

SCRPS Status Update

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*Indicate which deadline you are meeting with this filing.

2024-10-07

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.

Due to lack of funding, Skybeam cannot purchase all necessary approved equipment nor can Skybeam fund the labor required to construct all the towers in this application.

Skybeam has invested considerable time in additional engineering and planning to determine where the reduced program budget could be used for procurement and construction to meet rip and destroy requirements if additional funds are not secured. Since the last status update, we have completed 1 additional site in this application.

Without adequate funding, Skybeam's ability to provide comparable service to customers will be impaired. Skybeam will look at a range of options from deploying products without comparable features to decommissioning towers in lieu of a fully funded program. These options may have negative customer impact and may result in downgraded services or a reduced service footprint in already underserved areas.

Skybeam has been granted a deadline extension for this application to allow for more time to wait for additional funding, complete as many sites as we can with current funding, and remain in compliance with the program goals and timelines.

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

We are not currently experiencing any delays due to supply chain or labor shortages, but as we have had to spend a significant amount of time with additional engineering and planning, we have created a gap in the continuous flow of construction, putting at risk our contractor relationships by not having a continuous flow of work.

* 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.

The lack of additional funding has become a significant challenge to the timeline. Rise has been granted it's 1st deadline extension, and plans to request timeline extensions until additional funding is allocated.

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 all covered communications equipment or services that were in the recipient's network as of the date of the submission of the recipient's application request for funding.

Yes No

If recipient has not yet completed the removal process, what estimated percentage of the removal process have you completed?

15

*Indicate whether recipient has replaced all covered communications equipment or services that were in the recipient's network as of the date of the submission of the recipient's application request for funding.

Yes No

If recipient has not yet completed the replacement process, what estimated percentage of the replacement process have you completed?

25

*Indicate whether recipient has disposed of all covered communications equipment or services that were in the recipient's network as of the date of the submission of the recipient's application request for funding.

Yes No

If recipient has not yet completed the disposal process, what estimated percentage of the 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.

Due to lack of funding, and the need to re-engineer to decide how to best use the allocated funds, we have only completed a percentage of sites in this application, however we are working diligently to complete additional towers in this application. Since the last status update, we have completed replacement on one additional tower, and are in the process of removal at this time.

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.

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