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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. 21-93
WC Docket No. 02-60

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

Dismissed on Reconsideration³

Independence School District, WI, Application No. 241039947, Petition for Reconsideration, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

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). Sections 54.719(b) and 54.1718(a)(1) 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) and 54.1718(a)(3) of the Commission's rules provide that parties seeking waivers of the Commission's rules shall seek review directly from the Commission. 47 CFR §§ 54.719(b)-(c); 54.1718(a)(1)-(2). 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., *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Allan Shivers Library et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order and Order on Reconsideration, 29 FCC Rcd 10356, 10357, para. 2 (WCB 2014) (*Allan Shivers Library Order*) (dismissing petitions for reconsideration that fail to identify any material error, omission, or reason warranting reconsideration, and rely on arguments that have been fully considered and rejected by the Bureau within the same proceeding).

Dismissed to Allow Appeal to be Filed with USAC⁴

Baystate Academy Charter Public School, MA, Application No. 161022422, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Dec. 8, 2019)

St. Leo the Great Catholic School, TX, Application No. 161044622, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Dec. 24, 2019)

Granted⁵*FCC Form 471 Applications Filed Timely⁶*

Exalt Academy of Southwest Little Rock, AR, Application No. 241035085, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Eligible Entities⁷

Baltimore City Board of School Commissioners, MD, Application Nos. 161003174, 171000385, 181014684, 181016980, 181018926, 201024172, 201024174, 211029432, 211029797, 211011944, 221037492, 221016014, Request for Review and/or Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Feb. 17, 2023)

⁴ See *Petitions for Reconsideration by Little Falls Township School District et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order on Reconsideration, DA 23-110, para. 10 (WCB 2023) (*Little Falls Township Order*) (dismissing without prejudice appeals that are filed with the Commission before being reviewed at USAC and waiving the 60-day appeal filing deadline to allow the party to refile its appeal at USAC and have it considered on the merits).

Parties seeking review of USAC decisions must first file an appeal with USAC. See 47 CFR § 54.719(a). Because the petitioners filed their appeals with the Commission first, we now provide Baystate Academy Charter Public School and St. Leo the Great Catholic School 60 days from the release date of this Public Notice to refile their appeals at USAC. Pursuant to the *Little Falls Township Order*, we also waive the 60-day appeal filing deadline, 47 CFR § 54.720(a), to allow the appeals to be considered on the merits by USAC without being considered late. See *Little Falls Township Order* at para. 10. Appeals for funding year 2016 and forward should be filed in the E-Rate Productivity Center portal, found here: [EPC](#). Appeals from funding year 2015 and prior funding years should be filed by email to Appeals@usac.org.

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 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, para. 7 (2010) (*Academy of Math and Science Order*) (finding that petitioners timely filed their FCC Forms 471 within the relevant FCC Form 471 application filing window).

⁷ See *Requests for Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Bootheel Consortium et al., Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 22 FCC Rcd 8747, 8750-51, paras. 7-8 (2007) (*Bootheel Consortium Order*) (finding that applicants had provided sufficient documentation to show that they might be eligible for E-Rate support, justifying further review by USAC to reach a definitive determination). Consistent with precedent, we remand these applications to USAC for consideration of the eligibility of entities listed on the applications given the additional documentation submitted by the petitioner. *Id.*

Brain Box Literacy Academy, IL, Application No. 231032182, Request for Review and/or Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

*Granting Additional Time to Respond to USAC Inquiry*⁸

Branson School District R 4, MO, Application No. 171014586, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 29, 2018)

Cheder Menachem Elementary School, PA, Application No. 181037682, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Jan, 11, 2020)

Gestalt Community Schools, TN, Application No. 171035547, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Nov. 9, 2018)

KIPP Chicago Schools, IL, Application No. 171034452, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 14, 2018)

Manalapan-Englishtown School District, NJ, Application No. 171015199, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 29, 2018)

Mendon Upton Regional School District, MA, Application No. 161014406, Request for Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Jan. 2, 2020)

*Inadvertent Cancellation of FCC Form 471*⁹

Lubbock-Cooper Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241000487, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

⁸ See, e.g., *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 District 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 petitioners' requests for review that were denied funding because they failed to respond to USAC's request for information within the USAC-specified time frame).

On remand, to the extent possible, USAC should work with the applicants and authorize modifications to the Category Two funding requests to bring Branson School District R 4, Gestalt Community Schools, Manalapan-Englishtown School District and Mendon Upton Regional School District within their allowable Category Two budget.

On remand, USAC should also give KIPP Chicago Schools the opportunity to update its student count information and adjust its Category Two budget accordingly.

⁹ Lubbock-Cooper Independent School District seeks a waiver of Application No. 241040069, which was filed after the close of the application filing window because the school district inadvertently cancelled the initial FCC Form 471. On remand, USAC should reinstate the cancelled FCC Form 471. See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Joseph Jingoli & Son, Inc., et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 22 FCC Rcd 19227, 19228-29, paras. 3-4 (WCB 2007) (granting petitioners' requests to restore mistakenly cancelled funding requests)

