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STREAMLINED RESOLUTION OF REQUESTS RELATED TO ACTIONS BY THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE ADMINISTRATIVE COMPANY

CC Docket No. 02-6

WC Docket No. 02-60

WC Docket No. 06-122

WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 19-126; AU Docket No. 20-34

Pursuant to our procedure for resolving requests for review, requests for waiver, and petitions for reconsideration of decisions related to actions taken by the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) that are consistent with precedent (collectively, Requests), the Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) grants, dismisses, or denies the following Requests.¹ The deadline for filing petitions for reconsideration or applications for review concerning the disposition of any of these Requests is 30 days from the release date of this Public Notice.²

Schools and Libraries (E-Rate)

CC Docket No. 02-6

Dismissing Late-Filed Petitions for Reconsideration³

Olton Independent School District, TX, Application Nos. 476223, 554576, Petition for Reconsideration, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 11, 2026)

Responsive Services International, Inc. (Olton Independent School District), TX, Application Nos. 476223, 554576, Petition for Reconsideration, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Aug. 1, 2025)

¹ See *Streamlined Process for Resolving Requests for Review of Decisions by the Universal Service Administrative Company*, CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 02-6, WC Docket Nos. 02-60, 06-122, 08-71, 10-90, 11-42, and 14-58, Public Notice, 29 FCC Rcd 11094 (WCB 2014). Section 54.719(b) of the Commission's rules provide that any person aggrieved by an action taken by a division of USAC, after first seeking review at USAC, may seek review from the Commission. Sections 54.719(c) of the Commission's rules provide that parties seeking waivers of the Commission's rules shall seek review directly from the Commission. In this Public Notice, we have reclassified as Requests for Waiver any appeals seeking review of a USAC decision that appropriately should have requested a waiver of the Commission's rules. Similarly, we have reclassified as Requests for Review any appeals seeking a waiver of the Commission's rules but that are, in fact, seeking review of a USAC decision.

² See 47 CFR §§ 1.106(f), 1.115(d); see also 47 CFR § 1.4(b)(2) (setting forth the method for computing the amount of time within which persons or entities must act in response to deadlines established by the Commission).

³ See, e.g., *Petitions for Reconsideration by Rockwood School District and Yakutat School District; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 13004 (WCB 2011) (*Rockwood School District Order*) (dismissing two petitions for reconsideration because they were filed more than 30 days after the date of the Bureau's decisions); 47 CFR § 1.106(f) (requiring petitions for reconsideration to be filed within 30 days of the date of the Bureau's decision).

Remanding Transmitted Appeal to USAC for Determination on Merits⁴

Acadia Parish School District, LA, Application No. 241025362, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 22, 2026)

Granted⁵*Granting Additional Time to Respond to USAC with Information⁶*

Tomer Dvora School, NY, Application No. 251022369, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 17, 2026)

Tomer Dvora School, NY, Application No. 251030863, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Nov. 24, 2025)

Granting Additional Time to Respond to USAC with Information During Invoicing⁷

Holy Trinity Catholic School, PA, Application No. 231033771, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 15, 2026)

Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Filed Late Due to Circumstances Beyond Their Control⁸

⁴ The Bureau remands this invoicing appeal back to USAC for a determination on the merits. In this case, the petitioner properly filed an appeal with USAC claiming that USAC made an error in reducing its funding. *See* 47 CFR § 54.720(b) (allowing parties to file an appeal within 60 days of an adverse USAC decision). USAC, instead of acting on the appeal, transmitted the filing to the Commission as a request for waiver of the invoice deadline. While the petitioner did request an invoice deadline extension in its appeal, treating this filing as a request for waiver is not necessary. If the appeal is successful, Acadia Parish School District would have 120 days from the date of the revised funding commitment letter to submit a new invoice. *See* 47 CFR § 54.514(a)(3).

