

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY**

In the Matter of:

AN INQUIRY INTO THE STATE UNIVERSAL )      Case No 2016-00059  
SERVICE FUND )

**Response to Commission Order**

Comes now, Foothills Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. and its subsidiary, Cellular Services, LLC (collectively “Foothills”) by and through counsel and for its response to this Honorable Commission’s Order dated February 21, 2022, (“Commission’s Order”) hereby states as follows:

1. Order: “file details regarding the service plans offered to Kentucky Lifeline customers”. Foothills is a current participant in the Affordable Connectivity Program (“ACP”) and hereby submits a schedule of details with regard to the service plans currently offered to Kentucky Lifeline customers as Exhibit “1”.

2. As of the date of this submission, all ACP services are billed on a standalone and unbundled basis which is independent from standard telephone services. The anticipated net cost of the program is included within the data contained on Exhibit “1”.

3. Unlike the Emergency Broadband Benefit program, ACP providers may elect modify all or a part of the available service plans at any time. Foothills will prioritize the application of the state and federal lifeline credits in manner directed in the Order by this Honorable Commission on consistent with the directives set forth in the Commission’s Order entered July 22, 2021.

4. Foothills further submits that it is fully compliant with all state and federal ACP requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

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\* Voice and Broadband services are separately billed.

| Qualification     | Speed     | Data cap | MRC      | For Qualified Lifeline Subscribers |           |          |         |
|-------------------|-----------|----------|----------|------------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|
|                   |           |          |          | FCC LL                             | ACP       | KY USF * | Net     |
| Standalone BB     | 25x25     | none     | \$59.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$20.70 |
| Standalone BB     | 50x50     | none     | \$69.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$30.70 |
| Standalone BB     | 100x100   | none     | \$79.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$40.70 |
| Standalone BB     | 250x250   | none     | \$99.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$60.70 |
| Standalone BB     | 1000x1000 | none     | \$109.95 | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$70.70 |
| BB added to Voice | 25x25     | none     | \$39.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$0.70  |
| BB added to Voice | 50x50     | none     | \$49.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$10.70 |
| BB added to Voice | 100x100   | none     | \$59.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$20.70 |
| BB added to Voice | 250x250   | none     | \$79.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$40.70 |
| BB added to Voice | 1000x1000 | none     | \$89.95  | (\$9.25)                           | (\$30.00) | \$0.00   | \$50.70 |