

July 15, 2011

Betty McCauley, Secretary  
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: In the Matter of the Application of Fort Jennings Telephone Company to Detariff Services and Make Other Changes Related to the Implementation of Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD PUCO, Case No. 11-2949-TP-ATA, TRF Docket No. 90-5020-TP-TRF

Dear Ms. McCauley:

Attached are nine (9) revised pages to be filed on behalf of Fort Jennings Telephone Company in the above-referenced matter. Please replace the sheets originally filed on May 16, 2011 in this matter with the sheets attached hereto.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Carolyn S. Flahive  
Carolyn S. Flahive

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EXPANDED SERVICE AREA (Continued)

RATES AND CHARGES

A. Application: The following rates and charges apply to services as listed within this tariff:

1. BUSINESS SERVICES

Business Line Recurring and Non Recurring Charges

		<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Non</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
		<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Non</u>
		<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge*</u>	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Recurring</u>
				<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>

Customers may choose from either of the two following plans:

1)	Primary Line (includes touch tone dialing)	\$31.95	\$85.00	\$39.95	\$100.00
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Includes local calling to the Delphos, Fort Jennings, Kalida, Ottoville, Cloverdale, Rimer-Gomer, Elida, Lima, Spencerville, Venedocia, Middle Point, Van Wert, Ottawa, Cairo, and Vaughnsville exchanges.

2)	Primary Line (includes touch tone dialing)	\$25.95	\$85.00	\$33.95	\$100.00
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Includes local calling to the Delphos, Fort Jennings, Kalida, Ottoville, Cloverdale, and Rimer-Gomer exchanges.

\* All non-recurring charges on this page apply to installation on a per line basis and may be waived at the Company's discretion.

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EXPANDED SERVICE AREA (Continued)

RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

- A. Application: The following rates and charges apply to services as listed within this tariff:  
(Continued)

2. RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Residential Line Recurring and Non Recurring Charges

	<u>Monthly Recurring Charge</u>	<u>Non Recurring Charge*</u>	<u>Maximum Monthly Recurring Charge</u>	<u>Maximum Non Recurring Charge</u>
a. <u>Customers with a 419-286-xxxx Telephone Number</u>				
First Line (includes touch tone dialing)	\$13.95	\$60.00	\$22.05	\$75.00

Includes local calling to the Delphos, Fort Jennings, Kalida, Ottoville, Cloverdale, and Rimer-Gomer exchanges.

b. <u>Customers with a telephone number consistent with the rate center where the customer is located may choose from either of the two following plans:</u>				
1) First Line (includes touch tone dialing)	\$19.95	\$60.00	\$28.05	\$75.00

Includes local calling to the Delphos, Fort Jennings, Kalida, Ottoville, Cloverdale, Rimer-Gomer, Elida, Lima, Spencerville, Venedocia, Middle Point, Van Wert, Ottawa, Cairo, and Vaughnsville exchanges.

2) First Line and Add'l. Lines (includes touch tone dialing)	\$13.95	\$60.00	\$22.05	\$75.00
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Includes local calling to the Delphos, Fort Jennings, Kalida, Ottoville, Cloverdale, and Rimer-Gomer exchanges.

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SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES

Charges for Service Connections and Restoral of Service

The following non-recurring charges apply:

	<u>Residence</u>	<u>Business</u>
1. Each initial connection of a line	\$15.00	Time and Material
2. Re-establishment of suspended service	\$10.00	\$10.00

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE FACILITIES

1. Tone Dial  
This service, more commonly known as touch-tone service, is included in the Private Access Line rates set forth in Section 1 of this tariff. Customers with rotary dial service will be grandfathered and will receive a credit of \$1.00 toward their monthly Private Access Line rate. However, any subsequent change to service made by such a grandfathered customer will result in the loss of the grandfathering exception and will require that customer to upgrade to touch-tone service.
2. Calling Number Delivery Blocking (Per Call Blocking)  
Allows the customer to prevent the disclosure of his telephone number to a called party by dialing \*67 from a touch-tone phone or 1167 from a rotary dial phone. This service is provided on a universal basis, where technically possible, at no monthly charge. All public and semi-public payphones in the Company's service area will be equipped with Per Call Blocking.

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

A. APPLICATION

The rules and regulations specified herein apply to the provisions of BLES as defined in Section 1, Sheet No. 1 herein.

In the event of a conflict between any rates, rules, regulation or provision contained in these General Rules and Regulations and any rate, rule regulation or provision contained in the other section of this BLES Tariff, the rate, rule, regulation or provision contained in the specific section of this Tariff shall prevail.

B. OBLIGATION AND LIABILITY OF TELEPHONE COMPANY

1. Availability of Facilities

The Telephone Company's obligation to furnish exchange service is dependent upon its ability to secure and retain, without unreasonable expense, suitable facilities and rights in the construction and maintenance of the necessary pole lines, buried facilities, circuits and equipment.

2. Transmitting Messages

The Telephone Company does not transmit messages but offers the use of its facilities for communications between patrons. If because of transmission difficulties, the operator, in order to accommodate the subscriber, repeats messages, she is deemed to be acting as the agent of the persons involved and no liability shall attach to the Telephone Company because of any errors made by the operator or misunderstanding that may arise between subscribers because of the errors.