⁵ We remand these applications to USAC and direct USAC to complete its review of the applications and issue a funding decision based on a complete review and analysis, no later than 90 calendar days from the release date of this Public Notice. In remanding these applications to USAC, we make no finding as to the ultimate eligibility of the equipment/services or the petitioners' applications. We also waive sections 54.507(d) and 54.514(a) of the Commission's rules and direct USAC to waive any procedural deadline that might be necessary to effectuate our ruling. *See* 47 CFR § 54.507(d) (requiring non-recurring services to be implemented by September 30 following the close of the funding year); 47 CFR § 54.514(a) (codifying the invoice filing deadline rule).

⁶ *Requests for Review of the Decision of the Universal Service Administrator by Alpaugh Unified School District et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 22 FCC Rcd 6035 (2007) (*Alpaugh Unified School Order*); *Requests for Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Ben Gamla Palm Beach et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 29 FCC Rcd 1876 (WCB 2014) (*Ben Gamla Palm Beach Order*) (granting applicants' requests for review where they were denied funding because they failed to respond to USAC's request for information within the USAC-specified time frame).

⁷ *See Requests for Review and/or Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Accomack County Public School et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, DA 23-48, para. 14 (WCB Jan. 19, 2023) (*Accomack County Public School Order*) (granting requests for review of applicants that had been denied funding during invoicing because they failed to respond to USAC's request for information within the USAC-specified time frame).

⁸ *See, e.g., Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Abbotsford School District et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 27 FCC Rcd 15299, 15300, para. 2 (WCB 2012) (*Abbotsford School District Order*) (waiving the deadline where

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Connections High School and Vocational Center, FL, Application Nos. 261042389, 261042370, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 2, 2026)

Mater Academy of Nevada, NV, Application Nos. 261042376, 261042369, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 28, 2026)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Filed Late Due to Unexpected Illness or Death in Family*⁹

Albion Public Library, NE, Application No. 261042252, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2026)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Filed Within 14 Days of the Close of the Window*¹⁰

Bloomington Public Schools, District 87, IN, Application No. 261041681, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 5, 2026)

Dade Prep Academy, FL, Application No. 261042082, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

Franklin School District, MA, Application No. 261041980, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 5, 2026)¹¹

Hillsborough School District, Jefferson Lewis BOCES-Consortium, Jefferson Township School District, Lodi School District, Lyme Central School District, Maine Endwell Central School District, NJ, NY, Application Nos. 261041879, 261042095, 261041679, 261041782, 261042074, 261041880, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

Kingdom Kids Christian Academy, FL, Application No. 261041993, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

Leading Edge Academy Maricopa, AZ, Application No. 261041919, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 18, 2026)

Meigs County District Public Library, OH, Application No. 261041986, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 20, 2026)

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applicants filed their applications beyond 14 days of the filing window deadline because of delays beyond their control).

⁹ See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Academy of Math and Science et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 25 FCC Rcd 9256, 9259-60, para. 9-10 (2010) (*Academy of Math and Science Order*) (finding special circumstances existed to justify granting a waiver request where, for example, there was an unexpected serious illness or death of a family member for the staff member assigned responsibility for E-Rate applications).

¹⁰ See, e.g., *Academy of Math and Science Order*, 25 FCC Rcd at 9259, para. 8 (finding special circumstances existed to justify granting waiver requests where, for example, petitioners filed their FCC Forms 471 within 14 days of the filing window deadline). To the extent that a single party is filing multiple requests for waiver of the application filing window deadline with the same set of facts (e.g., filed within 14 days), the Bureau strongly encourages the party to file a single waiver with a list of application numbers and filing dates attached. The Commission does not require separate appeal and/or waiver submissions in ECFS for each E-Rate FCC Form 471 application number at issue.

¹¹ Franklin School District listed the incorrect application number in its waiver request. We are including the correct application number in this public notice.

