAST E STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
62	HEADSTART	LINCOLN STREET-NORTH BLDG	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
63	HEADSTART	LINCOLN STREET-SOUTH BLDG	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
64	HEADSTART	LINCOLN STREET-ADMIN BLDG	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
65	HOUSING IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM	JEFFERSON STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
66	INDIAN CHILD WELFARE	822 N MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
67	JUDGES CHAMBERS	813 N WILLOW	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
68	LAKOTA NURSING PROGRAM	E PRAIRIE ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
69	OIEP	E STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
70	OKICIIYAPI TIPI H.P.	MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
71	OTI KAGA	E PRAIRIE ROAD	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
72	OYATE CONNECTIONS	118 N MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
73	LIEUTENANT OFFICE	WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
74	PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE	WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
75	PUBLIC DEFENDER'S OFFICE	WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
76	SACRED HEART CENTER	121 LANDMARK STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
77	SCHOOL KITCHEN	E STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
78	STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA	1302 WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
79	STRONG HEART STUDY	S WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
80	THE MAIN	702 4TH STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
81	TITLE 1 PROGRAM	435 FRONTIER AVE	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
82	UPELL MARGARET DR	315 MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
83	USPS	313 S MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
84	VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION	826 N MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
85	WIC OFFICE	S WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
86	WOMEN'S SHELTER/TRANSITION	N WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
87	DUPREE CATHOLIC RECTORY	410 1ST STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
88	DUPREE DAY CARE INC	MAIN STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
89	HARRY'S COMMUNITY HALL	308 MAIN STREET	DUPREE	SD	57623
90	CITY HALL	625 N MAIN STREET	ISABEL	SD	57633
91	ISABEL BAPTIST CHURCH	E UTAH STREET	ISABEL	SD	57633
92	ISABEL NUTRITION CENTER	2ND STREET	ISABEL	SD	57633
93	ISABEL OKICIIYAP	309 N WILSON	ISABEL	SD	57633
94	CHERRY CREEK CATHOLIC	#2 1ST STREET	CHERRY CREEK	SD	57622
95	SIMPLY SMILES INC	HWY 212	LAPLANT	SD	57652
96	CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST	WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
97	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH	316 MAIN STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
98	NOAH'S ARK LEARNING CENTER	209 E ELM STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
99	UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST	300 CHURCH STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
100	WEST WINDS HOME HEALTH	S WILLOW STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625
101	WIND SWEEP ACADEMY	236 CEDAR STREET	EAGLE BUTTE	SD	57625

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<i>INSTRUCTIONS-Submit report to RUS within 30 days after close of the period. For detailed instructions, see RUS Bulletin 1744-2. Report in whole dollars only.</i>	PERIOD ENDING December, 2014	BORROWER DESIGNATION SD0533
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CERTIFICATION

We hereby certify that the entries in this report are in accordance with the accounts and other records of the system and reflect the status of the system to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ALL INSURANCE REQUIRED BY 7 CFR PART 1788, CHAPTER XVII, RUS, WAS IN FORCE DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD AND RENEWALS HAVE BEEN OBTAINED FOR ALL POLICIES.

DURING THE PERIOD COVERED BY THIS REPORT PURSUANT TO PART 1788 OF 7CFR CHAPTER XVII
(Check one of the following)

All of the obligations under the RUS loan documents have been fulfilled in all material respects.
 There has been a default in the fulfillment of the obligations under the RUS loan documents. Said default(s) is/are specifically described in the Telecom Operating Report

