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Order 06-292
Qwest Corporation

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Public Utility Commission of Oregon

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Attention: Kay Marinos

550 Capitol St. NE #215

Salem Oregon 97308-2148

RE: UM 1217 Qwest Corporation Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)
 Recertification Reports for 2006

Dear Ms. Marinos:

Attached are the Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) Recertification Reports for Qwest Corporation (QC) as required by Order 06-292, UM 1217. The attached report format was supplied by Commission Staff.

Please do not hesitate in calling me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ron L. Trullinger". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "R" and "T".

Attachments

Annual Recertification Reports for ETCs in Oregon

Report Formats to Satisfy Requirements of Order No. 06-292 for 2006

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Report #1 – Supported Services Offerings

1.1. Basic Local Usage Service Offerings – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as applicable:

- A. Basic local usage service offerings are filed under tariff with the Oregon PUC. The specific tariff references (with *company name, tariff number, section and page numbers*) for the basic local usage offerings and corresponding rates are:
1. residence: Qwest Corporation, P.U.C. Oregon No. 33, Exchange and Network Services, Sections 5.2.1 – 5.2.4.
 2. business: Qwest Corporation P.U.C. Oregon No. 33, Exchange and Network Services, Section 5.2.1 – 5.2.4.
- B. Basic local usage service offerings are **not** filed under tariff with the Oregon PUC. Submit the following information for each basic service offering that includes local usage allowances (unlimited or limited): 1) plan’s name, 2) advertised public description, 3) number of local minutes included, 4) calling area included, and 5) rates and charges. Include basic offerings for both residence and business services.

1.2. Comparable Local Usage Plan – CETCs only

The carrier certifies that it offers at least one basic local usage plan that is comparable to those offered by the ILECs in its designated service area: yes _____ no _____

Identify which of the plans in 1.1.B above are “comparable” to the ILEC local usage offerings, and explain the basis for the comparability. _____

1.3. Supported Services Not Provided – CETCs only

Identify any supported services that were not available at designation, but were to be provided as a condition of ETC designation (e.g., toll restriction for qualifying low-income consumers, E911): _____

Are these services provided currently? yes _____ no _____

If no, explain why not: _____

1.4. Equal Access Acknowledgement – CETCs only

The carrier acknowledges that it may be required to provide equal access if it is the only remaining ETC in an area: yes _____ no _____

Report #2 – Unfulfilled Service Requests

2.1. Unfulfilled Service Requests/Held Orders – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as applicable:

- A. Service quality reports for “primary held orders over 30 days” were filed with the Oregon PUC for calendar year 2005. No additional submission is required for recertification purposes.
- B. Service quality reports for “primary held orders over 30 days” were **not** filed with the Oregon PUC for calendar year 2005. In this case, choose **one** of the following alternatives for reporting:
1. The number of customer requests for supported services that were not fulfilled during calendar year 2005: _____.
If greater than zero, include an attachment noting for each such request, the location (address) of the request and a description of attempts to provide service.
 2. The number of “primary held orders over 30 days” (as defined in Section 860-034-0390 of the Oregon Commission rules) for calendar year 2005: _____.
If greater than zero, include attachment noting for each such held order, the reason the order was held and the original commitment date.

2.2. Service Request Processing - CETCs only

Submit a description of how the carrier ensures that every request for service that cannot be immediately fulfilled is recorded and processed under the 6-step process set forth in 47 CFR Section 54.202(a)(1)(i).

Report #3 – Evidence of Advertising for Basic Supported Services (excluding low-income/lifeline) – All ETCs

Describe how basic supported services were advertised during calendar year 2005 throughout the designated service area. List the types of media used, advertising frequencies and geographic coverage. Attach examples of actual advertisements, noting dates, specific distribution methods, and target geographical populations, sufficient to demonstrate that basic supported services and rates were advertised **throughout** the designated service area in 2005.

- 1) During 2005 on the qwest.com web site a page is dedicated to show potential customers the basic residential telephone rates. This can be viewed at qwest.com. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 3, ATTACHMENT 1”
- 2) During 2005 Qwest business office employees were instructed in scripting to be used with calls from out potential customers. This scripting has been attached as a confidential attachment. SEE CONFIDENTIAL ATTACHMENT “REPORT 3, ATTACHMENT 2”
- 3) The local telephone directories and DexOnline.com statewide show customers how to reach Qwest to order basic residential and business services. The attachment is an example out of the Portland DexOnline directory. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 3, ATTACHMENT 3”
- 4) Qwest also did many different statewide ads showing customers how to reach us for basic services as well as packages and other non-basic services. The attachment is an example of one of these ads. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 3, ATTACHMENT 4”

Report #4 – Low-income Services – All ETCs

4.1. Number of Lifeline Customers

The total number of customers receiving lifeline discounts during the month of December 2005 in the designated service area: 35,979.

CETCs only: also list counts by ILEC service area:

<u>ILEC Svc Area</u>	<u>No. of Lifeline customers</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

4.2. Advertising of Low-Income Program Service Offerings

Submit copies of all advertisements (for all media) for Lifeline, LinkUp, and OTAP service offerings that were run during calendar year 2005, noting media (newspaper name, radio station, bill inserts, internet postings, etc.), run/distribution dates, and geographic coverage area.

