

*The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio*  
**TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM**

(Effective: 04-01-2020)

**Per the Commission's 5/29/2019 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 19-0173-TP-ORD**

**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 anyway.**

In the Matter of the Application of AT&T Ohio to Update	)	TRF Docket No. 90-5032-TP-TRF
its Pole Attachment and Conduit Rates	)	Case No. 20-1650-TP-ATA
	)	<b>NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case #, leave the "Case No." field BLANK.</b>

Name of Registrant(s) The Ohio Bell Telephone Company

DBA(s) of Registrant(s) AT&T Ohio

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Address (if different from above) [Click here to enter text.](#)

Motion for protective order included with filing? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? ☐ Yes ☒ No [Note: Waivers may toll any automatic timeframe.]

**Notes:**

Sections I and II are pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) [4901:1-6](#).

Section III – Part I - Carrier to Carrier is pursuant to OAC [4901:1-7](#) and Pole Attachment to OAC [4901:1-3](#)

Section III – Part II - Wireless is pursuant to OAC [4901:1-6-24](#).

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 identified section of the Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.

(3) Information regarding the number of copies required by the PUCO may be obtained from the PUCO's website at [www.PUCO.ohio.gov](http://www.PUCO.ohio.gov) under the docketing information system section (Procedural filing requirements), by calling the Docketing Division at 614-466-4095 or by visiting the Docketing Division at the offices of the PUCO.

(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).
B	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
C	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:

<b>Carrier Type:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain below)	<b>For Profit ILEC</b>	<b>Not for Profit ILEC</b>	<b>CLEC</b>
Change terms & conditions of existing BLES.	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)(2)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring charge, surcharge or fee to BLES	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)		<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late Payment	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice )		
Introduce BLES or expand local service area (calling area)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice )	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice )
Change BLES Rates	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(E) &amp; (G)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (0 day notice)
To obtain BLES pricing flexibility	<input type="checkbox"/> BLS <a href="#">1-6-14(C)(1)(c)</a> (Auto 30 days)		
Notice of no obligation to construct facilities and provide BLES	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-27(C)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-27(C)</a> (0 day notice)	
Change in boundary	<input type="checkbox"/> ACB <a href="#">1-6-32</a> (Auto 14 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACB <a href="#">1-6-32</a> (Auto 14 days)	
Expand service operation area			<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-08(G)</a> (0 day notice)
BLES withdrawal	<input type="checkbox"/> WBL <a href="#">4927.10</a> (120 day notice)		<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-25(B)</a> (0 day notice)
<b>Other</b> (explain):			

\*Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule, see the 4901:106-14(E) Filing Requirements on the PUCO's webpage for a complete list of exhibits.

## Section I – Part II – Customer Notification Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-07 OAC

<b>Type of Notice</b>	<b>Direct Mail</b>	<b>Bill Insert</b>	<b>Bill Notation</b>	<b>Electronic Mail</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 15-day Notice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> 30-day Notice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Date Notice Sent:</b>				

## Section I – Part III – Inmate Operator Service Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-22 OAC

<b>Introduce New</b>	<b>Tariff Change</b>	<b>Price Change</b>	<b>Withdraw</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC (Non-Auto)

**Section II – Part I – Carrier Certification – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-08 & 10 OAC and Competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Designation (CETC) – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-09 OAC**

ILEC (Out of territory)	CLEC	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local Service	CESTC	CETC
<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-10 (Auto 30-day)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-6-09 (Non-Auto)*

\*Supplemental forms can be found on the PUCO webpage – [Telecommunications application forms](#).

**Section II – Part II – Change in Operation or Ownership**

Change in Operation or Ownership	ILEC	CLEC	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local Service
Abandon all services		<input type="checkbox"/> ABN <a href="#">1-6-26</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN <a href="#">1-6-26</a> (Auto 30 days)
Change of official name *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Change in ownership *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Merger *	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Transfer certificate *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
FCC Authorized Change in Ownership or Merger	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29 (E)(2)</a> (0-day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29 (E)(2)</a> (0-day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29 (E)(2)</a> (0-day notice)

\*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 PUCO webpage for a complete list of exhibits.

**Section III – Part I - Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7) & Attachments to Utility Equipment or Rights of Way (Pursuant to 4901:1-3)**

Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC
Interconnection agreement or amendment to an approved agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (Auto 90 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (Auto 90 days)
Request for arbitration	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB <a href="#">1-7-09</a> (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB <a href="#">1-7-09</a> (Non-Auto)
Introduce or change carrier to carrier tariffs	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-7-14</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-7-14</a> (Auto 30 days)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier suspension or modification	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC <a href="#">1-7-04 or 05</a> (Auto 30 days)	
Changes in rates, terms & conditions to pole attachments, conduit occupancy and rights of way. (13-579-AU-ORD 11/30/16 Entry)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-3-04</a> (Auto 60 days)	

### Section III – Part II – Facilities-based Wireless Service Providers (Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24)

Registration and Change in Operations*	<input type="checkbox"/> RCC <a href="#">1-6-24(B)</a> (0 day notice)
Interconnection Agreement or amendment to an approved Agreement.	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (0 day notice)

\*Change in Operations filing must be filed in the original RCC case designation code established during the registration process.