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)

B. OBLIGATION AND LIABILITY OF TELEPHONE COMPANY (Continued)

3. Use of Connecting Company Lines

When suitable arrangements can be made, lines of other telephone companies may be used in establishing wire connections to points not reached by this Company's lines. In establishing connections with the lines of other companies, the Telephone Company is not responsible for any action of the Connecting Company.

4. Defacement of Premises

The Telephone Company shall exercise due care in connection with all work done on subscriber's premises. No liability shall attach to the Telephone Company by reason of any defacement or damage to the subscriber premises resulting from the existence of the Telephone Company's associated wiring on such premises, or by the installation or removal thereof, unless such defacement or damage is the result of the sole negligence of the Telephone Company.

C. USE OF SERVICE AND FACILITIES

1. Ownership and Use of Equipment

Lines (other than inside wiring) furnished by the Telephone Company on the premises of a subscriber are the property of the Telephone Company. The Company, its agents, or its employees shall have the right to enter upon a customer's (subscriber's) premises during normal working hours only as may be required to make repairs to its lines (other than inside wiring) or to otherwise remove the source of emergency conditions that are, or that the Company has reason to expect soon will be, endangering the safety, health, or welfare of Company employees or of other persons, or the safety of component parts of the Company's system or equipment.

If visitation to the customer's premises is sought for any other purpose, such visitation shall preferably be prearranged by telephone; however, if such prearrangement is not feasible, the Company's agent, or employee seeking entrance to the subscriber's premises shall approach a responsible adult member of the household, shall identify himself to such person's satisfaction, and shall state the reason for his proposed visitation. Entrance shall not be gained by force or subterfuge or by approach to a child or other irresponsible person. The Company shall be responsible for such damage to the subscriber's property arising from such visitation, whether negligently, willfully, or inadvertently caused.

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)

D. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (Continued)

4. Maintenance and Repairs

All ordinary expense of maintenance and repairs, unless otherwise specified in the Telephone Company's Tariff, is borne by the Telephone Company. Subscribers may not rearrange, disconnect, or remove, any outside wiring installed by the Telephone Company, except upon written consent by the Telephone Company.

5. Unusual Installation Costs

Where special conditions or special requirements of the subscriber involve unusual construction or installation costs, the subscriber may be required to pay a reasonable proportion of such costs.

E. INITIAL CONTRACT PERIODS AND TERMINATION OF SERVICE

1. INITIAL CONTRACT PERIODS

Except as hereinafter provided, the initial (or minimum) contract period for all services and facilities is one month at the same location.



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UNIVERSAL EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER SERVICE – 9-1-1 (Continued)

9-1-1 Service Features

1. Automatic Local Identification (ALI): A feature by which the name and address associated with the calling party's telephone number are forwarded to the PSAP for display. Additional telephones with the same number as the calling party's (secondary locations, off-premise, etc.) will be identified with the address of the telephone number at the main location.
2. Automatic Number Identification (ANI): A feature by which the calling party's telephone number is forwarded to the E-9-1-1 control office and to the PSAP's display and transfer units. Additional telephones with the same number as the calling party's (secondary locations, off premise, etc.) will be identified with the address of the telephone number at the main location.

Rates and Charges

9-1-1 service is provided to residents who subscribe to The Fort Jennings Telephone Company's local exchange telephone service. The rate for this service will be as indicated for the appropriate county on the County Rate List located herein.

County Rate List

<u>County</u>	<u>Current E-9-1-1 Subscriber Charge</u>	<u>Implementation Date for E-9-1-1 Service</u>	<u>Effective Date for Current E-9-1-1 Subscriber Charge</u>	<u>Initial Case No. for E-9-1-1 Implementation</u>	<u>Most Current Case No for E-9-1-1 Review</u>
Putnam	\$.44	March 1998	March 1998	97-419-TP-EMG	97-419-TP-EMG
Allen	\$.44				

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LIFELINE/LINK-UP REQUIREMENTS

A. GENERAL

1. Lifeline shall be a flat-rate, monthly, primary access line service with touch-tone service **or** the Company may offer any other packages/bundles of service, if available to customers, less the lifeline discount and shall provide all of the following:
  - a. A recurring discount to the monthly basic local exchange service rate that provides for the maximum contribution of federally available assistance;
  - b. Not more than once per customer at a single address in a twelve-month period, a waiver of all nonrecurring service order charges for establishing service;
  - c. Free blocking of toll service, 900 service and 976 service;
  - d. A waiver of the federal universal service fund end user charge; and
  - e. A waiver of the telephone company's service deposit requirement.

B. REGULATIONS

1. Lifeline Assistance is available to residential customers who are currently participating in one of the following federal or state low-income assistance programs that limit assistance based on household income:
  - a. Medical Assistance under Chapter 5111 of the Ohio Revised Code (Medicaid) or any state program that might supplant Medicaid;
  - b. Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps);
  - c. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) under Title XVI of the Social Security Act;
  - d. Supplemental Security Insurance – blind and disabled (SSD)
  - e. Federal public housing assistance, or Section 8;
  - f. Home Energy Assistance Programs (HEAP, LIHEAP, E-HEAP);
  - g. National School Lunch Program's Free Lunch Program (NSL);
  - h. Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF/Ohio Works); or
  - i. General Assistance (including disability assistance (DA))

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