- 1) Information on Telephone Assistance Programs is located in the DEX telephone books in the “Consumer Tips” section. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 1
- 2) Information on Telephone Assistance Programs is also included in a Qwest “Disability Solutions” brochure, which is generally available at Qwest kiosks located at various malls. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 2
- 3) Monthly ads for Tribal Lifeline were run in Native Voice and Indian Country in June through December, 2005. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 3
- 4) On April 28, 2005, Qwest issued a press release on Tribal Lifeline to all major newspapers in Oregon. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 4
- 5) In November, 2005, Tribal Lifeline applications and posters were sent to a Tribal Liaison on each reservation served by Qwest for display in social service offices, community centers, etc.. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 5” and “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 6

- 6) In October, 2005, a “Tell – a – friend” mail campaign was initiated to encourage current Tribal Lifeline customers to tell their neighbors and friends about the program. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 4.2, ATTACHMENT 7
- 7) Throughout 2005, Network technicians leave a Tribal Lifeline application on each repair or installation visit they make on tribal land.

Report #5 – Outage Report – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as applicable:

- A. The number of service outages, as defined in Oregon PUC Rules at Sections 860-034-0390(9) for small telecom utilities, 860-023-0055(9) for large telecom utilities, and 860-032-0012(9) for competitive telecom providers, that occurred during calendar year 2005: 13.

If the number was greater than zero, attach a report that lists for each such outage the following: the date and time of onset, a brief description of the outage and its resolution, the particular services affected, the geographic areas affected, steps taken to prevent a similar future occurrence, and the number of customers affected. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 5, ATTACHMENT 1”

- B. The number of service outages, as defined in FCC rules at 47 CFR Section 54.209(a)(2), that occurred during calendar year 2005: _____.

If the number was greater than zero, attach a report that lists for each such outage the following: the date and time of onset, a brief description of the outage and its resolution, the particular services affected, the geographic areas affected, steps taken to prevent a similar future occurrence, and the number of customers affected.

Report #6 – Trouble Report – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as appropriate:

A. X Trouble reports were filed with the Oregon PUC for calendar year 2005 per Oregon PUC service quality rules. No additional submission is required for recertification purposes.

B. Trouble reports were **not** filed with the Oregon PUC during calendar year 2005. In this case, choose **one** of the following alternatives for reporting:

1. The number of customer trouble reports received per 100 wireless handsets for supported services during calendar year 2005, for each company switch.

<u>Trouble Type</u>	<u>Switch A (location)</u>	<u>Switch B (location)</u>
No service	_____	_____
Network busy	_____	_____
Interruption of service	_____	_____
Poor reception	_____	_____

2. The number of customer trouble reports, as defined in Section 860-034-0390 (5) of the Oregon PUC rules, received during calendar year 2005: per 100 working access lines.

Report #7 – Network Improvement Plan – CETCs Only

The following detailed information must be included in each network improvement plan. Only CETCs must file these plans for recertification purposes. CETCs that receive *only* low-income program support (no high-cost or access-related support), do not have to file network improvement plans. CETCs are strongly encouraged to use the format laid out in the attached Excel worksheets to provide information required in the outline below (taken from the UM 1217 order), rather than use some other format developed by the CETC.

7.1. Demonstration of use of support funds (other than low-income funds) received during 2005, including:

- 7.3.1.1. The amount of support funds, by type, received during the year.
- 7.3.1.2. Year-end counts of eligible lines/handsets in service for each ILEC service area as they were reported to USAC for the past December.
- 7.3.1.2. Identification of each project for which the support was used, the actual support expenditures (by amount and type) for each project, and status of project (completed or still in progress).
- 7.3.1.3. The resulting benefits to consumers (qualitative and quantitative) from each project and updates to coverage and signal strength maps.
- 7.3.1.4. Explanation of how and why actual spending of support funds differed from spending proposed in the previous network improvement plan.

7.3.2. Updates to network improvement plan for the current calendar year and the following year:

- 7.3.2.1. Forecast of support amount, by type (LSS, HCL, ICLS, IAS), that the applicant expects to receive during each of the next 2 years, as well as an explanation of how the forecast was derived.
- 7.3.2.2. Detailed information for each project that will use support funds:
 - 7.3.2.2.1. Description and purpose of the project, its physical location and the ILEC serving that area.
 - 7.3.2.2.2. The start date and completion data (by quarter).
 - 7.3.2.2.3. Amount of support money allocated to the project, in total and broken down by investment and expense types.
 - 7.3.2.2.4. The amount of company's own funds that will be used for each supported project.
 - 7.3.2.2.5. Brief explanation of why the carrier would not make these improvements without the availability of support funding.
 - 7.3.2.2.6. Quantification of resulting service improvements by type (increased coverage, signal strength, capacity, etc.), population benefited, and geographic area benefited (shown on map).

Report #8 – Special Commitments/Requirements – CETCs only

Did the Oregon PUC impose any special commitments or requirements at initial designation or during the previous annual recertification process? yes ____ no ____.

If yes, identify the commitments or requirements and explain if, and how, they have been met.

Report #9 – Certifications - All ETCs

9.1. IAS or ICLS Certification Copy – All ETCs Receiving IAS/ICLS

All ETCs receiving interstate access-related support (IAS or ICLS) must submit a copy of the certification for the use of IAS or ICLS support that was sent to USAC and the FCC in June 2006. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 9.1, ATTACHMENT 1”

9.2. Certification of Use of Universal Service Funds – All ETCs receiving HCL/LSS (Rural ILECs and CETCs Designated in Rural ILEC Areas)

To continue receiving traditional high cost support (HCL, LSS), ETCs must submit a notarized affidavit signed by a responsible company official certifying that the carrier will use the high cost support funds only for the intended purposes. Use of the sample affidavit form displayed on the following page is recommended.