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

A+ Arts Academy, Aventura City of Excellence School, Charter Schools USA, Episcopal Children’s Services, Inc., Franklin Academy – Boynton Beach Campus, Franklin Academy – Cooper City Campus, Franklin Academy – Palm Beach Gardens Campus, Franklin Academy – Pembroke Pines (6-12) Campus, Franklin Academy – Pembroke Pines (K-8) Campus, Franklin Academy – Sunrise Campus, Application Nos. 241039740, 241032073, 241032047, 241039871, 241039739, 241039495, 241039500, 241039506, 241039509, 241039513, 241039514, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Abundant Life Christian Academy, Academy Prep Center of St. Petersburg, Academy Prep Center of Tampa, Academy Prep of Lakeland, Athenian School, Beth Haven Christian School, Calvert Hall College, Cathedral Catholic High School, Christian Academy of Lawrenceburg, Circle Unified School District 375, Clovis Christian Schools, Cornerstone Preparatory Academy, Crossroads Academy, Dekalb PATH Academy, Dunedin Academy and Day School, Inc., Einstein Montessori Academy, Esthers Schools, Firestone Charter Academy, Foundation Academy, Francis W. Parker School, Gainesville Christian Community School, Glendale Adventist Academy, Goodwill Excel Center Colorado, Goodwill Excel Center Colorado, Granby Public Schools, Holy Cross High School, Hope Academy/ Flying H Youth Ranch, Hope Christian School, Hope Community Public Charter School, Inc., Horizon Charter School of Tampa, Imagine Foundation Public Charter School, Laurence School, Madison Academy, Miami Valley Christian Academy, North Cross School, Pensacola Catholic High School, Regents School of Austin, Roanoke Catholic School, San Gabriel SDA Academy, St. Athanasius School, St. Gregory School, St. Luke’s Lutheran School, St. Margaret Mary School, St. Michael, St. Stephen Martyr School, The Linfield School, Trinity Christian Academy, University Heights Academy, Walsingham Academy, Westminster Christian Academy, Worshipers’ House of Prayer Academy, Application Nos. 241039526, 241039471, 241039472, 241039473, 241039418, 241039543, 241039470, 241039518, 241039282, 241039520, 241039469, 241039284, 241039551, 241039529, 241039355, 241039285, 241039373, 241039369, 241019233, 241039358, 241039416, 241039223, 241039914, 241039912, 241039468, 241039467, 241039283, 241039419, 241039533, 241039547, 241039530, 241039522, 241039922, 241039576, 241039527, 241039415, 241039356, 241039420, 241039550, 241039546, 241039542, 241039516, 241019232, 241039519, 241039545, 241039215, 241039417, 241039359, 241039357, 241039531, 241039523, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 11, 2024)

Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library, SC, Application No. 241039746, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Alta Public Schools, Arizona Agribusiness and Equine Center, Cesar Chavez Community School, Edward B. Cole Charter School, Empower College Prep, Evergreen Virtual Academy, Excalibur Charter, Garden of the Sahaba Academy, Great Hearts Academies, Great Hearts Christos, Laurens Institute for Education Inc., Lyons Township High School District 204, Maryvale Prep, Meridian Public Charter School District, Mineral Springs School District, Nevada Prep Charter School, New Mexico School for the Arts, Ocali Charter High School, Pan American Charter

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 for petitioners who filed their FCC Form 471 applications within 14 days of the filing window deadline).

School, Solare Collegiate Charter School, The Maritime Academy of Toledo, Turquoise Trail Charter School, Waldorf School Assn. of Boulder Inc., Watts Learning Center Charter School - District Office, Youthbuild Charter School of California, Application Nos. 241039521, 241039179, 241039688, 241039440, 241039196, 241039272, 241039339, 241039342, 241039817, 241038799, 241039147, 241039320, 241039216, 241038896, 241039607, 241039789, 241039716, 241039826, 241039525, 241039524, 241039398, 241039217, 241039406, 241039496, 241039190, 241039192, 241039505, 241039286, 241039712, 241039595, 241039508, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Alternatives in Action High School, CA, Application No. 241039681, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Alton School District, NH, Application No. 241039582, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

Amherst Exempted Village Schools, OH, Application No. 241039731, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 2, 2024)

Annapolis Christian Academy, TX, Application No. 241037992, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 28, 2024)

Arlington Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039687, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Azle Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039865, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Bais Chaya Inc., Bais Reuvan Kaminetz of Lakewood, Bais Yaakov of Waterbury, Brandeis School, Chabad Lubavitch of Southside, Cheder Beer Yeshaya, Congregation Yeshiva Beis Chaya Mushka Inc., Foxman Torah Institute, Greek American Institute of New York Inc., Hanna Sacks Girls High School, Hebrew Academy of Long Beach, Hebrew Academy of Nassau County, Hebrew Academy of the Five Towns and Rockaway, Ivy Hawn Charter School of the Arts, Jewels Inclusive Preschool and Pediatric Therapy Clinic, Maimonides Hebrew Day School, New Horizon Community School, Ohr Chadash Academy, Orlando Torah Academy, Philips Academy Charter School of Paterson, Rambam High School, S A R Academy, Shulamith School for Girls, Solomon Schechter School of Queens, St. Francis De Sales Deaf School, St. Peters Child Care Center, Inc., St. Raymond Academy for Girls, Talmud Torah Toras Yisroel d/b/a Tiferes Yechiel, The Williamsburg Charter School, Toras Emes Academy Of Miami, Tree of Knowledge Learning Academy -New Jersey, Tree of Knowledge Learning Academy Ohio / FL, Valley Torah High School, Yeshiva Bais Chaya Esther, Yeshiva Gedolah of Waterbury, Yeshiva of Central Queens, Yeshiva of Greater Washington, Yeshiva Rav Isacsohn Academy, Yeshivat Ateret Torah School, Application Nos. 241039429, 241039856, 241039683, 241039556, 241039653, 241039554, 241039555, 241039676, 241039881, 241039536, 241039890, 241039827, 241039268, 241039114, 241039360, 241039750, 241039116, 241039427, 241039431, 241039457, 241039124, 241039866, 241039864, 241039184, 241039291, 241039367, 241039843, 241039421, 241039422, 241039860, 241039128, 241039130, 241039233, 241039232, 241039454, 241039565, 241039172, 241039146, 241039152, 241039163, 241039927, 241039627, 241039928, 241039234, 241039544, 241039851, 241039887, 241039237, 241039238, 241039541, 241039315, 241039460, 241039782, 241039888, 241039549, 241039714, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

