DOCKET NUMBER: CC Docket No. 02-6
E-RATE Applicant Billed Entity Number: 131931 PELLA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Contact Information: Christopher Brown
603 Main St.
Pella, IA 50219
641-628-4268
cbrown@cityofpella.com

Problem and reason for appeal: Service provider twice failed to certify, causing BEAR funding requests for FY 14-15 to be denied and causing deadline for requesting and receiving BEAR funds to expire. We are now unable to request reimbursement for BEAR funds even though the service provider is finally certified.

Relief sought through this appeal: We request an extension of the BEAR application deadline so that we may successfully request reimbursement of BEAR funds for FY 14-15.
Universal Service for Schools and Libraries

Please read instructions before completing. (To be completed by schools, libraries, or consortia.)

BILLED ENTITY APPLICANT REIMBURSEMENT FORM

For reimbursement of discounts on approved services already paid for by the Billed Entity Applicant.

Only one Service Provider Identification Number (SPIN) per form.

Must be completed and signed by the Billed Entity Applicant and signed by the relevant service provider.

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July 2013
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Contact Name: Christopher Brown  Contact Telephone Number: 641-628426815
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Applicant Form Identifier __

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16. Date  7/6/2015

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19. Telephone number of authorized person  641-6284268

20. Address of authorized person  603 MAIN ST, PELLA IA 50219

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**Applicant Form Identifier** __

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24. Title or position of authorized person

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Name **Christopher Brown**

Title **Assistant Library Director**

Street Address

603 Main St

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FCC Form 472

July 2013
Form 472 (BEAR) Notification Letter

October 2, 2015

Steve Norris
Local Internet Service Company
1680 Hwy 1 Ste 1500
Fairfield, IA 52556

Re: Invoice Number - as assigned by USAC: 2202054
Service Provider Identification Number: 143009917
Reimbursement Form Number:
Billed Entity Number: 131931

Christopher Brown
PELLA PUBLIC LIBRARY
603 MAIN STREET
PELLA, IA 50219

Preferred Mode of Contact: E-mail at cbrown@cityofpella.com
Total Amount of Reimbursement Approved for Payment: $0.00

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Schools and Libraries Division
Universal Service Administrative Company

CC: PELLA PUBLIC LIBRARY
Form 471 Application Number: 944824
Funding Request Number: 2573116
Funding Year 2014: 07/01/2014 - 06/30/2015
Contract Number: MTM
Funding Commitment Decision: $552.84
Reimbursement Amount for this FRN: $0.00
Reimbursement Request Decision Explanation:
Service Provider Not Certified;
Universal Service for Schools and Libraries

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(Billed Entity Applicant Reimbursement Form)

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**Billed Entity Applicant Reimbursement Form**

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**Contact Name**  Christopher Brown  **Contact Telephone Number**  641-628426815

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Fairfield, IA 52556

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