9.3. Certification of Emergency Functionality and Compliance with Service Quality and Consumer Protection Measures – All ETCs

Each ETC must submit a notarized affidavit signed by a responsible company official certifying that the carrier: 1) is able to remain functional in an emergency, and 2) is complying with all service quality and consumer protection measures in either the applicable Oregon Commission rules (for wireline carriers), the CTIA Consumer Code (for wireless carriers), or some other specific set of standards. All ETCs must submit this affidavit. A copy of an acceptable affidavit form follows the affidavit for high cost support. SEE ATTACHMENT “REPORT 9.3, ATTACHMENT 1”



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Telephone Service

To order new service, to change or disconnect service, or for billing questions, call:

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

- For your home 1 800 244-7111
- For your business 1 800 603-6000
- For home office consulting 1 800 896-9675

Repair Service 24-Hour Reporting Numbers*

- For your home 1 800 473-1311
- For your business 1 800 954-1211
- For public pay phones 1 800 234-4041

*A charge may apply for this service.

Directory Assistance*

- Local and national numbers 411
- International numbers Call your long distance company

*Charge usually applies for this service.

If a physical limitation prevents you from using this automated service, press "0" (zero) at the beginning of the call to reach an agent.

Services for Customers with Disabilities

Hours: Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

- TTY (Telecommunications Device for the Deaf/Voice) 1 800 223-3137
- (Also see page 10 of the Phone Service Pages.)

Centro de Servicio en Español

- El Centro de Qwest 1 800 564-1121

Public (Pay) Phone Accounts

- Qwest 1 800 477-7211

Buried Cable Location Service

- Call two work days in advance before you dig 1 800 332-2344

Developer & Builder Services

- 1 800 526-3557

To Pay for Qwest Phone Service

To Pay by Mail:

Qwest
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Seattle, WA 98111-4480



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- Billing Questions 1 800 285-6100

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- Corporate Calling Card 1 800 882-2273

- Teleconference Services 1 800 232-1224

- TTY/TDD Customer Service 1 800 833-3232

- Data & Internet Services 1 800 219-9736

Not all services are available in all areas.

Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company

Including

Beaver Creek:

- Business Office 503 632-3113

- Repair Service 503 632-4114

Phone Service Pages

The "How To" of Starting Your Service

If Qwest is your local phone company, we can provide you with local telephone service, local long distance service within your calling area, and other telephone services. You may find it helpful to read this information before placing your order for new phone service.



Your 3 Steps to Telephone Service

Call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business), and a service representative will describe the services available to you, explain what each costs, and take your order. We will need to know a few things about you and the service you want:

Step 1

How do You Want to be Listed?

We will need:

Your complete street address (including apartment or suite number)

You may choose how you want to be listed. A listing in your local QwestDex™ telephone directory is free. For options available to you, call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business).

Privacy Listings

If you don't want your name in this book, you have two choices. Your name and number can be left out of the directory, but still be available from directory assistance (non-listed). Or your name and number can be left out of the directory and not be available from directory assistance (non-published). There's an additional charge for either option. For health and safety purposes, your non-published or non-listed information may be released when you call 9-1-1 or other emergency service provider.

Premium Listings

Are available for an additional charge. These include: additional listings/listings for a number outside of the area normally included in a particular directory; cross references to other listings; Informational listings that include non-promotional information and alternate call listings that refer to another number. Call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business) for details.

Step 2

You Need to Make Some Choices...

Type of service: Unlimited or Measured
Local long distance company
Long distance company

You may choose the type of basic telephone service that will best meet your needs. The following plans are available in most areas:

Telephone Service

We offer various types of basic telephone service. Unlimited service allows you to make as many local calls as you want for a flat monthly charge.

Another option is Measured service. This option can reduce your cost for telephone service because you pay only for what you use. For information on rates and availability, call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business).

You Need to Decide Who Will Handle Your In-State and Out-of-State Long Distance

Qwest and other companies provide long distance service within your local long distance calling area.

You must also select a long distance company to provide long distance service to other calling areas.

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You Need to Make Some Choices... (cont'd)

If You Have Phone Service and Need to Make a Change

Call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business). A Qwest service representative will handle your request and explain what each change will cost.

Step 3

Your Service Cost & Necessary Deposit

We will need:

- Information about your previous telephone service, including phone number, city and state.
- Employment and credit information (for home telephone service)
- Business ownership information (for business service)

What It Costs to Begin or Change Service

The one-time charge to install or change your telephone service depends on the amount of work required. Generally, you're charged for the work required to process your order and to connect or make changes in your service.

We require advance notice to install new service.

For more information call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business).

There Is no Charge to Disconnect Your Phone Service

Call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business) to stop your service. You pay only for the time your phone is connected.

Advance Payments and Deposits

If you are a new customer with Qwest or have recently moved and need to reestablish service, we may ask for an advance payment or deposit.

Deposits are based on local service and long distance charges. For information on deposit requirements call 1 800 244-1111 (for home), or 1 800 603-6000 (for business).

We may require a new or additional deposit if we stop your service because your payment is late. There's also a charge to begin service again.

Your Deposit will be Refunded

With interest after 12 months if your phone bills are paid on time. If you discontinue service during this time, the deposit and interest will be applied to your final bill. Interest rates are set periodically by Oregon Public Utility Commission.

Deposits for Other Companies

Qwest handles billing and collections for some long distance companies and may require a deposit for these companies. The amount will be based on your estimated long distance charges for two months.

