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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Docketing Division
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

**Re: Case No. 21-0559-TP-ACE; Application of North Coast Wireless
Communications, LLC to Provide Telecommunications Service in the State of Ohio**

Attached for electronic filing is the Application of North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC (NCW) to provide telecommunications service in the State of Ohio.

To protect certain financial information in connection with this Application, NCW is filing electronically a Motion for Protective Order in this Case.

Please direct any questions regarding this Application to me by telephone or electronic mail. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Matthew S. Fridenstine
President
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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 provide 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 North Coast Wireless)	TRF Docket No. 90- -TP-TRF
Communications, LLC to Provide Telecommunications Services)	Case No. 21-0559-TP-ACE
in the State of Ohio)	NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case #, leave
)	the "Case No." field BLANK.

Name of Registrant(s) North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC

DBA(s) of Registrant(s) CNW, ncwcom

Address of Registrant(s) 143 Erie Street, Wellington, OH

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Regulatory Person's Email Address matt@ncwcom.com

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Consumer Contact Information Matthew Fridenstine

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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 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).
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Section I – Part I - Common Filings:

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

Type of Notice	Direct Mail	Bill Insert	Bill Notation	Electronic Mail
<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"/>
Date Notice Sent:				

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

Introduce New	Tariff Change	Price Change	Withdraw
<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 1-6-08 (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-08 (Auto 30-day)*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-08 (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 1-6-26 (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-26 (Auto 30 days)
Change of official name *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN 1-6-29(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN 1-6-29(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29(C) (0-day notice)
Change in ownership *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO 1-6-29(E)(1) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO 1-6-29(E)(1) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29(C) (0-day notice)
Merger *	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT 1-6-29(E)(1) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT 1-6-29(E)(1) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29(C) (0-day notice)
Transfer certificate *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC 1-6-29(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC 1-6-29(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29(C) (0-day notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR 1-6-29(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC 1-6-29(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29(C) (0-day notice)
FCC Authorized Change in Ownership or Merger	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29 (E)(2) (0-day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29 (E)(2) (0-day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-29 (E)(2) (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 1-7-07 (Auto 90 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG 1-7-07 (Auto 90 days)
Request for arbitration	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB 1-7-09 (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB 1-7-09 (Non-Auto)
Introduce or change carrier to carrier tariffs	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-7-14 (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-7-14 (Auto 30 days)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier suspension or modification	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-7-04 or 05 (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 type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-3-04 (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 1-6-24(B) (0 day notice)
Interconnection Agreement or amendment to an approved Agreement.	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG 1-7-07 (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.

AFFIDAVIT

Compliance with Commission Rules

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

Matthew Fridenstine
(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 [Click here to enter text.](#) at [Click here to enter text.](#)



*Signature and Title

President


5-7-2021

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, Matthew Fridenstine, 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.

 President 5-7-2021

*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.*

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

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION FORM
for CARRIER CERTIFICATION

(Effective: 01/20/2011)

(Pursuant to Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD)

**NOTE: This SUPPLEMENTAL form must be used WITH the
TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM for ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS.**

In the Matter of the Application of North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC
to Provide Telecommunications Services in the State of Ohio

Case No. 21 - 0559 - **TP** - ACE

Name of Registrant(s) North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC

DBA(s) of Registrant(s) NCW

Address of Registrant(s) 143 Erie Street, Wellington, OH 44090

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

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

List of Required Exhibits

Tariffs: (Include all that apply)

☐ Interexchange Tariff

☐ Local Tariff

☐ CESTC Tariff

☐ Carrier-to-Carrier (Access) Tariff

Description of Services

NOTE: All Facilities-Based carriers must file an Access Tariff

☐ Service provisioned via Resale

☐ Service provisioned via Facilities

☐ Both Resold and Facilities-based

☒ Description of Proposed Services

☒ Statement about the provision of
CTS services

☒ Description of the general
geographic area served

☒ Explanation of how the proposed
services in the proposed market
area are in the public interest.