Mena Public School District, AR, Application No. 261041730, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 18, 2026)

Mena Public School District, AR, Application No. 261041731, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 18, 2026)

South Dade Academy LLC, FL, Application Nos. 261042078, 261042071, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

Suncoast School for Innovative Studies, FL, Application No. 261040277, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2026)

TDR Learning Academy, FL, Application No. 261041979, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Tribal Library*¹²

Asa'carsarmiut Tribal Council, AK, Application No. 261042409, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 2, 2026)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 486*¹³

Brighton School District 1, WI, Application No. 251030460, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 22, 2026)

Cleveland Central Catholic High School, IL, Application No. 251005333, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 11, 2026)

*Ministerial and/or Clerical Error*¹⁴

Edkey Inc., AZ, Application No. 241026327, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2026)

Tehachapi Unified School District, CA, Application No. 251023181, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Mar. 25, 2026)

¹² See *Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism; Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service; Changes to the Board of Directors of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc.*, CC Docket Nos. 02-6, 96-45, and 97-21, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 23-56, at para. 38 (2023) (*July 2023 E-Rate Report and Order*) (noting that the Bureau, when considering requests for waiver of the FCC Form 471 application filing deadline, recognize the special circumstances that Tribal library applicants face when applying for the E-Rate program).

¹³ See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Archdiocese of New Orleans et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 31 FCC Rcd 11747, 11750, para. 10 (WCB 2016) (*Archdiocese of New Orleans Order*) (granting relief for late-filed FCC Forms 486 that were filed no later than 120 days after the last day to receive service for the funding request at issue and where the applicant demonstrated good cause for the late filing).

¹⁴ See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Ann Arbor Public Schools et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 25 FCC Rcd 17319, 17320-21, n.5, 23 (WCB 2010) (*Ann Arbor Public Schools Order*) (explaining that failure to enter an item from the source list onto the application is a ministerial/clerical error that can be permitted correction and permitting correction when applicant mistakenly provided the wrong documentation concerning a purchase).

*Timely Response to USAC Inquiry*¹⁵

Lorain Public Library System, OH, Application No. 251004632, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 3, 2026)

*Waiver of Special Construction Service Delivery Deadline*¹⁶

Clark County School District, NV, Application Nos. 231037273, 231037299, 231037395, 231037446, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 4, 2026)

Monroe Technology Consortium, MI, Application Nos. 241035706, 241036072, 241036074, 241036085, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 5, 2026)

Denied*Failure To Provide All Bidders Access to the Same Information and Equal Treatment During the Competitive Bidding Processes*¹⁷

¹⁵ See, e.g., *Ann Arbor Public Schools Order*, 25 FCC Rcd 17319, n.1. We remand the application to USAC to determine whether the petitioner's documentation demonstrates that the error was ministerial and clerical in nature and issue a funding decision based on a complete review and analysis.

¹⁶ See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver of the Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Grants/Cibola County School District and Jemez Pueblo Tribal Consortium*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 33 FCC Rcd 10048, 10051, para. 8 (WCB 2018) (*Grants/Cibola County School District Order*) (waiving the June 30 special construction service delivery deadline because the applicant was unable to complete implementation for reasons beyond the service provider's control and the petitioner made good faith efforts to comply with Commission rules and procedures).

We find that the petitioners were unable to complete implementation for reasons beyond their control and made good faith efforts to comply with Commission rules and procedures. We waive the special construction service delivery deadline and direct USAC to provide the applicants until June 30, 2027 to complete their special construction projects. We also waive any associated administrative or procedural deadlines, including the invoice filing deadline, that might be necessary to effectuate our ruling. See *supra* note 5. We further note that because the special construction service delivery deadline has been extended multiple times for Clark County School District's applications, we do not anticipate granting another waiver of the service delivery deadline for these applications. If additional time is needed for the remaining portion(s) of this build, Clark County School District should submit new funding application(s) for the portion(s) of the build that cannot be completed by the June 30, 2027 deadline.