_____ DATE _____

PART A. BALANCE SHEET					
ASSETS	BALANCE PRIOR YEAR	BALANCE END OF PERIOD	LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	BALANCE PRIOR YEAR	BALANCE END OF PERIOD
CURRENT ASSETS			CURRENT LIABILITIES		
1. Cash and Equivalents			25. Accounts Payable		
2. Cash-RUS Construction Fund			26. Notes Payable		
3. Affiliates:			27. Advance Billings and Payments		
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			28. Customer Deposits		
b. Other Accounts Receivable			29. Current Mat. L/T Debt		
c. Notes Receivable			30. Current Mat. L/T Debt-Rur. Dev.		
4. Non-Affiliates:			31. Current Mat.-Capital Leases		
a. Telecom, Accounts Receivable			32. Income Taxes Accrued		
b. Other Accounts Receivable			33. Other Taxes Accrued		
c. Notes Receivable			34. Other Current Liabilities		
5. Interest and Dividends Receivable			35. Total Current Liabilities (25 thru 34)		
6. Material-Regulated			LONG-TERM DEBT		
7. Material-Nonregulated			36. Funded Debt-RUS Notes		
8. Prepayments			37. Funded Debt-RTB Notes		
9. Other Current Assets			38. Funded Debt-FFB Notes		
10. Total Current Assets (1 Thru 9)			39. Funded Debt-Other		
NONCURRENT ASSETS			40. Funded Debt-Rural Develop. Loan		
11. Investment in Affiliated Companies			41. Premium (Discount) on L/T Debt		
a. Rural Development			42. Reacquired Debt		
b. Nonrural Development			43. Obligations Under Capital Lease		
12. Other Investments			44. Adv. From Affiliated Companies		
a. Rural Development			45. Other Long-Term Debt		
b. Nonrural Development			46. Total Long-Term Debt (36 thru 45)		
13. Nonregulated Investments			OTHER LIAB. & DEF. CREDITS		
14. Other Noncurrent Assets			47. Other Long-Term Liabilities		
15. Deferred Charges			48. Other Deferred Credits		
16. Jurisdictional Differences			49. Other Jurisdictional Differences		
17. Total Noncurrent Assets (11 thru 16)			50. Total Other Liabilities and Deferred Credits (47 thru 49)		
PLANT, PROPERTY, AND EQUIPMENT			EQUITY		
18. Telecom, Plant-in-Service			51. Cap. Stock Outstand. & Subscribed		
19. Property Held for Future Use			52. Additional Paid-in-Capital		
20. Plant Under Construction			53. Treasury Stock		
21. Plant Adj., Nonop. Plant & Goodwill			54. Membership and Cap. Certificates		
22. Less Accumulated Depreciation			55. Other Capital		
23. Net Plant (18 thru 21 less 22)			56. Patronage Capital Credits		
24. TOTAL ASSETS (10+17+23)			57. Retained Earnings or Margins		
			58. Total Equity (51 thru 57)		
			59. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY (35+46+50+58)		

Total Equity = 15.59% % of Total Assets

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PART B. STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS OR MARGINS

ITEM	PRIOR YEAR	THIS YEAR
1. Local Network Services Revenues	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
2. Network Access Services Revenues	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
3. Long Distance Network Services Revenues	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
4. Carrier Billing and Collection Revenues	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
5. Miscellaneous Revenues	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
6. Uncollectible Revenues	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
7. Net Operating Revenues (1 thru 5 less 6)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
8. Plant Specific Operations Expense	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
9. Plant Nonspecific Operations Expense (Excluding Depreciation & Amortization)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
10. Depreciation Expense	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
11. Amortization Expense	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
12. Customer Operations Expense	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
13. Corporate Operations Expense	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
14. Total Operating Expenses (8 thru 13)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
15. Operating Income or Margins (7 less 14)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
16. Other Operating Income and Expenses		
17. State and Local Taxes		
18. Federal Income Taxes		
19. Other Taxes		
20. Total Operating Taxes (17+18+19)	0	0
21. Net Operating Income or Margins (15+16-20)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
22. Interest on Funded Debt	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
23. Interest Expense - Capital Leases		
24. Other Interest Expense		
25. Allowance for Funds Used During Construction	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
26. Total Fixed Charges (22+23+24-25)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
27. Nonoperating Net Income	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
28. Extraordinary Items		
29. Jurisdictional Differences		
30. Nonregulated Net Income	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
31. Total Net Income or Margins (21+27+28+29+30-26)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
32. Total Taxes Based on Income		
33. Retained Earnings or Margins Beginning-of-Year	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
34. Miscellaneous Credits Year-to-Date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
35. Dividends Declared (Common)		
36. Dividends Declared (Preferred)		
37. Other Debits Year-to-Date		
38. Transfers to Patronage Capital		
39. Retained Earnings or Margins End-of-Period [(31+33+34) - (35+36+37+38)]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
40. Patronage Capital Beginning-of-Year		
41. Transfers to Patronage Capital		
42. Patronage Capital Credits Retired		
43. Patronage Capital End-of-Year (40+41-42)	0	0
44. Annual Debt Service Payments	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
45. Cash Ratio [(14+20-10-11) / 7]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
46. Operating Accrual Ratio [(14+20+26) / 7]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
47. TIER [(31+26) / 26]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
48. DSCR [(31+26+10+11) / 44]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

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Part C. SUBSCRIBER (ACCESS LINE), ROUTE MILE, & HIGH SPEED DATA INFORMATION

