

## SCRPS Status Update

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### Applicant Information

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Is the contact the same as the contact listed on the Application Request for Funding Allocation? If not, please list below.

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\*Indicate which deadline you are meeting with this filing.

2023-07-10

## Explanation of Effort and Availability of Commercial Equipment

\*Provide an explanation of efforts undertaken, and challenges encountered, in permanently removing, replacing, and disposing of covered communications equipment or service.

Since our last status update filing on April 7, 2023, with the exception of two ZTE shelves located within the Eastside 1 cabinet, all remaining ZTE network gear has been transported to the destruction facility where it is currently being properly disposed. This includes 7743 ONTs and 78 serialized shelf components from the following locations:

In Michigan:

- East Lansing: 430 Butterfield Drive; 2399 Abbot Rd; 3100 West Rd
- Lansing: 324 Bartlet Street; 713 W. Barnes Ave; 1020 Kendon Drive; 600 Cherry Street; 320 North Washington Square; 3724 West Saint Joseph St; 1224 N Homer St
- Grand Rapids: 62 Commerce Ave SW
- Berkley: 3811 Twelve Mile Rd
- Ypsilanti: 407 Emmet Street
- Southfield: 24700 Northwestern Hwy #700
- Detroit: 1249 Griswold St.

In Indiana:

- Evansville: 300 E Walnut St.

The Eastside 1 cabinet requires 11 customers and neighborhoods to be migrated to other MFN facilities before there is access to the ZTE shelves without inadvertently causing customer outages. While these customers are not being serviced by active ZTE equipment, the infrastructure providing their service is physically obstructing the ZTE shelves from being removed. Therefore, they need to be re-homed to new equipment before the ZTE equipment can be removed. These migrations are currently in process and expected to complete in late August 2023. When complete, the shelves will be removed and shipped to the disposal facility for destruction.

\*Explain whether you are finding commercially available equipment in the marketplace. If not, then explain efforts taken to obtain replacement equipment.

Our company was in an equipment-positive situation with the exception of certain network cards and optics. In several instances, we were forced to secure equipment from companies that we typically do not work with as Nokia had long lead times for some items. Overall, we did not experience an equipment shortage on the larger ticket items as we placed orders for that equipment very early on in the project.

\* If there is additional information relevant to the preceding questions or that you believe the Commission should be aware of, please include the information below.

N/A

## Program Compliance

\*Indicate whether recipient has fully complied with (or is in the process of complying with) all requirements of the Reimbursement Program.

Yes  No

\*Indicate whether recipient has permanently removed from its communications network, replaced, and disposed of (or is in the process of permanently removing, replacing, and disposing of) all covered communications equipment or services that were in the recipient's network as of the date of submission of the recipient's application requesting funding.

Yes  No

If you have not yet completed the removal, replacement, and/or disposal process, what estimated percentage of the removal, replacement, and/or disposal process have you completed?

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\*Indicate whether recipient has fully complied with (or is in the process of complying with) the timeline submitted by the recipient. If not, provide explanation for deviation.

Yes  No

\*The filer has indicated no to a question in this section, please provide additional information.

## Certifications

\*By checking the box and providing the electronic signature where indicated below, the Certifying Official on behalf of the filer certifies under penalty of perjury that:

(1) The Certifying Official is authorized to submit this status report on behalf of the above-named filer and, based on information known to me or provided to me by employees responsible for the information being submitted, the information set forth in this status report has been examined and is true, accurate, and complete, and the expenditures, disbursements and cash receipts are for the purposes and objectives set forth in the terms and conditions of the Federal award. The Certifying Official acknowledges that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent information or statement, or the omission of any material fact on this status report or on any other document submitted by the filer may subject the filer and the undersigned to punishment by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act (47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), 1606), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code (18 U.S.C. § 1001, §§ 286-287, and § 1343), or can lead to liability under the False Claims Act (31 U.S.C. §§ 3729-3733, and §§ 3801-3812). (2) The filer is in compliance with the statute, rules, and orders governing the Reimbursement Program, including but not limited to allocations, draw downs, payments, obligations and expenditures of money, and the Certifying Official acknowledges that failure to be in compliance and remain in compliance with those statutes, rules, and orders may result in the denial of funding, cancellation of funding commitments, and/or recoupment of past disbursements. The Certifying Official acknowledges that the filer will maintain detailed records, including receipts, of all costs eligible for reimbursement actually incurred for a period of 10 years; and will file all required documentation for its expenses. The Certifying Official acknowledges that failure to comply with the statute, rules, and orders governing the Reimbursement Program could result in civil or criminal prosecution by law enforcement authorities.

## Certifier Information

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