¹⁷ See, e.g., *Petitions for Reconsideration by Blessed Sacrament School et al.*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order on Reconsideration, 30 FCC Rcd 14274, 14275 - 14278, paras 3, 9, 10 (WCB 2015) (*Blessed Sacrament School Order*); *Petitions for Reconsideration by Lake Pend Oreille School District et al.*, *Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order on Reconsideration, 28 FCC Rcd 1103, 1105-06, para. 3 (WCB 2013) (*Lake Pend Oreille School District Order*) (finding that the competitive bidding rules require that all potential bidders and service providers have access to the same information and are treated in the same manner throughout the procurement process, and denying an appeal when the record shows that the applicant provided one bidder with information that was not available to other bidders); *Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future*, CC Docket No. 02-6, GN Docket No. 09-51, Sixth Report and Order, 25 FCC Rcd 18762, 18799, para. 86 (2010) (*E-Rate Sixth Report and Order*) (explaining that all potential bidders and service providers must have access to the same information and be treated in the same manner throughout the procurement process).

Abington School District issued a request for proposal (RFP) for leased dark fiber service or leased lit fiber service for 11 administration and school buildings that were specifically listed in the RFP appendix, including Rydal Elementary (East). The school district eventually selected its incumbent service provider over two other bidders for the contract. The bid from the incumbent service provider, however, did not match the criteria in the RFP. Internal communications demonstrate that the school district found it could avoid paying for new construction by using the

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Abington School District, PA, Application No. 251039899, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2026)

*Failure to Post RFP for 28 Days in Violation of the Competitive Bidding Rule*¹⁸

Magen David Yeshiva School, NY, Application No. 241035168, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Sept. 22, 2025)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications*¹⁹

Advanced Technology Academy, MI, Application No. 261042315, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 11, 2026)²⁰

Audubon Community School District, IA, Application Nos. 261042400, 261042399, 261042398, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 29, 2026)

Barrington Public Schools, RI, Application No. 261042329, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

Barrington Public Schools, RI, Application No. 261042366, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 21, 2026)

Berwyn Public Library, IL, Application No. 261042362, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 27, 2026)

Burlington Township School District, NJ, Application No. 261042358, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 20, 2026)

Cary Area Public Library, IL, Application No. 261042391, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 27, 2026)

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incumbent service provider's current connection to Rydal Elementary (West), a school not listed in the RFP's appendix. All other bidding service providers did not have the option to serve Rydal Elementary (West), instead of Rydal Elementary (East), because Rydal Elementary (West) was not listed as a location to be served on the school district's RFP for point-to-point connections. Knowledge of such additional information only on the part of the incumbent service provider allowed the incumbent service provider to better respond to the FCC Form 470 and the associated RFP and secure the contract for services. This violated FCC rules requiring that applicants conduct a fair and open competitive bidding whereby applicants provide the same information to all potential bidders and treat all bidders equally during the competitive bidding process.

¹⁸ See, e.g., *Requests for Review and/or Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Albuquerque School District et al., Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 5878, 5880, para. 4 (WCB 2011) (*Albuquerque School District Order*); *Requests for Review and/or Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Al-Ihsan Academy et al., Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 16415, 16419, para. 9 (WCB 2011) (*Al-Ihsan Academy Order*) (requiring that request for proposals be available for bidders for the entire 28-day competitive bidding period even if the FCC Form 470 was properly posted).

¹⁹ See, e.g., *Academy of Math and Science Order*, 25 FCC Rcd at 9261-62, para. 13 (denying waivers of the FCC Form 471 application filing window deadline where petitioners failed to present special circumstances justifying a waiver of the Commission's rules).

²⁰ Advanced Technology Academy listed the incorrect application number in its waiver request. The correct application number is reflected in the Public Notice.