Bais Chaya Mushka School of Los Angeles, Cheder Menachem Mendel, Kinneret Day School, Mesivta Kesser Torah of Baltimore, St. Mark's Day School, Westchester School for Special Children, Rabbinical Yeshiva of Cincinnati, Yeshiva Gedolah of Bayonne, Yeshiva Ketana of Los Angeles, Yeshiva Rabbi S. R. Hirsch School, Yeshiva School of Far Rockaway, Application Nos. 241039846, 241039586, 241039637, 241039254, 241039288, 241039134, 241039137, 241039574, 241039578, 241039924, 241039933, 241039622, 241039897, 241039241, 241039833, 241039862, 241039620, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

Bell County Public Library District, KY, Application No. 241039785, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Bishop Louis Reicher Elementary School, TX, Application No. 241039097, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2024)¹¹

Brazosport Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039650, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Broome-Tioga BOCES, Jefferson Township School District, Jefferson-Lewis-Hamilton-Herkimer-Oneida BOCES, Lebanon Township School District, Lodi School District, Lyme Central School District, Ocean County Vocational Technical School District, Runnemede Borough School District, Walton Central School District, Washington Borough School District, Application Nos. 241039859, 241039857, 241039861, 241039841, 241039882, 241039730, 241039835, 241039725, 241039918, 241039728, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Butte Falls School, OR, Application No. 241039403, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 30, 2024)

Carol Academy (Renee Sutton), TN, Application No. 241039138, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Mar. 28, 2024)

Carrollton-Farmers Branch School District, TX, Application No. 241039734, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Cass City Public Schools, MI, Application No. 241033306, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Castle Rock Union Elementary School District, CA, Application No. 241033951, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Competitive Edge Charter Academy (CECA), CA, Application No. 241039361, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

¹¹ We note that Bishop Louis Reicher Elementary School filed a waiver request April 2, 2024 for the same application number. That filing was resolved in a previous Public Notice. See *Streamlined Process for Resolving Requests for Review of Decisions by the Universal Service Administrative Company*, CC Docket No. 02-6, WC Docket Nos. 02-60, 08-71, 10-90 and 18-143, Public Notice, DA 24-362 (WCB May 1, 2024) (*May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN*).

Chabad of Southern Nevada d/b/a Dessert Torah Academy, Maimonides Hebrew Day School, Stanford Eisenberg Knoxville Jewish Day School, Torat Hayim Hebrew Academy d/b/a Tashbar Sephardic Yeshiva Katana, Yeshiva Primary, Application Nos. 241039113, 241039754, 241039189, 241039762, 241039878, 241039874, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

Circulo De La Hispanidad, Evergreen Charter School, Saugerties Public Library, St. Demetrios Greek American School, The Newgrange School of Princeton Inc., Yeshiva Har Torah, Yeshiva Ktana of Waterbury, Application Nos. 241039558, 241039557, 241039830, 241039362, 241039892, 241039450, 241039452, 241039278, 241039117, 241039239, 241039240, 241039243, 241039244, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

CMCH Elementary Inc., GA, Application Nos. 241039560, 241039561, 241039741, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

Columbia Falls School District 6, MT, Application No. 241039911, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Columbia Falls School District 6, MT, Application Nos. 241039911, 241039920, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 27, 2024)

Columbus County Public Library, NC, Application No. 241039423, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Commerce Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039717, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Cristo Rey San Jose Jesuit High School, CA, Application No. 241039855, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

Deer Park Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039677, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Deming Cesar Chavez Charter High School, NM, Application No. 241039801, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

District of Columbia Public Schools, DC, Application No. 241039795, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Dream Dine' Charter School, NM, Application No. 241039300, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

Dublin City School District, OH, Application No. 241039405, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Earlimart Elementary School District, CA, Application No. 241039722, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

East Fort Worth Montessori Academy, TX, Application No. 241039812, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Education Service Center Region 10 d/b/a Fiber Network Consortium, TX, Application Nos. 241039726, 241039807, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Elmendaro Township Library, KS, Application No. 241039424, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

El Paso Leadership Academy Inc., TX, Application No. 241039659, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Eman Schools, IN, Application No. 241039820, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Ennis Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039784, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Episcopal Children's Services, Inc., FL, Application No. 241039738, 241039739, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2024)

Education Service Center Region 11 Consortium, TX, Application Nos. 241039845, 241039646, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Education Service Center Region 20 Fiber Consortium, TX, Application No. 241039884, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Ewing Marion Kauffman School, MO, Application No. 241039867, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

Excelsior Village Academy, GA, Application No. 241039635, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Explore Academy ABQ, NM, Application No. 241039808, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Explore Academy – Peoria, AZ, Application No. 241039368, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

Falmouth Academy, MA, Application No. 241039811, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 28, 2024)

Farmersville School District, TX, Application No. 241039759, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Fowler Public Schools, MI, Application No. 241039673, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Girls Global Academy Public Charter School, DC, Application No. 241034471, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Golden Rule Charter School, TX, Application No. 241039715, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Greenwood County Library System, SC, Application No. 241039634, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Harborfields Central School District, NY, Application No. 241033869, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Harlingen Consolidated Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039707, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Hornbrook Elementary School District, CA, Application No. 241039630, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Igo-Ono-Platina Elementary School District, CA, Application No. 241033963, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Incarnation School, NY, Application No. 241039690, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Ingenuity Prep Public Charter School, DC, Application No. 241039494, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Inspire Development Centers, WA, Application No. 241033945, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Jarrell Independent School District, TX, Application Nos. 241039792, 241039154, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Kingston Library, NY, Application No. 241039374, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Kingston Library, NY, Application No. 241039377, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

LaPoynor Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039815, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Laurel County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039633, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Lewisville Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039788, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Lincoln County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039756, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Louisville Free Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039644, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 10, 2024)¹²

Louisville Free Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039877, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Lyford Consolidated Independent School District, TX, Application Nos. 241039776, 241039799, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