☒ Description of the class of customers (e.g., residence, business) that the
applicant intends to serve

Business Requirements

Evidence of Registration with:

☒ Ohio Department of Taxation

☒ Ohio Secretary of State¹ &
Certificate of Good Standing

Documentation attesting to the applicant's financial viability, including the following:

☒ An executive Summary describing the applicant's current financial condition, liquidity, and capital resources. Describe internally generated sources of cash and external funds available to support the applicant's operations that are the subject of this certification application.

☒ Copy of financial statements (actual and pro forma income statement and a balance sheet). Indicate if financial statements are based on a certain geographical area(s) or information in other jurisdictions

☒ Documentation to support the applicant's cash and funding sources.

Documentation attesting to the applicant's managerial ability and corporate structure, including the following:

☒ Documentation attesting to the applicant's technical and managerial expertise relative to the proposed service offering(s) and proposed service area

☒ List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners.

☒ Documentation indicating the applicant's corporate structure and ownership

☒ Information regarding any similar operations in other states.

If this company has been previously certified in the State of Ohio, include that certification number _____

☒ Verification that the applicant will follow federal communications commission (FCC) accounting requirements, if applicable.

¹ Certification from Ohio Secretary of State (domestic or foreign corporation, authorized use of fictitious name, etc.), and Certificate of Good Standing is required.

Documentation attesting to the applicant's proposed interactions with other Carriers

- ☐ Explanation as to whether rates are derived through (check all applicable):
☐ interconnection agreement ☐ retail tariffs ☐ resale tariffs
- ☐ Explanation as to which service areas company currently has an approved interconnection or resale agreement.
- ☐ A notarized affidavit accompanied by bona fide letters requesting negotiation pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a proposed timeline for construction, interconnection, and offering of services to end users.


Documentation attesting to the applicant's proposed interactions with Customers

- ☒ A sample copy of the customer bill and disconnection notice the applicant plans to utilize.
- ☐ Provide a copy of any customer application form required in order to establish residential service, if applicable.
- ☐ For CLECs, List of Ohio ILEC Exchanges the applicant intends to serve
(Use spreadsheet from: <https://puco.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/puco/utilities/telecom/resources/competitive-local-exchange-company-clec-exchange-listing-form>)
- ☐ If Mirroring the entire ILEC local service areas, tariffs may incorporate by reference. If not mirroring the entire ILEC local exchange areas, the CLEC shall specifically define its local service areas in the tariff.

Affidavit

I am an authorized representative of the applicant corporation North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC
(Name)

and I am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. I attest that I have utilized the Telecommunications Supplemental Application Form for Carrier Certification 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.

Executed on 5-7-2021 at Wellington Ohio
 President 5-7-2021
(Signature and Title) (Date)

LIST OF EXHIBITS AND ATTACHMENTS

Exhibit A - Description of Proposed Services

Exhibit A-1 Telecommunications Retail Service Offering Form

Exhibit B - Statement About the Provision of CTS Services

Exhibit C - Description of General Geographic Area Served

Exhibit D - Public Interest Statement

Exhibit E - Description of the Class of Customers

Exhibit F - Ohio Department of Taxation Registration

Exhibit G -Certificate of Good Standing

Exhibit H -Summary of Financial Condition, Liquidity and Capital Reserves

Exhibit H1 – Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues and Expenses

Exhibit I - Technical and Managerial Expertise

Exhibit J -Description of Ownership

Exhibit K - Similar Operations in Other States

Exhibit L - Accounting Statement

Exhibit M -Derivation of Rates

Exhibit N - Interconnection and Resale Statement

Exhibit O - Notarized Affidavit Regarding Interconnection Negotiations

Exhibit P - Sample Customer Bill and Disconnection Notice

Exhibit P-1 Sample Customer Bill

Exhibit P-2 Sample Customer Disconnection Notice

EXHIBIT A – DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED SERVICE

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC (NCW) proposes to provide data transport services via fiber telecommunications facilities and wireless point-to-point facilities. These services will be used primarily by telecommunications carriers, Internet Service Providers, and enterprise customers. NCW will primarily provide services using its own facilities and facilities leased from other carriers and may, where appropriate, construct additional network infrastructure.