Catalyst Public Schools, WA, Application No. 261040139, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 18, 2026)

Christian Fellowship School, MO, Application No. 261042296, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 13, 2026)

Classical Education Network, Inc., d/b/a Nova Classical Stem Academy, FL, Application No. 261042309, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2026)

Community Action Partnership of Kern, CA, Application No. 261042213, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 1, 2026)

Cristo Rey Kansas City High School, MO, Application No. 261042285, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 20, 2026)

Crown Preparatory Academy, CA, Application No. 261042355, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 19, 2026)

East Butler Public School District, NE, Application No. 261042335, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2026)

Future Leaders Institute Charter School, NY, Application No. 261042412, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 2, 2026)

General Patton School District 133, IL, No Application Filed, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 3, 2026)

Keokuk Catholic Schools, IA, Application No. 261032517, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 18, 2026)

Leon Public Library, IA, Application No. 261042397, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 28, 2026)

Math and Science College Preparatory High School, CA, Application No. 261042356, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 19, 2026)

Mestiva Ateres Yaakov, Islamic School of Road Island, NY, RI, Application Nos. 261042183, 261042199, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 17, 2026, duplicate filed May 18, 2026)

Monte Alto Independent School District, TX, Application No. 261042379, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 3, 2026)

Nancy Fawcett Memorial Library, NE, Application No. 261042415, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 3, 2026)

New Richmond School District, WI, Application No. 261042345, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 15, 2026)

North DuPage Special Education Cooperative, IL, Application No. 261042375, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 21, 2026)

Pike County Public Library, PA, No Application Filed, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2026)

Random Lake School District, WI, Application No. 261042364, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 20, 2026)

Rensselaer Central School Corporation, IN, Application No. 261042393, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 27, 2026)

Sauvie Island School, OR, Application No. 261042390, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 27, 2026)

Schoolcraft Learning Community, MN, Application No. 261042322, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 11, 2026)

STEM Preparatory Elementary School, CA, Application No. 261042354, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 19, 2026)

Stone County School District, MS, Application No. 261042268, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 18, 2026)

Tiffin City School District, OH, Application No. 261042306, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 28, 2026)

Vernon Independent School District, TX, Application No. 261042016, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 27, 2026)

Washington County Public Library System, TN, Application No. 261042225, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2026)

*Late-Filed Invoice or Invoice Deadline Extension*²¹

Charter School of Arts, Sciences, and Technology (COAST), FL, Application No. 241037678, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Coral Reef Montessori Academy Charter, FL, Application No. 241029012, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Deming Cesar Chavez Charter High School, MN, Application No. 241039801, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2026)

El-Ber Islamic School, NY, Application Nos. 201029005, 201029023, 211024869, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 26, 2026)

Explore Academy LCS, NM, Application No. 241003614, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

²¹ See, e.g., *See Requests for Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Ada School District et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 31 FCC Rcd 3834, 3836, para. 7 (WCB 2016) (*Ada School District Order*) (denying petitioners' waiver requests for invoice filing deadline extensions who failed to seek an extension before the invoice filing deadline and did not demonstrate extraordinary circumstances to justify waiving the Commission's rules).

Immaculate Heart of Mary School, NY, Application No. 241038600, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Incarnation School, NY, Application No. 241039690, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Mescalero Apache Telecom, Inc., NM, Application No. 211025284, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2026)

Middlesex Borough Public Schools, NJ, Application No. 241007706, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 4, 2026)

Monsignor Scanlan High School, NY, Application No. 241023811, FRN 2499031955, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Our Lady of Fatima School, NY, Application No. 241018793, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Our Lady-Perpetual Help School, NY, Application No. 241035299, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Prairie-Hills School District 144, IL, Application No. 191040537, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 24, 2021)

Raices Del Saber, NM, Application No. 241038928, FRN 2499057071, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Raices Del Saber, NM, Application No. 241038928, FRN 2499057076, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2026)

Sacred Heart School, NY, Application No. 241019441, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2026)

St. Francis De Sales School, NY, Application No. 241016137, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2026)

St. Francis Prep School, NY, Application No. 241022851, FRN 2499030436, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (Apr. 20, 2026)

St. Francis Prep School, NY, Application No. 241022851, FRN 2499030443, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (Apr. 20, 2026)

