

December 19, 2024

Secretary of the Commission Arkansas Public Service Commission 1000 Center Street Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: Arkansas High-Cost Fund (ARHCF) Assessment Rate Change

Docket No. 97-393 A

Secretary of the Commission:

Enclosed is the announcement to all telecommunications carriers offering intrastate services in the State of Arkansas, notifying them that the assessment rate for 2025 will change. Effective February 1, 2025, the ARHCF assessment rate will decrease, from 13.25% to 11.92%.

The decrease in assessment rate is due to the changes in the annual support provided by the ARHCF for 2025.

Thank you,

Wendy Harper

Vantage Point Solutions, Inc.

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Arkansas High-Cost Fund Administrator

Encl.



December 20, 2024

To: All Arkansas High Cost Fund Participants

Re: Arkansas High Cost Fund – 2025 Assessment Rate Change

Effective February 1, 2025 and until further notice, the Arkansas High Cost Fund (AHCF) assessment rate will decrease from 13.25% to **11.92%.**

The decrease in assessment rate is due to the changes in the annual support provided by the AHCF for 2025.

This change will automatically be reflected in the Vantage Point USF Solutions AHCF E-File system.

If you have any questions, please contact us via email at ahcf@vantagepnt.com or via phone at (217) 862-1519.

Sincerely,

Nicole Stephens

Vantage Point Solutions AHCF Administrator