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## LIFELINE BASIC UNIVERSAL SERVICE OFFERING OF AMERIMEX COMMUNICATION CORP.

The following contains a detailed description of Amerimex Communication Corp.'s ("Amerimex") Lifeline Basic Universal Service (LBUS) initial offering in Colorado.

### A. <u>AMERIMEX'S LBUS OFFERING</u>

Amerimex's LBUS Offering includes the following services required under 47 C.F.R. § 54.101(a) and 4 CCR 723-2-2308(a):

- 1. Access to Public Switched Telephone Network and Local Usage.

  Amerimex's service includes voice grade access to the public switched telephone network or its functional equivalent and minutes of use for local service without additional charge to the end user.
- 2. <u>Access to Emergency Service</u>. Customers of Amerimex's LBUS Offering will be able to reach a public safety answering point by dialing "911" regardless of activation status. Amerimex will provide its Lifeline customers with 911 and E911 compliant handsets and replace non-compliant handsets at no additional charge.
- 3. <u>Toll Limitation</u>. Amerimex's LBUS Plans are not offered on a distance-sensitive basis and minutes are not charged separately for local or domestic long distance services. Prepaid offerings, by their very construct, act as a toll limitation mechanism.
- 4. <u>Lifeline Services</u>. Qualified low income customers shall receive the equivalent value of \$9.25 per month.<sup>1</sup>
- 5. <u>Hearing Impaired.</u> Amerimex will make available services for the hearing impaired. Customers may contact Amerimex for more information.

<sup>1</sup> Nothing in this Paragraph A(4) shall modify Amerimex's agreement in the Stipulation to remit and pay the prepaid wireless E911 charges as set forth in the Stipulation and Settlement and required by C.R.S. § 29-11-102.5.

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### B. AMERIMEX

### THE PRICING FOR AMERIMEX'S LBUS OFFERING

- 1. Amerimex will pass the entire federal subsidy in the form of free usage or a Lifeline discount to eligible Lifeline customers.
- 2. Retail calling plans are pay in advance offerings and do not require the customer to sign a contract.
- 3. Long distance, nationwide calls are included at no additional charge for calls made within the United States.
- 4. Federal and state universal service assessments are imposed separately. Amerimex shall remit and pay the Colorado High Cost charge at the rate then in effect, on all intrastate retail voice minute revenues (calculated based on the safe harbor percentage established by the FCC then in effect, currently 62.9 percent intrastate) from voice minutes above 300 minutes.
- 5. Customers will not be required to enter into a long-term service contract.
- 6. Customers will not be required to pay a number change fee for a change of wireless telephone number initiated at the request of the customer.
- 7. Customers will be charged the replacement cost based on the value of the handset, associated with lost, stolen or damaged handsets.
- 8. Customers will be charged airtime only for each directory assistance call.
- 9. Customers will not be assessed roaming charges for areas listed in Amended Exhibit 2.

# C. THE AREAS IN WHICH AMERIMEX'S LBUS OFFERINGS ARE AVAILABLE AND THE CORRESPONDING LOCAL CALLING AREAS

Amerimex's LBUS Offering is available to customers within the exchanges in which Amerimex has been designated as an ETC. Amerimex shall not offer its LBUS Plans in exchanges other than those listed in Amended Exhibit 2 to the Stipulation. Amerimex shall file an application with the Commission if it expands its footprint to exchanges not listed in Amended Exhibit 2.

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## D. <u>AMERIMEX'S LBUS PLAN</u>

Amerimex shall provide the following LBUS Plan to eligible Lifeline customers:

Plan	Voice and Text	Data (MB)	Retail Price	Lifeline Discount	Net Cost to Lifeline Customer
LBUS Plan #1	250 units and 3:1 (3 texts = 1 unit)	Blocked	\$9.25	\$9.25	\$0.00
LBUS Plan #2	1,000 voice units and unlimited domestic text messaging	100 MB	\$30.00	\$9.25	\$20.75

**Voice:** 1 minute = 1 unit

Text: each text message =  $\frac{1}{3}$  unit

## All Plans include the following:

- Free phone
- Free calls to 911 emergency services
- Free calls to Customer Service
- Free Voicemail, Caller-ID, Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, and 3-Way Calling
- Free Domestic Long Distance
- Free Directory Assistance (Airtime voice minutes deducted)

### **Additional Minutes**

Additional airtime is available by purchasing another Lifeline plan at retail price as listed above. However, the Lifeline discount will only be applied once per month for eligible Lifeline subscribers.