NCW plans to provide regulated de-tariffed services. In lieu of a tariff, therefore, Applicant provides the Telecommunications Retail Service Offering Form attached as Exhibit A-1.

EXHIBIT A-1 – TELECOMMUNICATIONS RETAIL SERVICE OFFERING FORM

EXHIBIT A1 - TELECOMMUNICATIONS RETAIL SERVICE OFFERING FORM

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS RETAIL SERVICE OFFERING FORM
For Non-BLES Carriers

Per the Commission's 01/19/2011 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD
(Effective: 01/20/2011)

Company Name North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC

Company Address 143 Erie Street, Wellington, OH 44030

Company Web Address www.ncwcom.com

Regulatory Contact Person Matthew Fridenstine Phone (440) 647-5626 x104 Fax 440-647-8565

Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address matt@ncwcom.com

Contact Person for Annual Report Matthew Fridenstine Phone (440) 647-5626 x104 Fax 440-647-8565

Consumer Contact Information Matthew Fridenstine Phone 440) 647-5626 x104 Fax 440-647-8565

TRF Docket No. -TP-TRF

I. Company Type (Check all applicable):

☐ Non-BLES CLEC ☐ IXC ☒ Other (explain) telecommunications service provider not offering local exchange service

II. Services offered (Check all applicable):

- ☐ Toll services (intrastate)
- ☐ Local Exchange Service (i.e., residential or business bundles)
- ☒ Other (explain) high-capacity telecommunications service not offering local exchange service

III. Tariffed Provisions/Services (To the extent offered, check all applicable and attach tariff pages):

- ☐ Toll Presubscription
- ☐ Intrastate Special and Switched Access Services to Carriers (facilities-based local carriers only)*
- ☐ N-1-1 Service
- ☐ Pole Attachment and Conduit Occupancy
- ☐ Pay Telephone Access Lines
- ☐ Inmate Operator Service
- ☐ Telephone Relay Service

*Access service tariffs shall be maintained separately and are subject to the Commission's carrier-to-carrier rules found in Chapter 4901:1-7, Ohio Administrative Code.

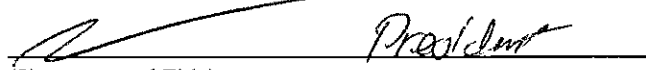
Part IV. – Attestation

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

I am an officer/agent of the carrier/telephone company, North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC, and am authorized to make statements on it behalf.
(Name)

I understand that Telephone companies have certain responsibilities to its customers under the Telecommunications Rules (Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6). These responsibilities include: warm line service; not committing unfair or deceptive acts and practices; truth in billing requirements; and slamming and preferred carrier freeze requirements. We will comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that non-compliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

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


(Signature and Title)

5-7-2021
(Date)

EXHIBIT B

Statement regarding the Provision of CTS Services

As described in this Application, Applicant will provide Competitive Telecommunications Services, and does not seek to provide regulated basic local exchange services or competitive emergency services telecommunications carrier services.

EXHIBIT C - DESCRIPTION OF GEOGRAPHIC AREA TO BE SERVED

Applicant intends to serve customers in the following Ohio counties: Lorain County, Huron County, Medina County, Ashland County, Erie County, Huron County, Richland County, Sandusky County, Seneca County, Crawford County, and Wayne County.

EXHIBIT D - PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT

The grant of this Application will promote the public interest by increasing competition in the provision of telecommunications services in Ohio. Applicant intends to offer competitive high-capacity transport services and to expand the telecommunications infrastructure in Ohio. In doing so, NCW will participate in the competitive telecommunications market in Ohio, which will contribute to reducing prices to competitive levels and to enhancing the availability of high-quality transport services in Ohio. NCW's telecommunications offerings would also support the provision of broadband services by other carriers, communications providers, and enterprise customers. For example, NCW's high-capacity data transport services may be used for wireless backhaul by wireless carriers offering 4G and 5G services, by business and enterprise customers to enhance their internal network capacity, and by Internet Service Providers to deliver affordable and robust broadband Internet services to Ohio homes and businesses.