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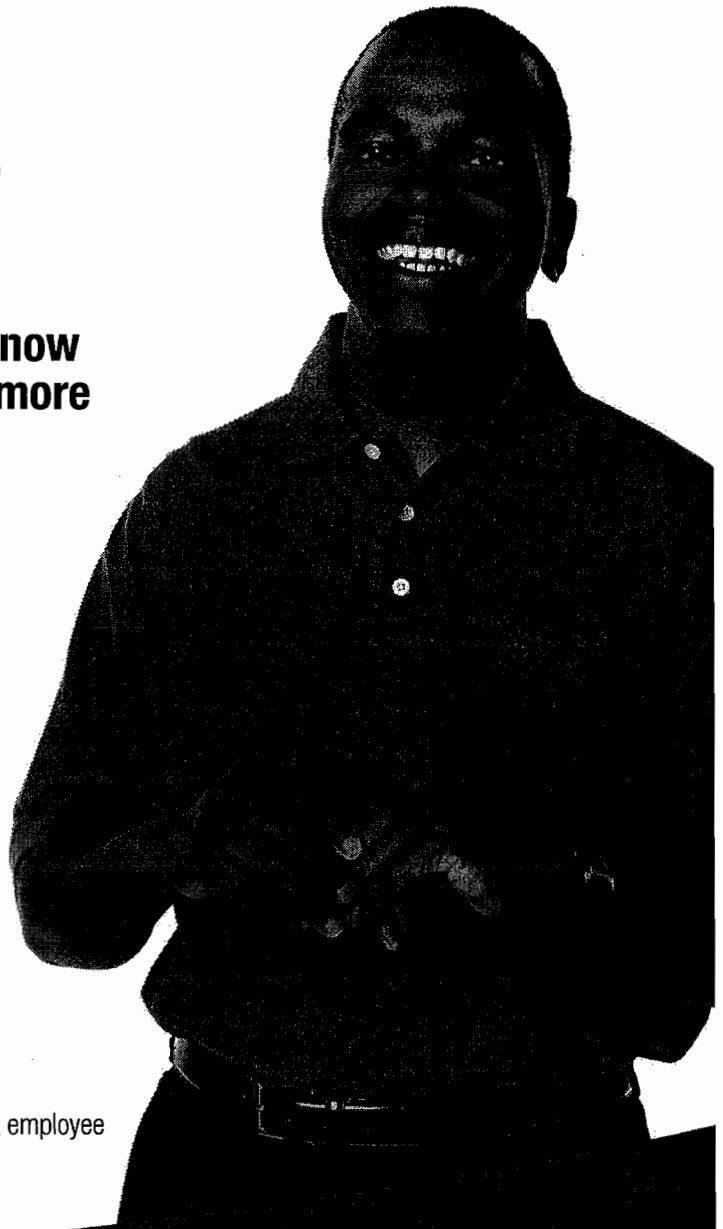
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Consumer Tips

Pay Your Bill

Make One Payment

Although your bill may include charges from several different companies, you should make your entire payment payable to Qwest. Unless otherwise required by law, toll or commission order, partial payments received without customer direction will automatically be prorated by Qwest based on the ratio of the amount you each company to the total amount due. Customers who are unable to pay in full the amounts due for the telephone services rendered, may designate that partial payments are to be applied to charges for particular services by calling the Qwest Business Office at the number listed on page 25.

Payments Should be Received by the Due Date Listed on Your Bill

The due date on your bill applies to current charges. There is no implied extension on any previous agreement or notice regarding payment of past due charges.

Automatic Payment Plan

You can pay your telephone bill through our Automatic Payment Plan. Your payment is automatically transferred from your checking or savings account each month. To sign up for this free service, call the Automatic Payment Center at 1 800 651-0194.

Your Monthly Bill may also include

a mileage charge for customers who live in outlying areas. Call the service number listed on page 25 for more information.

Telephone Assistance Programs

YAP/Link-Up - Available in all states:

The Telephone Assistance Program (YAP) provides reduced phone bills for qualified low-income residential customers. The Link-Up program provides financial help with telephone service connection charges for qualified low-income residential customers.

Tribal Lifeline/Link-Up - Available in most states:

The Tribal Lifeline program provides a reduction in monthly charges to telephone customers who live on tribal lands and are currently receiving benefits from a qualifying public assistance program.

The Tribal Link-Up program provides a reduction in connection charges to telephone customers who live on tribal lands and are currently receiving benefits from a qualifying public assistance program.

For more information call Qwest Customer Service at 1 800 254-1111.

You may also contact www.lifelinesupport.org for more information.

Credit & Refunds

If You are Without Phone Service

for 48-hour or more because of Qwest's line or equipment problems and have reported the problem to our repair service number, you will receive credit for the outage period. It will be applied to your monthly local service charge.

If You Dial a Wrong Number/Receive Poor Transmissions or are Cut Off

while making a long distance call with Qwest, you can get credit by dialing the *07 operator and asking for a refund. If you've used another long distance company for that call, you must call that company.

If You are Billed for Calls You Didn't Make

call the number at the top of the individual page of the Qwest bill whose that call appears.

It's against the law to use another person's number or telephone credit card to charge calls without permission. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines.

If You Lose Money in a Public (Pay) Phone

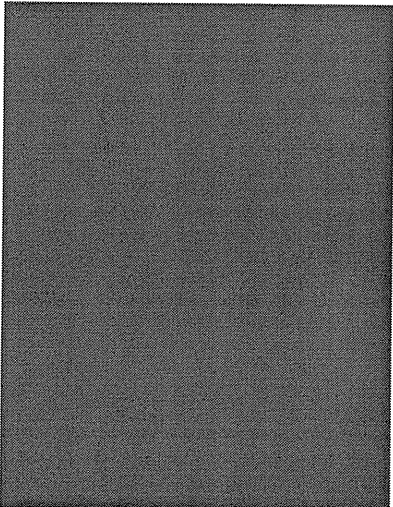
check the set to see if it is owned by Qwest. If your call was local or within the Qwest calling area, refer to the instruction card on the phone for a toll-free number to call for refunds. If your call was outside of the Qwest calling area, contact the long distance company indicated on the phone.