EXCHANGE	1. RATES		2. SUBSCRIBERS (ACCESS LINES)			3. ROUTE MILES	
	B-1 (a)	R-1 (b)	BUSINESS (a)	RESIDENTIAL (b)	TOTAL (c)	TOTAL (including fiber) (a)	FIBER (b)
Dupree							
Eagle Butte							
Isabel							
LaPlant							
South Dupree							
MobileWireless							
Route Mileage Outside Exchange Area							
Total							
No. Exchanges							

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PART D. SYSTEM DATA				
1. No. Plant Employees	2. No. Other Employees	3. Square Miles Served	4. Access Lines per Square Mile	5. Subscribers per Route Mile

PART E. TOLL DATA							
1. Study Area ID Code(s) a. 391647 b. _____ c. _____ d. _____ e. _____ f. _____ g. _____ h. _____ i. _____ j. _____	2. Types of Toll Settlements (Check one) <table style="width:100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 40%;">Interstate:</td> <td style="width: 20%;"><input type="checkbox"/> Average Schedule</td> <td style="width: 40%;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost Basis</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Intrastate:</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Average Schedule</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost Basis</td> </tr> </table>	Interstate:	<input type="checkbox"/> Average Schedule	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost Basis	Intrastate:	<input type="checkbox"/> Average Schedule	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost Basis
Interstate:	<input type="checkbox"/> Average Schedule	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost Basis					
Intrastate:	<input type="checkbox"/> Average Schedule	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cost Basis					

PART F. FUNDS INVESTED IN PLANT DURING YEAR	
1. RUS, RTB, & FFB Loan Funds Expended	
2. Other Long-Term Loan Funds Expended	
3. Funds Expended Under RUS Interim Approval	
4. Other Short-Term Loan Funds Expended	
5. General Funds Expended (Other than Interim)	
6. Salvaged Materials	
7. Contribution in Aid to Construction	
8. Gross Additions to Telecom. Plant (1 thru 7)	

PART G. INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES					
INVESTMENTS	CURRENT YEAR DATA		CUMULATIVE DATA		
	Investment This Year	Income/Loss This Year	Cumulative Investment To Date	Cumulative Income/Loss To Date	Current Balance
<i>(a)</i>	<i>(b)</i>	<i>(c)</i>	<i>(d)</i>	<i>(e)</i>	<i>(f)</i>
1. Investment in Affiliated Companies - Rural Development	0	0	0	0	0
2. Investment in Affiliated Companies - Nonrural Development	0	0	0	0	0

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PART H. CURRENT DEPRECIATION RATES

Are corporation's depreciation rates approved by the regulatory authority with jurisdiction over the provision of telephone services? (Check one)

YES NO

EQUIPMENT CATEGORY	DEPRECIATION RATE
1. Land and support assets - Motor Vehicles	[REDACTED]
2. Land and support assets - Aircraft	[REDACTED]
3. Land and support assets - Special purpose vehicles	[REDACTED]
4. Land and support assets - Garage and other work equipment	[REDACTED]
5. Land and support assets - Buildings	[REDACTED]
6. Land and support assets - Furniture and Office equipment	[REDACTED]
7. Land and support assets - General purpose computers	[REDACTED]
8. Central Office Switching - Digital	[REDACTED]
9. Central Office Switching - Analog & Electro-mechanical	[REDACTED]
10. Central Office Switching - Operator Systems	[REDACTED]
11. Central Office Transmission - Radio Systems	[REDACTED]
12. Central Office Transmission - Circuit equipment	[REDACTED]
13. Information origination/termination - Station apparatus	[REDACTED]
14. Information origination/termination - Customer premises wiring	[REDACTED]
15. Information origination/termination - Large private branch exchanges	[REDACTED]
16. Information origination/termination - Public telephone terminal equipment	[REDACTED]
17. Information origination/termination - Other terminal equipment	[REDACTED]
18. Cable and wire facilities - Poles	[REDACTED]
19. Cable and wire facilities - Aerial cable - Metal	[REDACTED]
20. Cable and wire facilities - Aerial cable - Fiber	[REDACTED]
21. Cable and wire facilities - Underground cable - Metal	[REDACTED]
22. Cable and wire facilities - Underground cable - Fiber	[REDACTED]
23. Cable and wire facilities - Buried cable - Metal	[REDACTED]
24. Cable and wire facilities - Buried cable - Fiber	[REDACTED]
25. Cable and wire facilities - Conduit systems	[REDACTED]
26. Cable and wire facilities - Other	[REDACTED]

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PART I – STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