St. Kevin School, NY, Application No. 241037459, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2026)

The Children's Tree Montessori School, Inc., CT, Application No. 241038851, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 21, 2026)

*Service Provider Fails or Refuses to Submit the FCC Form 473*²²

North Cedar Community School District, IA, Application No. 231037471, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Feb. 28, 2025)

*Untimely Filed Appeals or Waiver Requests*²³

Founders Classical Academy, PA, Application Nos. 241040641, 251020268, 251021909, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed (May 12, 2026)

MC Networking Group, Inc. (Bais Yaakov Oz Vehodor, Bas Mikroh Girls School, Bnos Spinka, Maimonides Hebrew Day School, Mesilas Bais Yaakov, The Cheder, Yeshiva Ketana of Bensonhurst, Yeshivat Magen Abraham), NY, application Nos. 1009467, 1009474, 1009480, 1013805, 1018776, 1018782, 1028199, 1028201, 1028327, 1031968, 1032539, 1033376, 1034793, 1034907, 1035299, 1035615, 1044303, 1045690, 1045697, 1045701, 1048265, 1051562, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Jan. 14, 2022, supplement filed Sept. 5, 2023)

Southern Oklahoma Library System, OK, Application No. 251032898, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 21, 2026)

Rural Health Care Program
WC Docket No. 02-60**Granted***Waiver of the Application Filing Deadline – Filed Late Due to Technical Issues*²⁴

Harrington Family Health Center, ME, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. RHC20260015356 (filed May 7, 2026)

*Waiver of the Application Filing Deadline – Filed Late Due to Unexpected Illness*²⁵

²² See, e.g., *Aurora Public Library et al., Schools And Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, DA 25-394, para. 11 (WCB May 7, 2025) (*Aurora Public Library Order*) (denying waiver of the invoice filing deadline rule where service provider fails or refuses to file the Service Provider Annual Certification).

²³ See, e.g., *Requests for Review of the Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Agra Public Schools I-134; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 25 FCC Rcd 5684, 5688, para. 6 (WCB 2010) (*Agra Public Schools Order*); *Requests for Waiver or Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Bound Brook School District; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 29 FCC Rcd 5823, 5823, para. 1 (WCB 2014) (*Bound Brook School District Order*) (denying requests for review and/or waiver on the grounds that the petitioners failed to: (1) submit their appeals either to the Commission or to USAC within 60 days or failed to submit their waiver requests to the Commission within 60 days as required by section 54.720(a) and (b) of the Commission's rules; and (2) did not demonstrate special circumstances required for the Commission to waive the rule).

²⁴ See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Academy for Academic Excellence et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 22 FCC Rcd 4747, 4748-49, para. 4 (WCB 2007) (*Academy for Academic Excellence Order*) (granting waivers where the applicants filed after the close of the filing window due to delays beyond its control, in particular, technical problems with USAC's electronic filing system).

Advanced Data Services, Inc. (Kit – Dena’ina Kahtnu Center), AK, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request Nos. RHC20260015396, RHC20260015399 (filed June 8, 2026)

Pennsylvania Mountains Healthcare Resource Development, PA, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request Nos. RHC20260015503, RHC20260015504, RHC20260015371, RHC20260015496, RHC20260015506, RHC20260015359 (filed May 29, 2026)

*Waiver of the Application Filing Deadline – Special Circumstances*²⁶

ENA Healthcare Services, LLC (Hardeman County Community Health Center, Mountain Communities Healthcare District, VFHC Consortium), CA, ID, TN, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request Nos. RHC20260015352, RHC20260015354, RHC20260015355, RHC20260015362, RHC20260015363, RHC20260015364, RHC20260015367 (filed June 1, 2026)

*Waiver of the FCC Form 467 Requirement for Closed HCPs*²⁷

Corcom Communications, Inc. (Cooper County Memorial Hospital), MO, Request for Waiver, WC Docket Nos. 02-60, 17-310, Funding Request No. 1717073 (filed May 13, 2026)