### Section IV. – Attestation

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

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#### **AFFIDAVIT**

#### *Compliance with Commission Rules*

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, AT&T Ohio, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

Richard T. Howell

(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 Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6-7.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on October 29, 2020 at Dallas, Texas

/s/ Richard T. Howell

October 29, 2020

\_\_\_\_\_  
\*Signature and Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*\*This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel, an officer of the applicant or an authorized agent of the applicant.*

**VERIFICATION**

I, Richard T. Howell, verify I have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for the most proceedings provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here and all additional information in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ Richard T. Howell

October 29, 2020

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\*Signature and Title

Date

*\*Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.*

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**File document electronically as directed in case number 06-900-AU-WVR  
or**

*Send your completed Filing 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**

# **EXHIBIT A**

**1. POLE ATTACHMENT AND CONDUIT OCCUPANCY ACCOMMODATIONS (cont'd)**

**E. Prices**

1. Service Elements

<u>Description</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>Per Year</u>	
<i>Administrative Fee</i>			
- per request or assignment	\$200.00	-	
<i>Pole Attachment Fee</i>			
- per pole, per year for each one foot of usable space occupied	-	\$2.30	(R)
<i>Conduit Attachment Fee</i>	-		
- per foot of innerduct occupied per year	-	.49	(R)
- per foot where no innerduct is installed per year		.74	(R)

# **EXHIBIT B**



**1. POLE ATTACHMENT AND CONDUIT OCCUPANCY ACCOMMODATIONS (cont'd)**

**E. Prices**

1. Service Elements

<u>Description</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>Per Year</u>	
<i>Administrative Fee</i>			
- per request or assignment	\$200.00	-	
<i>Pole Attachment Fee</i>			
- per pole, per year for each one foot of usable space occupied	-	\$2.15	(R)
<i>Conduit Attachment Fee</i>			
- per foot of innerduct occupied per year	-	0.45	(R)
- per foot where no innerduct is installed per year		0.68	(R)

# EXHIBIT C

AT&T has completed its annual, 21-state pole and conduit rate calculation review, conducted in accordance with the rules prescribed by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) in 47 CFR 1.1409, and hereby revises its Ohio pole attachment and conduit occupancy rates for 2021 consistent with the FCC rate calculation formulas and with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) rules set forth in OAC 4901:1-3.

Provided here are the rate changes which will take effect January 1, 2021:

1. The Pole Attachment Fee is being decreased from \$2.30 to \$2.15 per foot per year.
2. The Conduit Attachment Fee (per foot of innerduct occupied) is being decreased from \$0.49 to \$0.45.
3. The Conduit Attachment Fee (per foot where there is no innerduct installed – full duct) is being decreased from \$0.74 to \$0.68.

Pole and Conduit Rental Calculation Information		
Pole Attachment Data		
(Dollars in thousands; Operational Data in actual units)		
COMPANY: AT&T / OHIO BELL		
STUDY AREA: OHIO		
PERIOD: From: Jan 2019 To: Dec 2019		
COSA: OBOH		
SUBMISSION: 2		
Page 1 of 1		
Row	Row Title (a)	Amount (b)
Financial Information (\$000)		2019
100	Telecommunications Plant-in-Service	8,579,158
101	Gross Investment - Poles	200,162
102	Gross Investment - Conduit	852,465
200	Accumulated Depreciation - Total Plant-in-Service	6,515,566
201	Accumulated Depreciation - Poles	163,564
202	Accumulated Depreciation - Conduit	483,811
301	Depreciation Rate - Poles	2.52
302	Depreciation Rate - Conduit	1.83
401	Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes - Poles	0
402	Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes - Conduit	0
403	Net Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes - Total	0
404	Net Non-Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes - Poles	5,121
405	Net Non-Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes - Conduit	21,810
406	Net Non-Current Deferred Operating Income Taxes - Total	219,497
501.1	Pole Maintenance Expense	4,299
501.2	Pole Rental Expense	5,647
501	Pole Expense	9,946
502.1	Conduit Maintenance Expense	2,932
502.2	Conduit Rental Expense	1
502	Conduit Expense	2,933
503	General & Administrative Expense	177,347
504	Operating Taxes	40,066
Operational Data (Actual) <sup>1</sup>		
601	Equivalent Number of Poles	467,868
602	Conduit System Trench Kilometers	7,596
603	Conduit System Duct Kilometers	44,059
700	Additional Rental Calculation Information	0
<sup>1</sup>	Pole and conduit quantities reflect Continuing Property Records as of September 30, 2019. Submission 1 data reflected a reconciliation between Continuing Property Records and Plant Location Records that had previously unrecognized irregularities. The September 30, 2019 data reflects the best pre-reconciliation data available.	

# EXHIBIT D

Customer notice is not required for rate decreases and thus, none will be provided.

**This foregoing document was electronically filed with the Public Utilities**

**Commission of Ohio Docketing Information System on**

**10/29/2020 2:41:04 PM**

**in**

**Case No(s). 90-5032-TP-TRF, 20-1650-TP-ATA**

Summary: Tariff in the matter of AT&T Ohio to update its pole attachment and conduit rates electronically filed by Richard T Howell on behalf of AT&T Ohio