Lyndon Unified School District 421, KS, Application No. 241039847, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Lyndon Unified School District 421, KS, Application No. 241039848, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Madonna High School, WV, Application No. 241039366, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Marion County Library System, SC, Application No. 241039783, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

McCloud Union Elementary School District, CA, Application No. 241033939, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Menifee County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039780, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Morehouse Parish Library, LA, Application No. 241017276, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 5, 2024)

Mount Baker School District 507, WA, Application No. 241039872, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Muhlenberg County Libraries, KY, Application Nos. 241039770, 241039767, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Newtown-Harris School District R 3, MO, Application Nos. 241039583, 241034841, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)¹³

Nicholas County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039821, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

¹² The application number for Louisville Free Public Library was incorrect in a previous Public Notice. *See May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN*. We are now including the correct FCC Form 471 application number in this Public Notice.

¹³ Newtown-Harris School District R 3 inadvertently listed an incorrect application number in its waiver request. We are including the correct FCC Form 471 application number in this Public Notice.

North Brookfield School District, MA, Application No. 241039375, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)¹⁴

Northport Public Library, NY, Application No. 241039832, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 30, 2024)

North Side School d/b/a Circle Academy, NY, Application No. 241039119, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

North Valley Academy, NM, Application No. 241039654, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Northwest Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039910, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

Northwood Local School District, OH, Application No. 241039153, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Onondaga-Cortland-Madison BOCES, NY, Application Nos. 241039341, 241039325, 241039337, 241039333, 241039344, 241039292, 241039329, 241039334, 241039343, 241039299, 241039346, 241039338, 241039335, 241039308, 241039328, 241039296, 241039290, 241039893, 241039844, 241039909, 241039894, 241039915, 241039902, 241039904, 241039919, 241039908, 241039917, 241039898, 241039925, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024, duplicate filing Apr. 23, 2024)

ORION E-Rate Consortium, TX, Application No. 241039459, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

Orleans Parish School Board, LA, Application Nos. 241029757, 241029751, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

Our Lady of Good Counsel School, NJ, Application No. 241039141, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 28, 2024)

Owsley County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039791, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Plano Independent School District, TX, Application Nos. 241039719, 241039822 Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

Preston High School, NY, Application No. 241039625, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Prospect Mountain High School, NH, Application No. 241039584, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

¹⁴ We note that a separate representative from North Brookfield School District filed a waiver request April 3, 2024 for the same application number. That filing was resolved in a previous Public Notice. *See May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN.*

Redding Schools Consortium, CA, Application No. 241039390, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Reed City Area District Library, MI, Application No. 241027832, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Regional School District 20, CT, Application No. 241039632, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

Regional School District 20, CT, Application No. 241039823, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

Reicher Catholic High School, TX, Application No. 241039098, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 20, 2024)¹⁵

Renick School District R 5, MO, Application No. 241039489, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 5, 2024)

Responsive Education Solution, TX, Application No. 241039818, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

Rowan County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039775, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

San Felipe-Del Rio CISD, TX, Application Nos. 241039778, 241039819, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 10, 2024)

Scott County Public Library, KY, Application No. 241039592, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Sesser-Valier School District 196, IL, Application No. 241039247, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)¹⁶

Shepherd Christian School, OH, Application No. 241039539, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Sivells Bend Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241039710, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 10, 2024)

Southfield Public School, MI, Application No. 241039490, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Special Education Services, Inc., IL, Application No. 241039745, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

¹⁵ We note that Reicher Catholic High School filed a waiver request April 2, 2024 for the same application number. That filing was resolved in a previous Public Notice. *See May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN.*

¹⁶ We note that Sesser-Valier School District 196 filed a waiver request April 1, 2024 for the same application number. That filing was resolved in a previous Public Notice. *See May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN.*

St. Bartholomew Catholic Academy, NY, Application No. 241039744, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Bartholomew Catholic Academy, NY, Application No. 241039816, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Francis De Sales School, NY, Application No. 241039434, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Academy Brooklyn, NY, Application No. 241039364, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

St. Gabriel School, OH, Application No. 241039564, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

St. Joseph High School, PA, Application No. 241010988, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 28, 2024)

St. Kateri, NY, Application No. 241039645, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Laurence School, PA, Application No. 241039905, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

St. Leo Catholic Academy, NY, Application No. 241039764, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Margaret School, NY, Application No. 241039852, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Mark Elementary School, NC, Application No. 241039461, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

St. Nicholas Of Tolentine Catholic Academy, NY, Application No. 241039755, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Academy Of Queens, NY, Application No. 241039697, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Stevens County Rural Library District, WA, Application No. 241039212, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)¹⁷

Stockton Unified School District, CA, Application No. 241039853, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

The New Life Child Development Center, NY, Application No. 241039563, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

¹⁷ We note that Stevens County Rural Library District filed a waiver request April 1, 2024 for the same application number. That filing was resolved in a previous Public Notice. *See May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN.*

The Social Justice Public Charter School, DC, Application Nos. 241039699, 241039701, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Trinity Academy, NC, Application No. 241039824, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Trinity Lutheran School, MI, Application No. 241039642, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Triumph Public High School- Lubbock District, TX, Application No. 241039604, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 10, 2024)

Upper West Shore School District 33, MT, Application No. 241039648, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Wapakoneta City School District, OH, Application No. 241032121, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Wayne County Public Library, KY, Application Nos. 241039813, 241039810, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

West Salem School District, WI, Application No. 241038165, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Westwood Regional School District, NJ, Application No. 241034373, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Wildflower Open Classroom, CA, Application No. 241039752, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

William B. Harlan Memorial Library, KY, Application Nos. 241039836, 241039721, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Williamstown Independent School District, KY, Application No. 241032239, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Yeshiva Darchei Torah, NY, Application Nos. 241039198, 241039105, 241039185, 241039201, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Zion Evangelical Lutheran School, WI, Application No. 241039540, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