1. Beginning Cash (Cash and Equivalents plus RUS Construction Fund)	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
2. Net Income	
<i>Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities</i>	
3. Add: Depreciation	
4. Add: Amortization	
5. Other (Explain) Depreciation on non-regulated investments	
<i>Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilities</i>	
6. Decrease/(Increase) in Accounts Receivable	
7. Decrease/(Increase) in Materials and Inventory	
8. Decrease/(Increase) in Prepayments and Deferred Charges	
9. Decrease/(Increase) in Other Current Assets	
10. Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable	
11. Increase/(Decrease) in Advance Billings & Payments	
12. Increase/(Decrease) in Other Current Liabilities	
13. Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Operations	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
14. Decrease/(Increase) in Notes Receivable	
15. Increase/(Decrease) in Notes Payable	
16. Increase/(Decrease) in Customer Deposits	
17. Net Increase/(Decrease) in Long Term Debt (Including Current Maturities)	
18. Increase/(Decrease) in Other Liabilities & Deferred Credits	
19. Increase/(Decrease) in Capital Stock, Paid-in Capital, Membership and Capital Certificates & Other Capital	
20. Less: Payment of Dividends	
21. Less: Patronage Capital Credits Retired	
22. Other (Explain)	
23. Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Financing Activities	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
24. Net Capital Expenditures (Property, Plant & Equipment)	
25. Other Long-Term Investments	
26. Other Noncurrent Assets & Jurisdictional Differences	
27. Other (Explain) See explanation on notes page	
28. Net Cash Provided/(Used) by Investing Activities	
29. Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash	
30. Ending Cash	

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Part C. 4. Broadband column d and e, inputted [REDACTED] for down and up load speeds. However, actual down and up load speeds are [REDACTED], this option was not available on the list.

Part G. Investment in Affiliated Companies column d and e accumulated figures changed from prior year due to the closing of CATV division.

Part I Cash Flow, line 27 Other includes reclassify non-regulated depreciation to operating activities in the amount of [REDACTED] transfer of non-regulated accumulated depreciation from line 25 in the amount of [REDACTED] and prior year adjustment of retained earnings in the amount of [REDACTED] equals [REDACTED]

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Borrower Name: Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority	Year: 2014
Borrower ID: SD0533	Period: December

Part B: Statements of Income and Retained Earnings or Margins

Type	Check Key	Description
Warning	950	"Line 20. Total Operating Taxes This Year" [0] is generally greater than 0 (zero). <i>Borrower Explanation: Tribal entity - tax exempt</i>
Warning	960	"Line 20. Total Operating Taxes Prior Year" [0] is generally greater than 0 (zero). <i>Borrower Explanation: Tribal entity - tax exempt</i>

Part D: System Data

Type	Check Key	Description
Warning	1400	Line 1. Number of Plant Employees has changed significantly (33%) from the previous year. Values and rules checked: 10 (Yr: 2013) = 6 (Yr: 2014). Tolerance percentage: 33% <i>Borrower Explanation: Several employees have left and not been replaced.</i>

Part G: Investments In Affiliated Companies

Type	Check Key	Description
Warning	2080	"Line 1. Income Loss in Affiliated Companies - Rural Development This Year" [604,000] is generally greater than or equal to zero. <i>Borrower Explanation: Net loss from affiliated company in 2014 of [604,000]</i>

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<010>	Study Area Code	391647
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<020>	Program Year	2016
<030>	Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data	Mona Thompson
<035>	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line <030>	6059642600 ext.
<039>	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line <030>	monat@lakotanetwork.com

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LI Recipients	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	
Signature of Authorized Officer:	Date
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier:	Filing Due Date for this form:
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

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Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I certify that (Name of Agent) <u>Jenifer Wasnock</u> 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 annual data reporting requirements provided to the authorized agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the reports and data provided to the authorized agent is accurate.	
Name of Authorized Agent:	Jenifer Wasnock
Name of Reporting Carrier:	CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX
Signature of Authorized Officer:	CERTIFIED ONLINE Date: 06/24/2015
Printed name of Authorized Officer:	Ivan Bruguier
Title or position of Authorized Officer:	Board President
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:	6059642600 ext.
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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE AUTHORIZED AGENT:

Certification of Agent Authorized to File Annual Reports for CAF or LI Recipients on Behalf of Reporting Carrier	
I, as agent for the reporting carrier, certify that I am authorized to submit the annual reports for universal service support recipients on behalf of the reporting carrier; I have provided the data reported herein based on data provided by the reporting carrier; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported herein is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier:	CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX
Name of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Jenifer Wasnock
Signature of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	CERTIFIED ONLINE Date: 06/24/2015
Printed name of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Jenifer Wasnock
Title or position of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	Consultant
Telephone number of Authorized Agent or Employee of Agent:	2535667070 ext.278
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