

**Annual Reporting for High-Cost Recipients**  
**47 C.F.R. §54.313(h)**



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Ms. Carlotta S. Stauffer , Commission Clerk  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
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RE: Docket No. 150153TP, Annual Certifications Related to Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETC) Use of the Federal Universal Support, WC Docket No. 14-58

Windstream is submitting the additional FCC Form 481 lines of data approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) on September 2, 2015. The additional information is contained in section (2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation.

Pursuant to Section 54.313 and 54.422 of the Federal Communications Commission's rules, all reports pursuant to this section shall be filed with the FCC, Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) and relevant state commissions, I have enclosed a copy of the additional information that has been filed with the Administrator for the following:

SAC 210336 - Windstream Florida, Inc.

This filing contains redacted forms (320) Unfulfilled Broadband Service Requests and (710) Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at [jeff.l.heacox@windstream.com](mailto:jeff.l.heacox@windstream.com) or by phone at 501-748-5390.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jeff Heacox

Jeff Heacox  
Staff Manager Regulatory Compliance

Enclosures

<b>(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation</b>	FCC Form 481
<b>Data Collection Form</b>	OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819
<i>Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers</i>	July 2013

<b>&lt;010&gt; Study Area Code</b>	210336
<b>&lt;015&gt; Study Area Name</b>	WINDSTREAM FL
<b>&lt;020&gt; Program Year</b>	2016
<b>&lt;030&gt; Contact Name - Person USAC should contact regarding this data</b>	Jeff Heacox
<b>&lt;035&gt; Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line &lt;030&gt;</b>	5017485390 ext.
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Select the appropriate responses below (Yes, No, Not Applicable) to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental Connect America Phase I support, frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e). The information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

**Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting**

- <2010> 2nd Year Certification {47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)i}
- <2011a> 3rd Year Certification {47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)ii}
- <2011b> Attachment {47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1)iii}

Name of Attached Document(s) Listing Required Information

- <2022> Recipient certifies, representing year one after filing a notice of acceptance of funding pursuant to § 54.312(c), that the locations in question are not receiving support under the Broadband Initiatives Program or the Broadband Technology Opportunities Program for projects that will provide broadband with speeds of at least 4 Mbps/1 Mbps - 54.313(b)(2)(i)

- <2023> The attachment on Line 2024 includes a statement of the total amount of capital funding expended in the previous year in meeting Connect America Phase I deployment obligations, accompanied by a list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent. This covers year one - 54.313(b)(2)(ii)

- <2024> Attach list of census blocks indicating where funding was spent in year one - 54.313(b)(2)(ii)
- Name of Attached Document(s) Listing Required Information

- <2025> Attach Geocoded Information for Phase I, 2nd year milestone reports - Connect America Fund, WC Docket 10-90, Report and Order, FCC 13-73, paragraph 35 (May 22, 2013)
- Name of Attached Document(s) Listing Required Information

**Price Cap Carrier Receiving Frozen Support Certification {47 CFR § 54.312(a)}**

- <2012> 2013 Frozen Support Calculation {47 CFR § 54.313(c)(1)}
- <2013> 2014 Frozen Support Calculation {47 CFR § 54.313(c)(2)}
- <2014> 2015 Frozen Support Calculation {47 CFR § 54.313(c)(3)}
- <2015> 2016 and future Frozen Support Calculation {47 CFR § 54.313(c)(4)}

**Price Cap Carrier Connect America ICC Support {47 CFR § 54.313(d)}**

- <2016> Certification Support Used to Build Broadband

**Connect America Phase II Reporting {47 CFR § 54.313(e)}**

- <2017> 3rd year Broadband Service Certification
- <2018> 5th year Broadband Service Certification
- <2019> Interim Progress Certification
- <2020> Please check the box to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 2021, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (e)(3)(ii), as a recipient of CAF Phase II support shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in preceding calendar year.

- <2021> Interim Progress Community Anchor Institutions
- Name of Attached Document(s) Listing Required Information

**Please complete the statement below:**

The total amount of capital funding expended in the previous year in meeting Connect America Phase I deployment obligations is:

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

\$0.00