Zion Lutheran Church School, CA, Application No. 241033678, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Filed Less than 30 Days Late Due to Unexpected Illness*¹⁸

Paulsboro Public Schools, NJ, Application No. 241039941, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 30, 2024)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Filed More than 30 Days Late Due to Serious Illness*¹⁹

Little Falls School District 482, MN, Application No. 241040060, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

Robin Hill Elementary School, OK, Application No. 241040118, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications – Filed Within Reasonable Period Despite School Reorganization*²⁰

New Village Academy, MD, Application No. 241040052, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

New Village Academy, MD, Application No. 241040070, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

*Ministerial and/or Clerical Errors*²¹

City of Somerville, MA, Application No. 201032766, Request for Waiver and/or Review, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 26, 2023, supplemented Nov. 16, 2023)

Eastern Connecticut Regional Service Center, CT, Application No. 231031838, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 2, 2024)

Trinity Lutheran Grade School, WI, Application No. 221037462, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

*Ministerial and/or Clerical Errors — FRN Omitted from FCC Form 471 Application*²²

¹⁸ 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 of the FCC Form 471 application deadline where, for example, petitioners were delayed by an unexpected illness and still filed less than 30 days late).

¹⁹ See, e.g., *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Archdiocese of San Antonio et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism, Establishing Emergency Connectivity Fund to Close the Homework Gap*, CC Docket No. 02-6, WC Docket No. 21-93, Order, 37 FCC Rcd. 4879, 4882-83, para. 7-8 (2022) (*Archdiocese of San Antonio Order*) (granting waiver requests for applications filed more than 30 days after the close of the filing window due to serious medical conditions).

²⁰ 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 for petitioners who filed their FCC Form 471 applications within 14 days of the filing window deadline).

²¹ See, e.g., *Requests for Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Ann Arbor Public Schools*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 25 FCC Rcd at 17319, 17319-20, para. 2, nn. 7, 9, 12, 17, 20 (WCB 2010) (*Ann Arbor Public Schools Order*) (granting waivers where the applicant or USAC entered the date or FCC Form 470 number, category of service or mischaracterized a month-to-month service as by contract, or omitted service from source documents onto its FCC Form 471).

Freetown Lakeville Regional School District, MA, Application No. 241040085, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Gateway Community Action Partnership, NJ, Application No. 241040113, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

*Permitting Category Two Funding Change*²³

Branford Public Schools, CT, Application No. 181005582, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Dec. 18, 2018)

Fairfield School District 21 a/k/a Fairfield Public Schools, MT, Application No. 191027928, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Jan. 6, 2020)

Sacramento City Unified School District, CA, Application No. 171015016, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Nov. 9, 2018)

Tillery Charter, NC, Application No. 191030379, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Mar. 1, 2020)

*USAC Funding Denial Vague*²⁴

Appling County School District, GA, Application No. 685537, Request for Review and/or Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Aug. 4, 2014)

Appling County School District, GA, Application No. 633627, Request for Review and/or Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Aug. 4, 2014)

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²² See, e.g., *Requests for Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Archer Public Library et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 23 FCC Rcd 15518, 15521, n.19 (WCB 2008) (*Archer Public Library Order*) (permitting applicant to add a request omitted from its FCC Form 471, but included on its source list). These entities did not realize their funding requests were omitted until the FY 2024 application filing window had closed and it was too late to submit a Receipt Acknowledgment Letter (RAL) correction. We direct USAC to add these funding requests to the petitioners' timely-filed FY 2024 FCC Form 471 applications.

²³ Consistent with our obligation to conduct a *de novo* review of appeals of decisions made by USAC, we find merit in these appeals and remand them back to USAC for further review. See 47 CFR § 54.723. To the extent possible, and based on the facts and circumstances of these cases, USAC should work with these school districts to make modifications to their category two funding requests to bring the school districts within their allowable category two budgets.

²⁴ We remand these appeals to USAC to check its cost-effectiveness calculations and to provide adequate explanation of the basis of the funding denial. See *Petition for Reconsideration by Franklin County School District, Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket 02-6, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 14251, 14252, para. 2, n.13 (WCB 2011) (*Franklin County School District Order*) (remanding to USAC where vague language did not provide adequate explanation of denial).

*Waiver of Appeal Filing Deadline*²⁵

Fort Scott Unified School District 234, KS, Application No. 191021525, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Dec. 30, 2019)

Iglesia De Dios Pentecostal M.I., PR, Application No. 161039095, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed June 19, 2017)

Jackson Township SD, NJ, Application No. 1012363, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Mar. 8, 2021)

Granted in Part*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications*²⁶

St. Michael Indian School, AZ, Application Nos. 241039507, 241040135, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Denied*Ineligible Services*²⁷

Yonkers Public Schools, NY, Application Nos. 528953, 536082, 535576, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 21, 2011)²⁸

²⁵ See, e.g., *Requests for Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by ABC Unified School District*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 11019, para. 2 (WCB 2011) (*ABC Unified School District Order*) (granting waivers of appeal filing deadline when the petitioners submitted their appeals or waiver requests only a few days late or within a reasonable period of time after receiving actual notice of USAC's adverse decision). We make no finding on the underlying issues in these appeals and remand these applications to USAC to make a determination on the merits. See *supra* note 5.

²⁶ We grant St. Michael Indian School's request pertaining to FCC Form 471 Application No. 241039507. 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). However, we deny St. Michael Indian School's request pertaining to FCC Form 471 Application No. 241040135. 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).

²⁷ See *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by AllWays, Inc. (Prairie Hills School District 144); Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 27 FCC Rcd 1968, 1968-69, para. 1 (WCB 2012) (*AllWays, Inc. Order*) (upholding denials of funding requests for services that are not eligible for E-Rate support).