If You are Dissatisfied with Your Service

A Qwest representative will be happy to work with you on any problems you have with our company. Call the appropriate number on page 25 and ask for assistance.

Qwest Privacy Statement

Qwest collects and generates information as a result of the business relationship with each of its customers. Qwest offers its customers choices regarding release of that information to third parties, and the use of that information for the purpose of marketing activities. Further information is available from your local business office representative or Qwest's Website (www.qwest.com).



Helping blind, vision-impaired and mobility-impaired customers stay connected.

No Charge for Directory Assistance and Operator Handling

Qwest customers who are blind, vision- or mobility-impaired and cannot use a directory, are eligible for exemption from directory assistance charges on their residential and business lines.

A Bill You Can Use

We provide your bill in a variety of formats to meet your specific needs:

- Braille
- Large print
- Audio tape
- E-mail (compatible with screen readers)

Contact the Qwest Center for Customers with Disabilities to arrange to receive your bill in an appropriate format.

Telephone Equipment

Qwest offers a 2.4GHz Voice Announce Cordless Multi-Handset Phone System. Includes handset speakerphone. Additional 2.4GHz/Voice Announce Cordless Handsets are available for use with base system.

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- **TTY DIRECTORY LISTING FOR QWEST CUSTOMERS**
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- **WIRELESS HANDSETS AND ACCESSORIES**
Makes wireless work for you
- **NEW NUMBER REFERRAL**
Works with your TTY to inform callers of your new number
- **BILL FORMAT OPTIONS**
A format to fit your needs, including Braille
- **DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE EXEMPTION**
For residential and individual business lines
- **AND MORE!**
– Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS)
– Telephone Equipment

*A teletypewriter (TTY), or Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD), allows a person to plug a regular telephone into a small keyboard that has a visual terminal. When one TTY user calls another, they can communicate by typing what they want to say to one another. Users can choose to print out the message or read it on a screen.

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Telephone Assistance Programs

Qwest supports the following Telephone Assistance Programs designed to reduce the cost of telephone service for qualifying low-income customers.

Lifeline Service reduces the monthly cost of your residential phone line. The amount of the credit will vary depending on your state.

Tribal Lifeline Service reduces the cost of a residential phone line to as little as \$1.00 per month (plus applicable taxes and surcharges) for qualifying customers who live on Tribal Lands. For both of these programs, the telephone service must be provided at your primary residence and the name on the phone bill must match the name of the person who is eligible for the program.

Link Up Assistance reduces the cost of installing your main phone line by 50% and provides a deferred payment schedule for additional installation charges. Link Up benefits are only available on one phone line per household, and Link Up credits cannot be applied towards the cost of jacks and wiring.

To learn more about Telephone Assistance Programs and eligibility in your state, contact the Center for Customers with Disabilities or visit www.lifeline.support.org.

Qwest Disabilities Solutions

This brochure is available in alternate formats (Braille, e-mail, and audiotype). Please contact a disabilities consultant at the Qwest Center for Customers with Disabilities to request your preferred format.

Contact a disabilities consultant at the Qwest Center for Customers with Disabilities today.

Call 1 800-223-3131 (Voice/TTY)
Fax 503-242-6565

Visit www.qwest.com/residential/disabled



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Qwest® keeps it easy.

**Qwest Disability Solutions
delivers the convenience,
flexibility and ease-of-use
that will keep you connected
with friends, family, business
associates and the rest of
your world.**

Helping deaf and hard- of-hearing customers stay connected.

The Convenience of One Voice Mailbox

Now hearing, deaf and hard-of-hearing members of a household can receive all their messages from one voice mailbox. For hearing members, Qwest Voice Mail Service works the same way to which they're accustomed. Teletypewriter (TTY) users can retrieve their voice messages from any touch-tone TTY. For detailed instructions, visit http://www.qwest.com/residential/disabled/voicemailmessage_tty.html, or call the Qwest Center for Customers with Disabilities.

Reduced Long-Distance Charges With Teletypewriter Use

As a Qwest customer who relies on a Teletypewriter (TTY), you may qualify for a reduced charge on your long-distance communications. To get more information or to learn if you qualify, contact a disabilities consultant at the Qwest Center for Customers with Disabilities.

Directory Listing at No Additional Charge

Let callers know how to contact you. List your Teletypewriter (TTY), Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) or Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) information at no additional charge. Choose one or these phrases for your directory listing:

- TTY only
- TDD only
- TTY and Voice
- TDD and Voice
- TTY Only-Voice callers use Telecommunications Relay Service
- TDD Only-Voice callers use Telecommunications Relay Service

Voice callers using Telecommunications Relay Service: Please call the Center for Customers with Disabilities to choose your phrase and add it to your directory listing.

Hearing Aid Compatible Wireless Phones

Qwest offers you wireless handsets that meet the new FCC Hearing Aid Compatibility requirements for Radio Frequency interference.

We also offer the T-Loop Coil accessory for Qwest Wireless® service customers with hearing aids or cochlear implants. Most of our wireless handsets are TTY compatible. Ask for more information at a Qwest Solutions Center™ near you.

