

June 3, 2015

Ex Parte Notice

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Monday, June 1, 2015, the undersigned, on behalf of NTCA–The Rural Broadband Association, together with Gerry Duffy on behalf of WTA-Advocates for Rural Broadband, Cheryl Parrino on behalf of ITTA-The Voice of Mid-Size Communications Companies, and Lynn Follansbee on behalf of the United States Telecom Association met with Commissioner Michael O'Rielly and his legal advisor, Amy Bender, Rebekah Goodheart, legal advisor to Commissioner Mignon Clyburn, and Carol Mattey, Deputy Chief of the Wireline Competition Bureau, regarding issues presented in the above-referenced proceedings. Specifically, we discussed the efforts of the above-referenced parties and other stakeholders to develop proposals for updating of existing cost recovery mechanisms to address consumer demand for broadband services. We described how such proposals were intended to meet reform goals established by the Federal Communications Commission (the "Commission"), ongoing efforts to refine such proposals, and the need for further processes to resolve any open issues relating to such proposals.

Thank you for your attention to this correspondence. Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, a copy of this letter is being filed via ECFS.

Sincerely,

<u>/s/ Michael R. Romano</u> Michael R. Romano Senior Vice President – Policy

cc: Commissioner Michael O'Rielly Amy Bender Rebekah Goodheart Carol Mattey