Denied

*Waiver of the Application Filing Deadline – Lack of Special Circumstances*²⁸

Lakeland Health Care Center, WI, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, No Funding Request Number Given (filed May 18, 2026)

Lookout Mountain Community Services, GA, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, No Funding Request Number Given (filed May 7, 2026)

Roanoke Chowan Community Health Center, NC, WC Docket No. 02-60, No Funding Request Number Given (filed May 15, 2026)

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²⁵ See, e.g., *Academy of Math and Science Order*, 25 FCC Rcd at 9259, para. 8 (finding special circumstances existed to justify granting a waiver of the application filing deadline where, for example, there was an unexpected serious illness or death of a family member for the staff member assigned responsibility for applications).

²⁶ See, e.g., *Abbotsford School District Order*, 27 FCC Rcd at 15300, para. 2 (waiving the deadline where applicants filed their applications beyond 14 days of the application filing window deadline because of delays beyond their control).

²⁷ See, e.g., *Rural Health Care Support Mechanism, Petition for Waiver of ENA Healthcare Services, LLC*, WC Docket No. 17-310, Order, DA 26-114, 2026 WL 328504 (WCB Feb. 4, 2026) (waiving FCC Form 467 requirements because the health care provider has gone out of business). We direct USAC to seek alternate documentation from the service provider to document its reimbursement claims and demonstrate that the HCP is no longer in business, to reinstate any funding that may have been deobligated, and to waive any applicable invoice filing deadline. We set a new reimbursement deadline of 120 days from release of this Order.

²⁸ See, e.g., *Request for Waiver by Bartlett Regional Hospital et al., Rural Health Care Support Mechanism*, WC Docket No. 02-60, Order, 39 FCC Rcd 3931, 3935, para. 9 (WCB 2024) (denying application filing deadline waiver requests filed more than 14 days after the application filing deadline and without special circumstances justifying a waiver of the filing deadline).

Stone Mountain Health Services, VA, Request for Waiver, Funding Request No. RHC20260015433 (Apr. 30, 2026)

Contribution Methodology

WC Docket No. 06-122

Granted

*Request for Waiver of FCC Form 499-A Revision Deadline*²⁹

F1 Computing Solutions, LLC, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 06-122 (Apr. 6, 2026)

Dismissed without Prejudice

*Request for Waiver of Form 499-A Late Filing Fees*³⁰

Acts Consulting, Inc., Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 06-122 (filed Oct. 18, 2024)

Solitrán, Inc., Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 06-122 (filed July 8, 2025)

Dismissed as Moot³¹ □

Request for Waiver of Form 499-A Late Filing Fees

Avidity, LLC, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 06-122 (filed Dec. 11, 2025)

GECOMP LLC, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 06-122 (filed Sept. 23, 2025)

Request for Waiver of Form 499-Q Downward Revision Deadline and Late Filing Fees

IDEA Solutions LLC, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 06-122 (Feb. 4, 2026)

High-Cost

WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 19-126; AU Docket No. 20-34

Granted

²⁹ See, e.g., *Universal Service Contribution Methodology; Request for Waiver by Experior Networks; Request for Review by Coaxial Cable Television Corporation of Decision of Universal Service Administrator*, WC Docket No. 06-122, Order, 30 FCC Rcd 4711 (WCB 2015) (granting requests to waive the FCC Form 499-A twelve-month revision deadline in instances where petitioners would have qualified for *de minimis* status, and owe no contributions, had they filed correctly). We direct USAC to accept F1 Computing Solutions, LLC's 2023 revised Form 499-A as if timely filed and to adjust invoices and provide refunds as appropriate.

³⁰ See *Universal Service Contribution Methodology; Alternative Phone, Inc. Request for Review of a Decision of the Universal Service Administrator and Request for Waiver*, WC Docket No. 06-122, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 6079 (WCB 2011) (dismissing without prejudice a request for review that failed to meet the requirements of section 54.721 of the Commission's rules).