Lets Callers Know Your New Number

New number referral intercept is an optional Teletypewriter (TTY)-compatible service that ensures other TTY users calling your old, disconnected number will receive your new number message in Baudot tones.

ADDITIONAL NON-QWEST SERVICE FOR DEAF, HARD-OF-HEARING, AND SPEECH IMPAIRED CUSTOMERS

Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) Keeps Everyone Connected

Qwest connects you with the public Telecommunications Relay Service, which means you can communicate with everyone. Whether you have a Teletypewriter (TTY) and want to connect with someone who doesn't, or you don't have a TTY but want to connect with someone who does use a TTY, the Telecommunications Relay Service will allow the two parties to connect and communicate with one another. Either party can call the Telecommunications Relay Service provider in your state to set up the call. Trained communications assistants in the TRS Centers are ready 24 hours a day, seven days a week to assure your communications are understood and get to the right person. There are no restrictions on the number or length of calls you can make. Rates for your calls are determined by your long-distance carrier or the carrier selected by your state public utilities commission.

Making a call is simple:

- Dial 711 or the TRS toll-free number listed in your telephone directory
- You'll be connected with a communications assistant who uses a Teletypewriter machine (they're trained to help your conversation flow easily and accurately)
- Give the communications assistant the number you would like to call
- The agent will stay on the line using both the TTY and voice connection
- All calls are confidential

TRS providers also offer a new speech-to-speech service. This relay service allows persons with severe speech disabilities to use the telephone to connect with others. A trained communications assistant relays the conversation, ensuring the speech-impaired caller is understood.

Video Relay Service (VRS) provides American Sign Language users with the ability to communicate via video conferencing using their native language. For more information, visit the Sprint VRS Web site: www.sprintvrs.com.

IF YOU LIVE ON TRIBAL LAND, YOU COULD QUALIFY FOR TELEPHONE SERVICE AS LOW AS \$1.00 A MONTH!



Qwest® offers a special program that can help you keep connected with loved ones, friends and businesses.

If you live on Tribal Land served by Qwest and you participate in a low income program or your household income is at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines, call Qwest at **1 800-244-1111** to learn how you can get basic home telephone service for **as low as \$1.00 per month**, plus applicable taxes and surcharges.

Information is also available at www.qwest.com/TAP

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NEWS

QWEST EXPANDS OUTREACH TO LOW-INCOME RESIDENTS ON TRIBAL LANDS

More are Now Eligible for Low-Cost Telephone Service

DENVER, April 28, 2005 – Qwest today announced an expanded outreach effort aimed at promoting low-cost telephone service to individuals living on the more than 60 tribal lands across its 14-state region. The effort, combined with new federal guidelines making more residents eligible for Qwest's Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link-Up telephone assistance programs, means even more now qualify for low-cost telecommunications installation and service.

"Qwest is proud of its role in connecting families with technology and telecommunications services on tribal lands," said Paula Kruger, Qwest executive vice president, consumer markets. "Partnering with tribal leaders, we will work to increase awareness of these programs, and encourage more to sign up for them."

Under recently expanded Federal Poverty Guidelines, customers whose household income is at or below 135 percent of the Federal Poverty Guidelines now qualify for assistance. Household income was not part of the eligibility requirements before.

Qwest will expand its outreach, working with leaders in tribal communities throughout its 14-state region to publicize the availability of these programs. That outreach includes public service announcements and on-the-ground marketing on reservations and at Native American "pow wows," which draw thousands of participants. Qwest's outreach efforts are designed to encourage eligible participants to sign up.

Qwest began offering Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link-Up in June 2000, when the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) established the programs in an effort to promote telephone service in underserved tribal areas. Tribal Lifeline, provides residential customers who live on tribal lands with basic local telephone service for as low as \$1.00 per month, plus applicable taxes and surcharges. Tribal Link-Up, reduces the cost of installing a customer's main telephone line by 50 percent.

Individuals living on tribal lands qualify for the Tribal Lifeline and Tribal Link-Up if they participate in one of the following low-income programs.

1. Medicaid
2. Food Stamps
3. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
4. Head Start (Meeting Income Requirement)
5. Tribally Administered Temporary Housing for the Needy Families

6. Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance Programs
7. Federal Public Housing Assistance
8. Low-income Home Energy Assistance
9. National School Lunch Program
10. Any other qualifying program approved by the state Lifeline and Link-Up program

As of this week, individuals can also qualify for Tribal Lifeline if their household income is at or below 135 percent of the Federal Poverty guidelines.

Enrollment is easy. Qualified individuals need to complete and return a simple application that can be obtained by calling Qwest at 1 800-244-1111. The application can also be found at the Qwest Web site at www.qwest.com/TAP.

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TRIBAL LIFELINE / TRIBAL LINK-UP Application Form

Name: _____
last first middle

Address: _____
street city state zip

Home Telephone Number: _____
(The name of the person applying for Telephone Assistance must appear on the telephone account.)

Telephone Number where you can be reached or receive messages: _____
area code + 7-digit number

I currently reside on: _____
Name of Tribal Land, Reservation or Pueblo

Please Fill Out Section 1 or Section 2 Below. (Do Not Fill Out Both Sections.)

1. I CURRENTLY PARTICIPATE IN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM(S): Check all that apply

- | | | |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food Stamps | <input type="checkbox"/> BIA/General Assistance Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Other qualifying low income programs in your state (call Qwest at 1 800-244-1111 to inquire about these programs) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid | <input type="checkbox"/> Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental Security Income (SSI) | <input type="checkbox"/> Head Start (meeting income test) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Public Housing Assistance | <input type="checkbox"/> National School Lunch Program | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program | | |

2. IF YOU DO NOT PARTICIPATE IN ONE OF THE PROGRAMS LISTED ABOVE, you may qualify for telephone assistance based on the size and income level of your household. (Household refers to the number of people who occupy your housing unit as their usual place of residence.)

