The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM

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This form is intended to be used with most types of required filings. It provides check boxes with rule references for the most common types of filings. It does not replace or supersede Commission rules in any way.

| In the Matter of the Application of Orwell Telephone |) | TRF Docket No. 90- <u>5033</u> -TP-7 | TRF |
|---|--------------|---|---------------------------|
| Company to Revise Intrastate Access Rates |) | Case No. <u>12</u> - 1929 - TP NOTE: Unless you have reserved a BLANK. | |
| Name of Registrant(s) Orwell Telephone Company | | | |
| DBA(s) of Registrant(s) FairPoint Communications | | | |
| Address of Registrant(s) 70 S. Maple St., PO Box 337, C | orwell, OH 4 | 14076 | |
| Company Web Address <u>www.fairpoint.com</u> | | | |
| Regulatory Contact Person(s) Carolyn S. Flahive | | Phone <u>614-469-3294</u> | Fax <u>614-469-3361</u> |
| Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address Carolyn.Flah | nive@Thomp | osonHine.com | |
| Contact Person for Annual Report Angela Unruh | | | Phone <u>620-227-4400</u> |
| Address (if different from above) 908 W. Frontview, Dod | lge City, KS | 67801 | |
| Consumer Contact Information Beth Westman, Manager | Governmer, | nt Affairs | Phone <u>207-535-4249</u> |
| Address (if different from above) 1 Davis Farm Road, Po | rtland, Main | e 04103 | |
| Motion for protective order included with filing? Yes | No No | | |
| Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? ☐ Yes ∑ | No [Note: | Waivers may toll any automatic | timeframe.] |
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Notes:

Section I and II are Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6 OAC.

Section III – Carrier to Carrier is Pursuant to 4901:1-7 OAC, and Wireless is Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24 OAC.

Section IV – Attestation.

- (1) Indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below.
- (2) For requirements for various applications, see the identified section of Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.
- (3) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at www.puco.ohio.gov under the docketing information system section, by calling the docketing division at 614-466-4095, or by visiting the docketing division at the offices of the Commission.
- (4) An Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) offering basic local exchange service (BLES) outside its traditional service area should choose CLEC designation when proposing to offer BLES outside its traditional service area or when proposing to make changes to that service.

All Filings that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a minimum, the following exhibits.

| Exhibit | Description: |
|---------|---|
| A | The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s) |
| В | The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the |
| | right margin. |
| С | A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected. |
| D | A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to |
| | the applicable rule(s). |

Section I – Part I - Common Filings

| Carrier Type Other (explain below |) | For Prof | fit ILEC | Not For I | Profit ILEC | ☐ CI | LEC |
|--|------------------------------|--|---------------|--|--------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Change terms & conditions existing BLES | | of ATA <u>1-6</u> (Auto 30 day | | ATA <u>1-6-</u> (Auto 30 days | | | A <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days) |
| Introduce non-recurring ch surcharge, or fee to BLES | arge, | | | | | (Auto 3 | TA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days) |
| Introduce or Increase Late | Payment | ATA <u>1-</u> (Auto 30 day | ys) | ATA <u>1-6</u> (Auto 30 days | | | TA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> 30 days) |
| Revisions to BLES Cap. | | ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic | e) | | | | |
| Introduce BLES or expand service area (calling area) | local | ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic | e) | ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (0 day Notice) | | | 'A <u>1-6-14(H)</u> Notice) |
| Notice of no obligation to of facilities and provide BLES | | ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic | | ZTA <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice | | | |
| Change BLES Rates | | ☐ TRF <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notic | | TRF <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice | | | RF <u>1-6-14(G)</u> Notice) |
| To obtain BLES pricing fle | exibility | BLS <u>1-6-6</u> (C)(1)(c) (Auto 30 da | ays) | | | | |
| Change in boundary | \square \triangle CR I | | | ACB <u>1-6-32</u> (Auto 14 days) | | | |
| Expand service operation a | ırea | | | | | | EF <u>1-6-08(G)</u> (0 day) |
| BLES withdrawal | | | | | | TTA <u>1-6-25(B)</u> (0 day Notice) | |
| Other* (explain) | | | | | | | |
| Section I – Part II – Customer Notification Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-7 OAC Type of Notice Direct Mail Bill Insert Bill Notation Electronic Mail | | | | | | | |
| Type of Notice | Direc | t Man | DIII | Hisert | DIII Nota | 111011 | Electronic Mail |
| ☐ 15-day Notice | | | | | | | |
| 30-day Notice | | | | | | | |
| Date Notice Sent: | | | | | | | |
| Section I – Part III –IOS Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-22 OAC | | | | | | | |
| IOS | Introduce New | | Tariff Change | | Price Change | | Withdraw |
| ☐ IOS | | | [| | | | |

Section II - Part I - Carrier Certification - Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-08, 09 & 10 OAC

| | ILEC | CLEC | Telecommunications | CESTC | CETC |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Certification | (Out of Territory) | | Service Provider | | |
| | | | Not Offering Local | | |
| * See Supplemental | ACE <u>1-6-08</u> | ACE <u>1-6-08</u> | ACE <u>1-6-</u> 08 | ☐ ACE <u>1-6-</u> 10 | UNC <u>1-6-</u> 09 |
| form | * (Auto 30- day) | *(Auto 30 day) | *(Auto 30 day) | (Auto 30 day) | *(Non-Auto) |

^{*}Supplemental Certification forms can be found on the Commission Web Page.

