BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska) APPLICATION NO. NUSF-25
Public Service Commission, on) Progression Order No. 40
its own motion, seeking to)
establish guidelines for the)
purpose of certifying the use)
of federal universal service)
support.)
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In the Matter of the Nebraska) APPLICATION NO. NUSF-66
Public Service Commission, on)
its own motion, seeking to) ORDER
establish guidelines for the)
purpose of certifying the use)
of state universal service)
support.) Entered: September 24, 2019

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

- 1. Pursuant to the requirements established by the FCC, recipients of Phase I Mobility Funds were required to provide a description of how the Mobility Funds were used.
- 2. 47 C.F.R. § 54.314 requires state commissions, after conducting a detailed review of ETC's use of federal universal service support, to determine whether universal service support was used for its intended purpose in the preceding calendar year and will be used for its intended purpose in the following calendar year.
- 3. The Commission finds that N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Viaero Wireless has demonstrated that they have used federal Mobility Fund Phase I support for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which support is intended, pursuant to 47 C.F.R § 54.314 (May 8, 2012) and WC Docket Nos. 14-58 and 10-90:

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		COMPANY	NAME			MOBILITY FUND PHASE I STUDY AREA CODE (SAC)
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378001
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378002
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378003
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378004
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378006
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378012
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378013
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378014
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378015
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378017
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378018
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378019
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378020
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378021
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378023
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378024
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378028
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378029
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378030
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378033

- 4. Accordingly, the Commission will provide certification to the Administrator of the federal high-cost universal service support mechanisms and the FCC, that the above-listed carrier has used federal high-cost support in the preceding calendar year (2018) and will continue to use federal high-cost universal service support in the coming year (2020) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and/or service for which the support is intended in accordance with § 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, as amended.
- 5. Certification in this Order shall not be construed as precedent as to the sufficiency of the information considered acceptable by the Commission in subsequent years.

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ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Department certify to the Administrator of the federal high-cost universal service support mechanisms and the Federal Communications Commission, that the above-listed eligible telecommunications carrier has used and will continue to use federal Mobility Fund support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and/or service for which the support is intended in accordance with § 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, as amended.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska this 24th day of September, 2019.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director