Please check the box below which applies to your household and attach the supporting documentation described on the previous page:

PLEASE CHECK BOX	Size of Household:	Household Income at or Below:	PLEASE CHECK BOX	Size of Household:	Household Income at or Below:
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	\$12,920	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	\$34,925
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	\$17,321	<input type="checkbox"/>	7	\$39,326
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	\$21,722	<input type="checkbox"/>	8	\$43,727
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	\$26,123	<input type="checkbox"/>	No. _____	*\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	\$30,524		*For each additional person, add \$4,401	

I agree to notify Qwest when I no longer participate in any of the above qualifying public assistance programs or when there has been a change in the size or income level of my household.

I certify under penalty of perjury the above information is true. I have read the information on this application and understand I must meet the above qualifications to receive Tribal Lifeline and/or Tribal Link-Up on my primary residential line.

signature date

Mail completed form and supporting documentation to: Qwest, PO Box 2738, Omaha, NE 68103-2738

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See if you qualify:
**Tribal Lifeline
 Tribal Link-up**

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Qwest® offers a special program that can help you keep connected with loved ones, friends and help in an emergency.

**IF YOU LIVE
 ON A RESERVATION,
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NOW, IF YOU QUALIFY, TELEPHONE SERVICE CAN BE MUCH MORE AFFORDABLE.

The telephone can be your link with friends, children, parents, grandparents; it can even be a life-saving link in an emergency. If you live on a reservation, you may qualify for telephone service for as low as \$1.00 a month. And if you don't currently have telephone service, you may qualify for a reduced new service connection charge, too.

Tribal Lifeline

Low-cost connections for low-income persons living on reservations.

Tribal Lifeline provides eligible customers who live on a reservation basic in-home local telephone service for as low as \$1.00 a month, plus applicable taxes and surcharges. Optional calling features such as Call Waiting, Caller ID, Voice Mail and others are available at the full retail rate.

Tribal Link-Up

Reduced new telephone service connection charges.

If you don't have telephone service currently, the Tribal Link-Up program will pay one-half of the cost to install your main phone line, up to \$30.00. Also, you will receive an additional \$70.00 credit to help offset remaining installation-related service charges.

If you qualify for Tribal Lifeline, you will automatically be given Tribal Link-Up credit:

- If your Tribal Lifeline application is received within 60 days following installation of your phone service
- If you have not previously received a Tribal Link-Up credit at this same address

Who Is Eligible?

1. Applicants qualify for Tribal Lifeline if they live on a reservation and participate in at least one of the following public assistance programs:

- Food Stamps
- Medicaid
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Federal Public Housing Assistance
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program
- BIA/General Assistance Programs
- Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
- Head Start (meeting income test)
- National School Lunch Program
- Other qualifying low-income programs in your state (call Qwest at **1 800-244-1111** to inquire about these programs)

2. Applicants may also qualify for Tribal Lifeline if they live on a reservation and their household income is at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines. (See application form for details.)

If you are applying for Tribal Lifeline based on your household size and income level, you must provide a copy of one of the following (*these documents will not be returned to you*):

- Last year's Federal, State, or Tribal Income Tax Return
- Current Income Statement or Paycheck Stubs for three consecutive months
- Social Security Statement of benefits
- Veteran's Administration Statement of Benefits
- Retirement or Pension Statement of Benefits

- Unemployment or Worker's Compensation Statement of Benefits
 - Letter of Participation in Federal or BIA General Assistance
 - Divorce Decree
 - Child Support Documentation
- *Bank statements are not accepted.*

Other Telephone Assistance Plans:

If you are not currently living on a reservation, you may be eligible for a similar Telephone Assistance Plan:

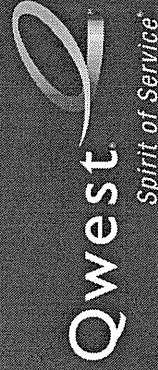
- If you participate in a low-income public assistance program
 - If your household size and income level is at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines
- Call **1 800-244-1111** for more information.

How Do I Apply?

To apply for Tribal Lifeline and/or Tribal Link-Up, simply fill out the attached application form and mail it to:

Qwest
P.O. Box 2738
Omaha, NE 68103-2738

If you do not currently have phone service with Qwest, please call Customer Service at **1 800-244-1111** to place an order for service BEFORE sending in your completed application. Not available in all areas, long distance not included.





Tribal Lifeline & Tribal Link-Up

IN-HOME TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR AS LOW AS \$1.00 A MONTH

if you live on a reservation and participate
in one of the following programs:

- Food Stamps
- Medicaid
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Federal Public Housing Assistance
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program
- Tribally Administered TANF
- Head Start
- National School Lunch Program

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AS LOW AS

Tribal Lifeline
& Tribal Link-Up
Applications

Please Take A FREE APPLICATION!

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October 18, 2005

Please help a friend sign up for Tribal Lifeline

Dear Qwest Customer:

The Tribal Lifeline program that you're currently enrolled in reduces the cost of your basic home telephone service to as low as \$1.00 a month. (This rate doesn't include applicable taxes and surcharges, long-distance charges and optional calling features.)

But did you know that the Tribal Lifeline program is available to anyone who lives on a reservation and participates in one of the following programs:

- Food Stamps
- Medicaid
- Supplemental Security Income
- Federal Public Housing Assistance
- Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program
- Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
- Head Start
- National School Lunch Program

Individuals may also qualify for Tribal Lifeline if their family income is at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines (see enclosed brochure for details).

