



September 26, 2023

Federal Communications Commission
Wireline Competition Bureau
Via e-mail to ConnectAmerica@fcc.gov

**RE: MID-RIVERS TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC. ELECTION OF MONTANA
ENHANCED A-CAM SUPPORT**

Mid-Rivers Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("Mid-Rivers," SAC 482246) hereby confirms that it elects to receive Enhanced Alternative Connect America Cost Model ("Enhanced A-CAM") support in the amount \$35,892,248 per year for the term 2024-2038, as specified in Report 1.1 released by the Wireline Competition Bureau on August 30, 2023.¹

In return, Mid-Rivers commits to satisfy the specific service obligations associated with that amount of model support, including both the deployment of 100/20 Mbps or faster service to all 8,967 required locations and the maintenance of 100/20 Mbps or faster service to currently served locations. Mid-Rivers plans to use fiber to the premise (FTTP) technology to meet its Enhanced A-CAM deployment obligations.

Please feel free to contact me at (406) 485-3301 or Michael.Candelaria@midrivers.coop if you have any questions or require additional information.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Michael Candelaria".

MICHAEL CANDELARIA
GENERAL MANAGER / CEO

¹ WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU ANNOUNCES ENHANCED ALTERNATIVE CONNECT AMERICA COST MODEL SUPPORT AMOUNTS OFFERED TO RATE-OF-RETURN CARRIERS TO EXPAND RURAL BROADBAND, Public Notice, WC Docket No. 10-90, DA 23-779 (rel. August 30, 2023).