²⁸ One of the application numbers for Yonkers Public Schools was incorrect in a previous Public Notice. See *May 2024 USF Streamlined Resolution PN*. We are now including the correct FCC Form 471 application number in this Public Notice.

*Late-Filed FCC Form 471 Applications*²⁹

Baker County School District, FL, Application Nos. 241039958, 241039962, 241039959, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Bath County School District, VA, Application No. 241039992, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

Bicentennial Union High School District #76, AZ, Application Nos. 241039971, 241039972, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Birmingham Public Library, AL, Application No. 241040093, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Bloomfield School District R 14, MO, Application No. 241040124, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Briarwood Academy, GA, Application No. 241040142, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 10, 2024)

Burlington Public Library, CT, Application No. 241039982, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

Catholic School Region of Northwest & South Bronx, NY, Application No. 241033121, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

C. E. Brehm Memorial Library, IL, Application No. 241039995, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

Chicago Ridge Public Library, IL, Application No. 241040112, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Clinton Public School District, MS, Application No. 241040051, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Cole County R-V School District, MO, Application No. 241040030, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Colfax Mingo Community School District, IA, Application No. 241040045, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2026)

Collegiate Charter School of Lowell, MA, Application No. 241024183, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

County of Pope, AR, Application No. 241039984, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

²⁹ 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).

Del Norte Public Library, CO, Application No. 241031294, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 25, 2024)

Derby Neck Library, CT, Application No. 241040036, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

Earlimart Elementary School District, CA, Application No. 241039968, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

Eldorado School District 4, IL, Application No. 241039987, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Elk Valley Unified School District 283, KS, Application No. 241008305, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Fayette County School District, KY, Application No. 241040130, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

Fremont County School District #14, WY, Application No. 241040053, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

Gesu Catholic Elementary School, MI, Application No. 241039946, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

Grain Valley School Dist R 5, MO, Application No. 241039988, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 18, 2024)

Heritage Christian Schools, WI, Application No. 241039936, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Holy Angels Academy Inc., KY, Application No. 241040029, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Kennett Public Schools, MO, Application No. 241039977, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Kenosha Public Library, WI, Application No. 241040048, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

La Feria Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241040021, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 2, 2024)

Mannheim School District 83, IL, Application No. 241040002, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Mannheim School District 83, IL, Application No. 241040028, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Maple Heights City School District, OH, Application No. 241040116, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 10, 2024)

Metro Deaf School, MN, Application No. 241040022, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

Metropolitan Arts Institute, AZ, Application No. 241040122, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Mount Ayr Community School District, IA, Application No. 241008888, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 9, 2024)

Mountain School, AZ, Application No. 241040003, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

New Auburn School District, WI, Application No. 241040075, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 30, 2024)

New Hope Academy, MD, Application No. 241039996, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024, duplicate filing Apr. 24, 2024)

New York Mills Independent School District #553, MN, Application No. 241040125, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 8, 2024)

NLC Christian Academy, IL, Application Nos. 241040035, 241040034, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

North Brookfield School District, MA, Application No. 241040104, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

North Brookfield School District, MA, Application No. 241040105, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 6, 2024)

Northern Ozaukee School District, WI, Application No. 241040062, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

Northern Ozaukee School District, WI, Application No. 241040066, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

North Lakes Academy Upper School, MN, Application No. 241040067, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 1, 2024)

NYSARC, Inc., NYC Chapter (AHRC), NY, Application No. 241040025, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 23, 2024)

Onondaga-Cortland-Madison BOCES, NY, Application Nos. 241040019, 241040016, 241040020, 241040014, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

Pekin Community High School District 303, IL, Application No. 241037617, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 29, 2024)

Putnam School District, CT, Application Nos. 241040000, 241040004, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

Ranch Academy District, TX, Application No. 241039983, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Resurrection Christian School, CO, Application No. 241039980, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Rodeph Sholom Day School, NY, Application No. 241008625, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Sacred Heart Catholic School, MN, Application No. 241040154, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 14, 2024)

Salem School District, CT, Application No. 241039999, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 19, 2024)

School Association for Special Education in DuPage County, IL, Application No. 241040041, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 2, 2024)

Schuyler-Industry Community Unit School District 5, IL, Application No. 241008836, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 30, 2024)

Shining Star Christian Schools Capitol, WI, Application No. 241040098, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Shining Star Christian Schools – Fairview, WI, Application No. 241040099, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Shining Star Christian Schools – St. James, WI, Application No. 241040094, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Shining Star Christian Schools – St. James, WI, Application No. 241040096, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Smithton School District R 6, MO, Application No. 241039120, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

St. Catherine of Siena Catholic School, KS, Application No. 241039976, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

St. Francis Prep School, NY, Application No. 241040017, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 24, 2024)

St. Helen Elementary School, CA, Application No. 241039975, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 16, 2024)

St. Mary's School, MN, Application No. 241039985, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Sunnyside School District 201, WA, Application No. 241039989, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 30, 2024)

Texline Independent School District, TX, Application No. 241034181, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

The UCAP School, RI, Application No. 241039950, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

Troy School District #287, ID, Application No. 241039998, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 22, 2024)

Virtus Academy of South Carolina, SC, Application No. 241040026, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 3, 2024)

Warren City School District, OH, Application Nos. 241027407, 241026282, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 17, 2024)

Warsaw R-IX School District, MO, Application No. 241040120, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 7, 2024)

Wilkes County School District, GA, Application No. 241039963, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Apr. 15, 2024)

*Untimely Filed Appeals or Waiver Requests*³⁰

Clintonville Public School District, LA, Application No. 161003773, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed May 21, 2019)

Howard School, LA, Application No. 161032976, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Nov. 8, 2019)

Servants of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and of the Poor/Father Yermo Schools, TX, Application No. 161047763, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed July 8, 2022)

Union Chapel Christian Academy, AL, Application No. 161053380, Request for Waiver, CC Docket No. 02-6 (filed Mar. 17, 2022)

³⁰ 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 the Commission's rules; and (2) did not demonstrate special circumstances required for the Commission to waive the rule).