Section II - Part II - Certificate Status & Procedural

| Certificate Status | ILEC | CLEC | Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| Abandon all Services | | ABN <u>1-6-26</u> (Auto 30 days) | ABN <u>1-6-26</u> (Auto 30 days) |
| Change of Official Name * | ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days) | ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days) | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice) |
| Change in Ownership * | ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days) | ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days) | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice) |
| Merger * | AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days) | AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days) | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice) |
| Transfer a Certificate * | ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days) | ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days) | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice) |
| Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business * | ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days) | ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days) | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice) |
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^{*} Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see the 4901:1-6-29 Filing Requirements on the Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Section III – Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7), and Wireless (Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24)

| Carrier to Carrier | ILEC | CLEC | |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Interconnection agreement, or amendment to | ☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u> | ☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u> | |
| an approved agreement | (Auto 90 day) | (Auto 90 day) | |
| Dequest for Arbitration | ARB <u>1-7-09</u> | ARB <u>1-7-09</u> | |
| Request for Arbitration | (Non-Auto) | (Non-Auto) | |
| Introduce or change at a corrige toriffe | X ATA <u>1-7-14</u> | ☐ ATA <u>1-7-14</u> | |
| Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs, | (Auto 30 day) | (Auto 30 day) | |
| Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier | UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or 05 | | |
| suspension or modification | (Non-Auto) | | |
| Changes in rates, terms & conditions to Pole | ☐ UNC 1-7-23(B) | | |
| Attachment, Conduit Occupancy and Rights- | (Non-Auto) | | |
| of-Way. | | | |
| | | | |
| | RCC | □NAG | |
| Wireless Providers See 4901:1-6-24 | [Registration & | [Interconnection | |
| | Change in Operations] | Agreement or | |

applicant.

Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.

<u>AFFIDAVIT</u> Compliance with Commission Rules

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|--|
| I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, Orwell Telephone Company, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. |
| (Name) |
| Please Check ALL that apply: |
| ☑ I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio. |
| ☐ I attest that customer notices accompanying this filing form were sent to affected customers, as specified in Section II, in accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-7, Ohio Administrative Code. |
| I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. |
| Executed on (Date) June 26, 2012 at (Location) Portland, ME |
| *(Signature and Title) /s/ Carole Williamson, Director of Tariffs and Compliance (Date) June 26, 2012 |
| • This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant. |
| VERIFICATION |
| I, <u>Carolyn S. Flahive</u> , verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for most proceedings provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. |
| *(Signature and Title) /s/ Carolyn S. Flahive, Esq. (Date) June 26, 2012 *Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the |

Send your completed Application Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies, to:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Attention: Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793 Make such filing electronically as directed in Case No 06-900-AU-WVR **EXHIBIT A** (Current Tariff Sheet)

P.U.C.O. NO. 8

ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF (Continued)

(N)

| 1. | Carrier Common Line Charge | Rate |
|----|---|-----------|
| | Premium Access, per minute | |
| | Terminating | \$.005947 |
| | Originating | \$.0150 |
| 2. | Transport Interconnection Charge (TIC) | |
| | Originating and Terminating | \$.015055 |
| 3. | Local Transport | |
| | Tandem Switched Transport | |
| | a) Tandem Switched Facility, per access minute per mile | \$.000090 |
| | b) Tandem Switched Termination, per access minute per termination | \$.000443 |
| 4. | End Office | |
| | a) Local Switching | \$.040400 |
| | b) Information Surcharge, per minute | \$.000198 |

(N)

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EXHIBIT B (Proposed Tariff Sheet)

\$.000198

P.U.C.O. NO. 8

ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF (Continued)

1. <u>Carrier Common Line Charge</u> Rate Premium Access, per minute Terminating \$.0074745 (T) Originating \$.0150 2. Transport Interconnection Charge (TIC) Originating and Terminating \$.015055 3. <u>Local Transport</u> **Tandem Switched Transport** a) Tandem Switched Facility, per access minute per mile \$.000090 b) Tandem Switched Termination, per access minute per termination \$.000443 4. End Office a) Local Switching \$.040400

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b) Information Surcharge, per minute

EXHIBIT C

The Applicant hereby modifies its intrastate access service tariff to revise the CCL Terminating Rate originally filed in Case No. 12-1425-TP-ATA.

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