Further, NCW has shown a long-term commitment to communities of Ohio by providing high-quality and affordable Internet service to customers in the North Central Ohio area since 2004. Granting this Application would allow NCW to expand its service offerings for these communities to include competitive telecommunications services.

EXHIBIT E -DESCRIPTION OF CLASS OF CUSTOMERS

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC (NCW) will primarily provide telecommunications services to other carriers, Internet Service Providers, and customers in government, education, and other enterprises.

NCW does not intend to provide telecommunications services to residential customers.

EXHIBIT F – OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION REGISTRATION

See next page.



Department of
Taxation

Registration Confirmation

Taxpayer Services Division
P. O. Box 182215
Columbus, OH 43218-2215
Phone: 1-888-405-4089
Fax: 1-614-387-2165
TTY/TDD: 1-800-750-0750
tax.ohio.gov

5/21/2014

North Coast Wireless Communica
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090

RE: Account Type: COUNTY VENDOR'S LICENSE

Account Number: 47900918

Effective Date: 6/1/2014

Filing Frequency: MONTHLY

TIN: 5

Dear Taxpayer:

Please verify the information listed below is complete and accurate. If there are corrections and/or additions, please note them on this form and return it by mail or fax. You may also contact us by telephone or by e-mail through our Web site at tax.ohio.gov.

Legal Name:	North Coast Wireless Communi
Federal Employer Identification Number:	201469831
Social Security Number:	
Ohio Charter Number:	01881572

Filing periods beginning 01/01/09 are required to be filed electronically. You can file and pay your sales tax returns electronically through the Ohio Business Gateway at obg.ohio.gov. Payments may be made directly from your bank account (electronic check) or by credit card.

The Ohio Department of Taxation must receive all returns and payments on or before the 23rd of the month following the end of the reporting period. Failure to file and pay taxes due in a timely manner may result in the loss of discount and the imposition of interest, penalties and/or additional charges. You must file a return even if you made no taxable sales for the filing period.

If you have questions concerning your tax responsibilities or how to file your return(s) please contact us.

COUNTY VL REG



Department of
Taxation

Taxpayer Services Division
Compliance Support Division
P. O. Box 182215
Columbus, OH 43218-2215
Phone: 1-888-405-4089
Fax: 1-614-466-8892
TTY/TDD: 1-800-750-0750
tax.ohio.gov

North Coast Wireless Communica
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090

Vendor's License

RE: Vendor License Number: 47900918
County: Lorain
Effective Date: 6/1/2014

This is to certify that the vendor herein named, having complied with the provisions of section 5739.17 of the Ohio Revised Code, is hereby authorized to sell tangible personal property and selected services at retail, at the location specified below. This license shall terminate and be null and void if the business is moved to a new location outside the county where it is presently located, if the business is sold, if an individual or partnership incorporates the business, if a partnership is dissolved, or if a corporation dissolves or is canceled for cause by the tax commissioner.

North Coast Wireless Communica
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090

The Ohio Sales Tax Law provides that no vendor shall fail to collect the full and exact tax as required by sections 5739.01 to 5739.31, inclusive, of the Ohio Revised Code, or fail to comply with such sections and the rules and regulations of the tax commissioner.

Whoever violates this provision may be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 for a first offense; for each subsequent offense such person shall, if a corporation, be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$500; or if an individual or member of a partnership, firm or association, be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$100, or imprisoned not more than 60 days, or both.

COUNTY VL REG

EXHIBIT G – OHIO CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

See next page.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF OHIO
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Frank LaRose, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show NORTH COAST WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS, LLC, an Ohio For Profit Limited Liability Company, Registration Number 1881572, was organized within the State of Ohio on September 8, 2009, is currently in FULL FORCE AND EFFECT upon the records of this office.