Each of these filings involve a denial and rescission of the entire funding request because the applicants requested more category two funds than were available in their five-year category two budgets. See 47 CFR § 54.502(b)(1) ("Each eligible school or library shall be eligible for a budgeted amount of support for category two services over a five-year funding cycle beginning the first funding year support is received."). While we deny these filings on procedural grounds, we direct USAC to recalculate the recovery based on the amount of funding that exceeded the applicant's category two budget and not reclaim the entire funding request amount. See, e.g., *Request for Review of a Decision of the Universal Service Administrator by Harrisburg City School District*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 31 FCC Rcd 13549, 13553, para. 14 (2016) (remanding to USAC to recalculate the correct recovery amount.).

Emergency Connectivity Fund Program
WC Docket No. 21-93

Dismissed as Moot – USAC Took Action Requested³¹

DuBois Integrity Academy, GA, Application No. ECF202100867, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 21-93 (filed Oct. 31, 2023)

Granted³²

*Early Delivery*³³

John W. Rex Charter School, OK, Application No. ECF202209789, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 21-93 (filed Apr. 9, 2024)

Sheridan School District 2, CO, Application No. ECF202204401, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 21-93 (filed Apr. 1, 2024)

St. Louis City School District, MO, Application No. ECF202200964, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 21-93 (filed May 8, 2024)

Village Tech School, TX, Application No. ECF202109546, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 21-93 (filed Mar. 21, 2024)

³¹ See, e.g., *Requests for Review and/or Requests for Waiver of the Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Al Noor High School et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 27 FCC Rcd 8223, 8224, para. 2 (WCB 2012) (*Al Noor High School Order*) (dismissing as moot requests for review where USAC had taken the action the petitioner requested).

³² See *supra* note 5. We also waive section 54.1711(d) of the Commission's rules and direct USAC to waive any procedural deadline that might be necessary to effectuate our ruling. See 47 CFR § 54.1711(d) (codifying the invoice filing deadline).

³³ See *Streamlined Resolution of Requests Related to Actions by the Universal Service Administrative Company*, CC Docket No. 02-6, WC Docket Nos. 21-93, 06-122, Public Notice, 37 FCC Rcd 7445, 7459 n.25 (WCB 2022) (granting requests for waivers for eligible equipment delivered before the start of the approved funding period).

*Waiver of ECF Special Construction Service Delivery Date*³⁴

A+ Partners in Education, WV, Application No. ECF222116734, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 21-93 (filed May 30, 2024)

Rural Health Care Program**WC Docket No. 02-60****Granted***Appeal Filing Deadline*³⁵

Munising Memorial Hospital, MI, Request for Review and/or Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. 20220010086 (filed May 24, 2023)

³⁴ 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) (waiving the 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). Consistent with the Commission's decision to adopt the similar appeal and waiver rules that govern all of the Universal Service Fund programs, including the E-Rate program, and to leverage existing E-Rate processes and forms in the Emergency Connectivity Fund program, we rely on E-Rate program precedent to resolve this petition for waiver of the Emergency Connectivity Fund program rules. We waive the network construction service delivery deadline and direct USAC to set a new service delivery deadline of June 30, 2025, and adjust any associated administrative or procedural deadlines, including the invoice deadline, that might be necessary to effectuate our ruling. We also waive any associated administrative or procedural deadlines that might be necessary to effectuate our ruling. While the COVID-19 emergency has ended and we are approaching the June 30, 2024 sunset date of the ECF program, we recognize the substantial amount of work that has already gone into completing this project in a timely manner, but was hindered by delays that could not have been anticipated. We further recognize that denying funding may lead to further delays in connecting these students, school staff, and library patrons. Therefore, we find this waiver is warranted by the special circumstances and is in the public interest to allow A+ Partners to complete construction and connect their students, school staff, and library patrons with ongoing unmet remote learning needs.

Because the ECF program is sunsetting on June 30, 2024, participants are statutorily required to "purchase" eligible equipment and/or services by no later than that date in order to be eligible for reimbursement through the ECF program. See H.R. 1319, tit. VII, § 7402(a) and (d)(5)(B). The Commission cannot waive or extend this date to provide applicants with additional time to purchase eligible equipment and/or services beyond June 30, 2024. Here, the applicant indicates that purchase has been made because it has entered into a mutually binding agreement with its service provider to perform and provide the services and the service provider may complete construction, file reimbursement requests, and receive ECF disbursements after June 30, 2024 subject to the new service delivery deadline. We further note that the applicant will need to provide recurring services to its students, school staff, and/or library patrons with unmet needs prior to June 30, 2025.

³⁵ See, e.g., *Request for Review of a Decision of the Universal Service Administrator by Sundale Elementary School District; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 29 FCC Rcd 4124 (WCB 2014) (*Sundale Elementary School District Order*) (finding that an appeal filed to USAC was timely and remanding that appeal to USAC that was timely filed). We remand this appeal to USAC and make no finding as to the substantive matters addressed in the appeal.