Perhaps you know of a friend, neighbor or family member who lives on a reservation and would also be able to benefit from this program. If so, we encourage you to tell them about the program, and perhaps even help them fill out the Tribal Lifeline application.

The enclosed brochure provides detailed information on how to apply for Tribal Lifeline. Individuals who currently have phone service with Qwest simply need to complete the enclosed application and mail it to Qwest at the address shown. Individuals without phone service should first call Qwest at 1 800-244-1111 to see if service is available in their area. If service is available, they can place an order for service and then mail in the Tribal Lifeline/Tribal Link-Up application.

Thank you for sharing this valuable information with your friends and family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carol Rohrkemper".

Carol Rohrkemper
Manager – Tribal Lifeline

Some restrictions apply. Service may not be available in all areas. See enclosed brochure for complete details.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Description of Outage</u>	<u>Resolution</u>	<u>Services Affected</u>	<u>Geo. Areas Affected</u>	<u>Steps Taken</u>	<u># Cust Affected</u>
5/3/2005	11:08	Fiber Cut	New Fiber Spliced	Urnitilla Isolated	Urnitilla Isolated	Non-Qwest Road Crew Caused Outage	3090
5/20/2005	14:31	PSAP out of service	CPE Equipment Problems	911	Milton	Customer Problem	4,530
6/25/2005	20:31	PSAP out of service	Unknown	911	Newport	Trouble cause unknown	7,542
7/6/2005	14:00	Fiber Cut	New Fiber Spliced	Jefferson Isolated	Jefferson Isolated	Non-Qwest Contractor Caused Outage	2,025
7/18/2005	2:30	Fiber Outage	Spliced Fiber & Replaced Card	Toll, EAS & some 911	Eastern Oregon	Spliced Fiber & Replaced Card	32,773
9/13/2005	10:49	PSAP out of service	PSAP Replaced Power Supply	911	Seaside	Customer Problem	393
9/23/2005	8:08	PSAP out of service	PSAP Repaired CPE UPS	911	Salem	Customer Problem	Unknown
9/23/2005	12:00	Toll Outage	Reset CPU	Toll	Falls City	Replaced Battery in CO	626
10/1/2005	17:25	PSAP out of service	PSAP Vendor Electrical Prob	911	Florence	PSAP Vendor Fixed Electrical Prob	9,525
10/1/2005	10:02	PSAP out of service	PSAP Power Problem	911	Pendleton	PSAP Tech Rebooted Equipment	11,110
11/2/2005	11:26	PSAP out of service	CPE Equipment Problems	911	Douglas County	PSAP Replaced Equipment	26,536
12/4/2006	15:21	Fiber Cut	New Fiber Spliced	Toll	Rainier & St Helens Isolated	Caused by Vandalism	18,152
12/28/2005	12:44	911 & SS7 Outage	Repeater Replaced	911, toll	Independence	Replaced Repeater	7,043

**Interstate Access Support (IAS)
2006 - 2007**

Date 6/20/2006

To: Marlene H. Dortch
Office of Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 - 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Karen Majcher
Vice President - High Cost and Low Income Division
Universal Service Administrative Company
2000 L Street, NW, Suite 200
Washington, DC 20036

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45
Interstate Access Support - IAS
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Qwest Corporation
will use its INTERSTATE ACCESS SUPPORT - IAS only for the provision, maintenance
and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the
study area(s) listed below. (Please enter your Company Name, State and Study Area Code)

Company Name	IAS State	Study Area Code
Qwest Corporation	Arizona	455101
Qwest Corporation	Colorado	465102
Qwest Corporation	Montana	485104
Qwest Corporation	New Mexico	495105

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.)

Signed,

X RW Johnston
[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 6/20/2006

R. William Johnston

Vice President-Assistant Controller

Date Received
(For official use only)

Carrier's Name: Qwest Corporation
Carrier's Address: 1801 California St.-Room 650 Denver, CO 80202
Carrier's Telephone Number: 303-382-8158

**Interstate Access Support (IAS)
2006 - 2007**

IAS		
Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Qwest Corporation	Utah	505107
Qwest Corporation	Wyoming	515108
Qwest Corporation	Iowa	355141
Qwest Corporation	Nebraska	375143
Qwest Corporation	North Dakota	385144
Qwest Corporation	South Dakota	395145
Qwest Corporation	Oregon	535163
Qwest Corporation	Washington	525161

AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING EMERGENCY FUNCTIONALITY AND COMPLIANCE
WITH SERVICE QUALITY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION MEASURES

I, RANDY HAGEDORN, being of lawful age and duly sworn, on my oath, state that I am the VP Network Ops and Eng [an officer] of Qwest Corporation ("Company") and that I am authorized to execute this Affidavit on behalf of the Company, and the facts set forth in this Affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

The Company hereby certifies to the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, pursuant to the requirements of Commission Order No. 06-292, that it:

- 1) is able to remain functional in emergencies, and,
- 2) complies with service quality and consumer protection measures in

(check one):

- applicable Oregon Commission rules, or
- the CTIA Consumer Code for Wireless Carriers, or
- other (describe and explain conformance with requirements of Order No. 06-292): _____

DATED this 14 day of July, 2006.

Qwest Corporation (Company)

By: Randy Hagedorn (Name)

Its: VP Network Ops & Eng (Title)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 14 day of July, 2006.

Janice Kay Kerr
Notary public in and for the State of Oregon

My Commission Expires: 9/17/07

