Welch LLP®

Billing and Collection Agent Report For period ending October 31, 2016 To NANC

December 1, 2016

NANPA FUND STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION October 31, 2016

Assets

Cash Balance in bank account		\$	5,058,895
Receivable from US Carriers	266,807		
Receivable from Canada	9,741		
Receivable from Caribbean countries	21,450		
Receivables forwarded to Treasury for collection	47,852		
Allowance for uncollectible accounts	(83,400)	-	262,450
Total assets			5,321,345
Less: Accrued liabilities (see below for makeup)			(629,194)
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Fund balance		<u>\$</u>	4,692,151
Fund balance Makeup of Accrued Liabilities		<u>\$</u>	4,692,151
	28,336	<u>\$</u>	4,692,151
Makeup of Accrued Liabilities	28,336 353,567	<u>\$</u>	4,692,151
Makeup of Accrued Liabilities Welch LLP	•	\$	4,692,151
Makeup of Accrued Liabilities Welch LLP NEUSTAR Pooling 1K Block	353,567	\$	4,692,151
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Invoices for the 2016/17 funding period which runs from October 1, 2016 to September 30, 2017 were emailed/mailed on September 12 and 13th. Invoices are due October 12, 2016.

There are three change orders issued by NeuStar for payment in October. Change order #3a for \$95,200 for Pooling Administration is for Specifications for API. The other two change orders were for NANPA. Change order #3 for NANP Administration System (NAS) NRUF updates in the amount of \$31,447.68 and change order #6 for \$22,600 regarding NAS to Cloud.

NANPA FUND FORECASTED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE OCTOBER 2016 TO SEPTEMBER 2017

													Variance between			
		Actual	<u> </u>		1			Budget								forecasted results
		Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17	Apr-17	May-17	Jun-17	Jul-17	Aug-17	Sep-17	Total	Budget	and budget at Sept 30/17
Revenue International Contributions																
Canada Caribbean countries	(1) (1)	19,483 24,439	9,742	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	<u> </u>	116,894 24,439	116,894 24,439	<u>-</u>
Total International Contributions		43,922	9,742	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	9,741	-	141,333	141,333	-
Domestic Contributions - US carriers	(1)	4,440,157	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	142,291	-	5,863,067	5,775,123	87,944
Late filing fees for Form 499A	(2)	2,300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80,000	82,300	80,000	2,300
Interest income	(3)	470	417	417	417	417	417	417	417	416	416	416	416	5,053	5,000	53
Total revenue		4,486,849	152,450	152,449	152,449	152,449	152,449	152,449	152,449	152,448	152,448	152,448	80,416	6,091,753	6,001,456	90,297
<u>Expenses</u>																
NANPA Administration	(4)	241,963	189,864	289,864	189,864	189,864	189,864	189,864	189,864	189,864	195,561	195,560	202,122	2,454,118	2,425,461	28,657
1K Block Pooling	(5)	353,567	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,988	3,202,445	3,107,867	94,578
Billing and Collection																
Welch LLP Data Collection Agent	(6) (7)	28,336 5,806	31,169 5,328	31,169 7,508	31,169 5,754	371,195 70,428	374,028 69,950	(2,833) 478								
Annual Operations Audit	(8)	-	-	-	47,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	0,701	3,731	47.000	47,000	
Bank Charges	(9)	4.132	3,084	3,084	3.084	3.083	3.083	3.083	3.083	3.083	3.083	3.083	3,083	38.048	37,000	1,048
Carrier Audits	(10)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300,000	-	-	-	-	300,000	300,000	-
Bad debt expense	(11)	(5,648)	3,334	3,334	3,334	3,333	3,333	3,333	3,333	3,333	3,333	3,333	3,333	31,018	40,000	(8,982)
Total expenses		628,156	491,768	593,948	539,194	492,192	492,192	492,192	792,192	492,192	497,889	497,888	504,449	6,514,252	6,401,306	112,946
Net revenue (expenses)		3,858,693 (339,318) (441,499) (386,745) (339,743) (339,743) (339,743) (639,743) (339,744) (345,441) (345,440) (424,033) (422,499) (399,850)	(22,649)
Opening fund balance		833,458	4,692,151	4,352,833	3,911,334	3,524,589	3,184,846	2,845,103	2,505,360	1,865,617	1,525,873	1,180,432	834,992	833,458	899,850	(66,392)
Closing fund balance		4,692,151	4,352,833	3,911,334	3,524,589	3,184,846	2,845,103	2,505,360	1,865,617	1,525,873	1,180,432	834,992	410,959	410,959	500,000	(89,041)
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Fund balance makeup: Contingency		500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	
Surplus		4,192,151	3,852,833	3,411,334	3,024,589	2,684,846	2,345,103	2,005,360	1,365,617	1,025,873	680,432	334,992 (89,041) <mark>(</mark>	89,041)	<u> </u>	
		4,692,151	4,352,833	3,911,334	3,524,589	3,184,846	2,845,103	2,505,360	1,865,617	1,525,873	1,180,432	834,992	410,959	410,959	500,000	

Assumptions:

- (1) The US carrier contributions for the period from October 2016 to September 2017 and the International contributions are based upon actual billings.
- (2) These fees represent the \$100 late filing fee charged to those companies that do not file the Form 499A by the due date.
- (3) Interest income projections are estimates
- (4) The cost of NANP administration is based on the contract in force until June 2017. Estimates are used for July to September 2017. \$130,000 is also added for potential change orders anticipated to be issued by Sep 2017.
- (5) The cost for 1K Block Pooling Administration is based on the contract in force until July 14, 2017. Estimates based on the existing contract amounts are used for July 15, 2017 to September 30, 2017.
- (6) The cost of B&C Agent is based on the current interim contract with Welch LLP in force until December 31, 2016 plus 10% as recommended by the FCC.
- (7) The expense for the Data Collection Agent is based on estimate of costs by USAC.
- (8) The expense for the annual operations audit performed by Ernst & Young LLP is based on the quote given.
- (9) Bank fees are an expense to the Fund.
- (10) The budget allowed \$300,000 for carrier audits.
- (11) The allowance covers all accounts considered potentially uncollectible at October 31, 2016.

Reconciliation of forecast at September 30, 2017 to budget

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Budgeted fund balance at September 30, 2017 - contingency	500,000
Decrease in fund balance between budget period	(66,392)
Additional billings over estimate from budget	87,944
Late filing fees (reversal) for Form 499A	2,300
Underestimate of interest earned to date compared to budget	53
NANP Admin - difference between budget and actual contract awarded due to variable travel costs	(6,157)
NANP Admin - change orders issued	(22,500)
Additional billings from B & C Agent due to renewal of contract	2,833
Data Collection fees - Adjustment to actual from budget	(478)
Bad debts - Adjustment to actual from budget IK Block Pooling - difference between budget and actual contract awarded due to	8,982
variable travel costs	622
Pooling change orders	(95,200)
Carrier audits that will not be performed	-
Operations Audit - Adjustment to actual from budget	-
Bank fees - Adjustment to actual from budget	(1,048)
Forecasted fund balance at September 30, 2017	410,959

CURRENT AND FORECASTED LIABILITIES

					Current						
					Oct-16	<u>Nov-16</u>	Dec-16	<u>Jan-17</u>	Feb-17	<u>Mar-17</u>	<u>Apr-17</u>
NEUSTAR - NANPA A	dministration contract				241,963	189,864	289,864	189,864	189,864	189,864	189,864
- Payment authorized b	by the FCC in October September 2016	\$	188,646								
- Authorization by the	e FCC has not been received for payment										
	October 2016 (includes change order #6) Change order #3			\$ 210,516 \$ 31,447 \$ 241,963							
NEUSTAR - Block Poo	oling			Ψ 241,000	353,567	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989	258,989
- Payment authorized b	by the FCC in October September 2016	\$	254,314								
- Authorization by the	e FCC has not been received for payment										
·	October 2016 Change order #3a			\$ 258,367 95,200 353,567							
Welch LLP - Billing &	Collection Agent				28,336	31,169	31,169	31,169	31,169	31,169	31,169
- Payment authorized b	by the FCC in October										
	September 2016	\$	28,336								
- Authorization by the	e FCC has not been received for payment October 2016										
				\$ 28,336							
USAC - Data Collection - Payment authorized by					5,328	5,328	7,508	5,754	5,754	5,754	5,754
	August 2016										
	September 2016	\$ \$	5,328 4,850 10,178								
- Authorization by the	e FCC has not been received for payment October			\$ 5,328							
Carrier audits					-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ernst & Young LLP- A	Annual operations audit					-	-	47,000			
Bank Fees						3,084	3,084	3,084	3,083	3,083	3,083
Total					629,194	488,434	590,614	535,860	488,859	488,859	488,859
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Deliverables Report

Distributing invoices

The monthly invoices for carriers were emailed on October 12th.

Processing Payments

Payment information from the lockbox service at Mellon Bank is downloaded on a daily basis. The deposit information is recorded daily.

Late/Absent Payments

Statement of accounts were emailed and mailed on October 3rd to carriers with outstanding balances greater than \$10.

FCC Red Light Notices

At a minimum, an updated red light report is posted to the FCC server for processing once a week. When required, additional updates are posted. Carriers who had not paid their annual invoice by October 17th were put on the Red Light system on October 18th.

Helpdesk Queries

All queries are directed to a helpdesk voicemail inbox or email inbox. The details of the query are documented in an Access database. The date, Filer ID, nature of query, name of person making the request, who responded to query and on what date and the date of resolution is tracked in the database. Queries are returned within 1 business day or less. In October 197 calls and 378 emails were received. Most queries were about requesting copies of invoices, how to make changes to their email billing address, notification about closing their business, asking what the invoice was for or asking how to make a payment. The volume of queries are higher as a result of the annual billing that occurred in September as well as the USAC notification to carriers that they were in Red Light status.

Staffing Changes

No new staffing changes to report since last month.

Contract Renewal

The contract expired October 1, 2009. Welch LLP is on the USGSA list. Welch LLP received an extension contract that runs until December 31, 2016.

Accounts Receivable

We received \$142.54 from Treasury in October for debts collected.