*Late-Filed FCC Form 462 or 466 Applications – Filed Within 14 Days of the Close of the Window*³⁶

Boone Health Consortium, MO, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, FCC Form 461 Nos. RHC46100010958, RHC46100010959, RHC46100010960, RHC46100010961 (filed April 29, 2024)³⁷

Claiborne County Hospital, MS, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. RHC20240016247 (filed May 9, 2024)

Family Health La Clinica De Los Campesinos, WI, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, No Funding Request Number (filed May 1, 2023)

Mental Health Services for Mariposa County, CA, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request Nos. RHC20230025920, RHC20230025919, RHC20230018506, RHC20230018505, RHC20230018504, RHC202300018503, RHC20220009016, RHC20220009015, RHC20220009013, RHC20220009006 (filed May 2, 2023)

North Olympic Healthcare Network Consortium, WA, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. RHC20240016009 (filed May 9, 2024)

Roger Mills Memorial Hospital, OK, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. RHC20240016248 (filed May 9, 2024)

*Service Substitution*³⁸

UAMS E-Link Network, AR, Request for Review, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. RHC20220011479 (filed Nov. 2, 2023)

³⁶ See *Requests for Waiver by Bartlett Regional Hospital et al.*, WC Docket No. 02-60, Order, DA 24-366, 2024 WL 1715367, at *3, para. 8 (WCB Apr. 18, 2024) (*Bartlett Regional Hospital Order*) (granting a waiver of the application filing deadline when the application was filed within 14 days of the deadline and administration of the RHC Program was minimally affected). 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. In remanding these applications to USAC, we make no finding as to the ultimate eligibility of the services or the petitioners' applications.

³⁷ Boone Health Consortium (Boone) styled its request as a petition to waive the competitive bidding rules. Because Boone in effect seeks waiver of the deadline to apply for funding year 2024 support, we instead treat its submission as a request to waive the application filing deadline.

³⁸ See *Requests for Waiver of Sections 54.504(c), 54.504(f), 54.507(c), and 54.507(g) of the Commission's Rules, State of Louisiana Department of Education et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 25 FCC Rcd 1653, 1662, para. 17 (2010) (granting service substitution requests meeting the regulatory requirements for service substitutions). See also 47 CFR § 54.623 (allowing service substitutions in the RHC Program when (1) the substitution is provided for in the contract, within the change clause, or constitutes a minor modification; (2) the site is an eligible health care provider and the service is an eligible service under the Telecommunications Program or the Healthcare Connect Fund Program; (3) the substitution does not violate any contract provision or state, Tribal, or local procurement laws; and (4) the requested change is within the scope of the controlling Request for Services, including any applicable RFP used in the competitive bidding process); *Request for Waiver by GCI Communication Corp. and Southcentral Foundation*, WC Docket No. 02-60, 35 FCC Rcd 5872, 5874, paras. 6-7 (granting a waiver to allow a service substitution in the RHC Program and noting that the service substitution would have met the requirements for a service substitution under section 54.624 of the Commission's rules had that provision been effective during the relevant time period). We grant the petitioner's substitution of its 10 Gbps service for the 20 Gbps service at issue in its appeal.

*Waiver of the 60-Day Appeal Deadline*³⁹

Hot Spot Broadband, Inc., NV, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request Nos. 17250061, 17250081, 17250091, 17250111, 17250151, 17250171, 17250191, 17250211, 17250241, 17250271, 17250281, 17250321 (filed June 29, 2023)

*Waiver of the Invoice Filing Deadline*⁴⁰

Arkwest Communications, Inc., AR, (Chambers Memorial – Plainview Clinic and Chambers Memorial Hospital d/b/a Havana Clinic), Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request Nos. 2073197, 2072637 (filed April 5, 2022)

Northwest Hospital Alliance, ID, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. 21169021 (filed May 9, 2024)⁴¹

Zones LLC (Memorial Health Center and Carondelet Health Center), NY, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Funding Request No. RHC20220011141 (filed April 22, 2024)⁴²

Denied*Application Filing Deadline*⁴³

Shenandoah Community Health – Behavioral Health, WV, Request for Waiver, WC Docket No. 02-60, Application Nos. RHC46100005659, RHC46100005665 (filed June 5, 2023);

³⁹ See, e.g., *Requests for Review and/or Waiver of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by ABC Unified School District et al.; Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 11019, 11019, para. 2 (WCB 2011) (granting waivers of filing deadline for appeals because the petitioners submitted their appeals or waiver requests only a few days late or within a reasonable period of time after receiving actual notice of USAC’s adverse decision, or the reasons were “the result of clerical, ministerial, or procedural errors, or were due to circumstances beyond their control”).

⁴⁰ See *Requests for Waiver or Review of Decision of the Universal Service Administrator by Indiana Telehealth Network*, WC Docket No. 02-60, Order, 33 FCC Rcd 12341, 12342, para. 4 (WCB 2018) (granting a waiver of the invoice filing deadline when the petitioner missed the deadline due to technical issues outside of its control) (*Indiana Telehealth Network Order*). We waive the petitioners’ invoice filing deadlines and allow them 120 days from the release of this Public Notice to file invoices.

⁴¹ *Requests for Waiver and Review of Decisions of the Universal Service Administrator by Abbotsford School District Abbotsford, Wisconsin, et al.*, CC Docket No. 02-6, Order, 27 FCC Rcd 15299, 15300, para. 2 (WCB 2012) (waiver of invoice filing deadline due to delays beyond the control of the entities requesting a waiver). We waive the petitioners’ invoice filing deadlines and allow them 120 days from the release of this Public Notice to file invoices.

⁴² See *Indiana Telehealth Network Order*, 33 FCC Rcd 12341. We waive the petitioners’ invoice filing deadlines and allow them 120 days from the release of this Public Notice to file invoices.

⁴³ See *Bartlett Regional Hospital Order*, 2024 WL 1715367, at *3; *Request for Review of the Decision 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, 25 FCC Rcd 9256, 9261-62 (denying requests to waive application filing deadline filed more than 14 days after the filing deadline and absent special circumstances warranting a waiver of the deadline). Shenandoah Community Health – Behavioral Health (Shenandoah) requested a waiver of the funding year 2023 application filing deadline 35 days after the filing deadline and offered no special circumstances supporting its waiver request. We therefore deny Shenandoah’s untimely request to waive the application filing deadline.

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