



Missouri USF Lifeline support is \$16.75 for all Lifeline subscribers or a total of \$24 from federal and state programs. As demonstrated in its November 18, 2019 filing, *Staff's Notice Regarding Recommendation*, there are different combinations of federal and state lifeline support amounts that when combined will ensure a total support amount of \$24 for each Lifeline subscriber. That table is reproduced here for the Commission's reference.

### **VOICE + QUALIFYING\* BROADBAND**

	<b>Current</b>	<b>Effect of Staff's Recommendation</b>
Federal Lifeline Support	\$9.25	\$9.25
State Lifeline Support	\$6.50	\$14.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$15.75</b>	<b>\$24.00</b>

\*Broadband speed equal to/or greater than 20/3

### **VOICE-ONLY OR VOICE + NON-QUALIFYING\* BROADBAND**

	<b>Current</b>	<b>Effect of Staff's Recommendation</b>
Federal Lifeline Support	\$9.25	\$7.25
State Lifeline Support	\$6.50	\$16.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$15.75</b>	<b>\$24.00</b>

\*Broadband speed less than 20/3

4. It is not clear whether the Commission intended for all Lifeline subscribers to receive the total of \$24 in combined federal/state support, or if the Commission intended for the Missouri USF Lifeline support to be \$16.75 for all Lifeline subscribers, no matter the combined outcome.

5. Staff further requests the Commission clarify that, although the assessment is suspended effective 1/1/2020, providers are required to remit to the fund administrator any assessments collected through 12/31/2019, no matter the providers' remittance cycle.

**WHEREFORE**, Staff prays that the Commission will accept its *Motion*; clarify its *Order*, and grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 22nd day of November, 2019, to all counsel of record.

**/s/Whitney Payne** \_\_\_\_\_