*Witness my hand and the seal of the
Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio
this 21st day of April, A.D. 2021.*

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Frank LaRose".

Ohio Secretary of State

Validation Number: 202111101980

**EXHIBIT H -SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL CONDITION, LIQUIDITY
AND CAPITAL RESERVES**

As shown in its Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues and Expenses, North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC's (NCW) capital resources, liquidity, and capital reserves make it financially qualified to operate within the State of Ohio.

**EXHIBIT H1 - BALANCE SHEET AND STATEMENT OF
REVENUES AND EXPENSES**

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC (NCW) will file a Motion for Protective Order and e-file its confidential Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues and Expenses in Docket # 20-2000-XX-XXXX. As further described in its Motion for Protective Order, the financial information of the Applicant contains highly sensitive competitive information that NCW does not make available to the public.

EXHIBIT I - TECHNICAL AND MANAGERIAL EXPERTISE

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC (NCW) has the technical and management expertise to provide telecommunications services to customers in Ohio. Below is a description of several of NCW's key management and staff.

Matthew S. Fridenstine – President of NCW

In 2004, Mr. Fridenstine co-founded NCW to provide wireless broadband Internet services to customers in the North Central, OH area. By 2009, NCW was providing wireless broadband Internet services to approximately 1,000 customers. Under his leadership, NCW now provides broadband Internet services to thousands of Ohio homes and businesses using hundreds of wireless access points, backhaul facilities, and fiber-optic connections.

Mr. Fridenstine currently manages a staff of 13 NCW employees including office staff, field technicians, customer service and other support staff. Mr. Fridenstine is also NCW's lead engineer with oversight of NCW's network, including physical infrastructure (tower and line construction), server administration, advanced routing and switching, and firewalls. He also leads NCW's negotiations for carrier access contracts, facility contracts, and other matters.

Prior to launching NCW, Mr. Fridenstine was a network engineer at the Oberlin Cable Co-Op, one of the first cable Internet Service Providers in Ohio. Subsequently, he was a network administrator at Cuyahoga County Department of Human Services where obtained CNE and CCNA certificates and managed routing, switching, firewalls, and assisted in Voice over IP service rollouts.

Nichole Gregory – Office Manager, NCW

Ms. Gregory is the manager of NCW's main office in Lorain County. Her management roles include handling communications between the main office and NCW's field technicians, maintaining and improving subscriber billing and collection processes, and ensuring that NCW's subscribers receive high quality customer service. Ms. Gregory graduated from Lorain County Community College in 2010, and she has worked at NCW since 2011.

James Markosky - Tier 2 support specialist

Mr. Markosky has worked on technical and network issues for NCW since 2005. Currently, his primary duties are to provide technical support for customers and technicians, and to troubleshoot technical issues that may impact NCW's network. In his 15 years at NCW, Mr. Markosky has provided technical support to thousands of NCW customers in Ohio, and technical field work on hundreds of NCW network antennas. He holds two associate degrees from Lorain County Community College, one in software development and another in network technology.

Chris Mohler – Systems Administrator

Mr. Mohler is a Computer Systems Administrator with NCW. His focus is on NCW's internal infrastructure such as the billing software, network monitoring, email services, and improving documentation procedures. Prior to joining NCW, Mr. Mohler managed network computer systems at Oberlin College as an Educational Technologist, Support for Scientific Research specialist, and Systems Administrator for Computer Science. Mr. Mohler has participated in several telecommunications and network research projects, and was the technical advisor on two U.S. National Science Foundation grants. Mr. Mohler holds an associate degree in computer systems engineering and networking.

Courtney Deidrick - Accountant/Human Resources

Since 2018, Ms. Deidrick has supervised accounting and human resources at NCW. She graduated from the University of Mount Union with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Finance and Accounting. Before joining NCW, she was an accountant for the Cleveland Indians Minor League Baseball team and for a tax accounting firm.

