

July 20, 2023

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Re: Docket TC23-021  
Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. ETC/USF  
Certification Data Request Response

Dear Mr. Rezac:

This letter is in response to the Data Request issued to Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. ("Alliance") in the above-referenced docket on July 19, 2023. The questions will be addressed in the order in which they were posed in the original Data Request.

- 1.1 Referring to the Exhibit C, please confirm the date of the reported outage, the restoration date, and steps taken to prevent a similar situation in the future.

**RESPONSE 1.1:**

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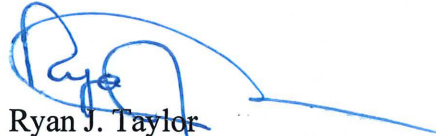
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If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this letter or require any additional information or documentation, please feel free to contact me at your convenience at 605-335-4989. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

CUTLER LAW FIRM, LLP

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ryan J. Taylor", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Ryan J. Taylor  
For the Firm

Attachment

cc: Ross Petrick (email)  
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