³¹ See *Universal Service Contribution Methodology, Requests for Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Ambess Enterprises Inc. et al.*, WC Docket No. 06-122, Order, 25 FCC Rcd 3722 (WCB 2010) (dismissing several requests for waiver of USAC decisions because subsequent USAC action has provided relief sought by petitioners).

*Rural Digital Opportunity Fund (RDOF) Waiver of Interim Service Milestones*³²

Yucca Telecommunications, Systems, Inc., Petition for Waiver, WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 19-126; AU Docket No. 20-34 (filed June 10, 2026) (Yucca Petition)

Denied*Rural Digital Opportunity Fund (RDOF) Waiver of Interim Service Milestones*³³

Pine Belt RDOF Holdings, L.L.C., Petition for Waiver, WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 19-126; AU Docket No. 20-34 (filed Jan. 13, 2026) (Pine Belt Petition)

Midwest Data Center, Inc., Petition for Waiver, WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 19-126; AU Docket No. 20-34 (filed Nov. 11, 2025) (Midwest Petition)

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³² Consistent with precedent, we find good cause to grant Yucca Telecommunications, Systems, Inc. (Yucca) a waiver of the 40%, 60% and 80% RDOF service milestones. 47 CFR § 54.802(c)(1); *Rural Digital Opportunity Fund et al.*, WC Docket No. 19-126 et al., Order, 40 FCC Rcd 281, 300 para. 45 & n.126 (2020) (*High-Cost Fabric Order*). Yucca demonstrated with December 2025 (Version 8) Broadband Serviceable Location Fabric (Fabric) data that it identified all existing locations in its RDOF authorized area and USAC verified that Yucca offers service meeting the relevant Commission requirements to all of these existing locations. See Yucca Petition; E-mail to Jesse Jachman, Deputy Division Chief, WCB, FCC et al., from Anna Jensen Kasting, Lead Program Analyst, High Cost, USAC (June 1, 2026 02:58 PM EST) (Kasting E-mail to Jachman). Yucca must continue to monitor the Fabric and will be required to serve any new locations in the June 2026 and December 2026 Fabric by the 100% service milestone plus one year cure period until Yucca has served the number of locations estimated by the cost model (if there are the same number or more locations in Yucca's service area than originally estimated) or the adjusted location total adopted by the Bureau (if there are fewer locations in Yucca's service area than originally estimated). *High-Cost Fabric Order*, 40 FCC Rcd at 299-300, para. 44.

³³ Consistent with precedent, we deny Pine Belt RDOF Holdings, L.L.C.'s (Pine Belt) and Midwest Data Center, Inc.'s (Midwest) requests for waiver to extend the deadline for meeting the 40% RDOF service milestone. 47 CFR § 54.802(c)(1); *Rural Digital Opportunity Fund et al.*, WC Docket No. 19-126 et al., Report and Order, 35 FCC Rcd 686, 709, para. 45 (2020) (RDOF Order). Both RDOF carriers anticipated having small non-compliance gaps and coming into compliance with the 40% service milestone within six months of the milestone. Pine Belt Petition at 2; Midwest Petition at 2-3; 47 CFR §§ 54.320(d)(1), 54.802(c)(1). See *Connect America Fund et al.*, WC Docket Nos. 10-90 et al., Order, DA-26-342, at 1, 10, paras. 1, 22 (WCB 2026) (*Mediacom Order*) (stating that the non-compliance framework was designed to "incent compliance" and avoid the "burden of filing and addressing" these petitions on a "case-by-case basis," explaining that "carriers continue to receive the majority of funding . . . and they can quickly receive all funding by catching up on buildout"). See also *id.* at 10, para. 23 (finding the public interest prong of the waiver standard cannot be satisfied by the fact that losing RDOF support could impact the recipient's ability to meet its RDOF obligations as that would effectively negate the public interest requirement).