**EXHIBIT J -DESCRIPTION OF OWNERSHIP AND LIST OF NAMES, ADDRESSES AND TELEPHONE
NUMBERS OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND PARTNERS**

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC ("NCW") is an Ohio limited liability company. Matthew S. Fridenstine is the sole owner of all ownership interests in, and is the sole managing member of, NCW. Mr. Fridenstine is President and sole officer of NCW. NCW has no directors or partners.

Mr. Fridenstine's address and telephone number are:

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090
(440) 647-5626 x104

EXHIBIT K - SIMILAR OPERATIONS IN OTHER STATES

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC operates solely within the State of Ohio and it has no similar operations in any other state.

EXHIBIT L - ACCOUNTING STATEMENT

Applicant maintains its books in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP"). As a competitive provider, Applicant is not subject to the accounting requirements of the Federal Communications Commission.

EXHIBIT M -DERIVATION OF RATES

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC's (NCW) rates will be derived through individually negotiated contracts with its customers. The rates will be based on each customer's needs, competitive price constraints, and NCW's costs to provide each customer's services. NCW may purchase certain inputs for its services via other wholesale arrangements, including individually negotiated contracts or indefeasible rights of use with other carriers or facilities providers. NCW's services typically do not require NCW to purchase services or network elements through interconnection agreements, retail tariffs, or resale tariffs.

EXHIBIT N - INTERCONNECTION AND RESALE STATEMENT

Applicant does not intend to provide services that require a regulated interconnection agreement or resale agreement with a local exchange carrier at this this time. Accordingly, Applicant has not entered into negotiations for an interconnection agreement with a local exchange carrier.

EXHIBIT O - NOTARIZED AFFIDAVIT REGARDING
INTERCONNECTION NEGOTIATIONS

Not applicable. See Exhibit N.

EXHIBIT P – SAMPLE CUSTOMER INVOICE AND DISCONNECTION NOTICE

EXHIBIT P1 – SAMPLE CUSTOMER INVOICE

North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC.
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090
877-647-5622

INVOICE



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Matt Fridenstine
North Coast Wireless Communications
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090-1206

Invoice Summary	
Account	101934
Reference	Invoice N101934-1
Date	2021-04-21
Due Date	2021-05-01
Total (\$)	175.69
Amount Due (\$)	175.69

Description	Nontaxable (\$)	Taxable (\$)
SFNTV Premium Channel Package	0.00	79.95
Service Dates: 2021-05-01 to 2021-05-01		
SFNTV Premium Channel Package	0.00	79.95
Service Dates: 2021-05-01 to 2021-05-01		
Managed WiFi Residential	5.00	0.00
Service Dates: 2021-05-01 to 2021-05-01		
Tax Summary		
Sales Tax	159.90	10.79

Notes:

NorthCoast Wireless is now an authorized Interstate Batteries dealer. Call for details!

Please tear off and return the bottom portion with your payment. Thank you.


Matt Fridenstine
North Coast Wireless Communications
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090-1206



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LLC.
143 Erie Street
Wellington, OH 44090

Payment Summary	
Account	101934
Reference	Invoice N101934-1
Due Date	2021-05-01
Amount Due (\$)	175.69
Amount Enclosed	
Check Number	
Please make checks payable to North Coast Wireless Communications, LLC.	

EXHIBIT P2 – SAMPLE CUSTOMER DISCONNECTON NOTICE



From: NCWCOM Billing <billing@ncwcom.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 4, 2021 2:23 AM
To: NCWCOM Purchasing
Subject: account 101934 is past due

According to our records your account is at least 3 days overdue for payment in the amount of \$175.69, with a current total amount due of \$175.69.

If you have remitted payment please disregard this notice.

Payments can be made through the customer portal ([click here](#)), over the phone by contacting (877)647-5622, or at 143 Erie Street, Wellington, from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm. Monday through Friday.

Please note, accounts more than 30 days past due are subject to service interruption and re-connection fees.

Thank you for your business!

Customer Service Team
North Coast Wireless Communications

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