

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Metro)
Fibernet, LLC to Provide)
Telecommunications Services in the state)
of Ohio)

Case No. 22-0754-TP-ACE

REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION
SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE STAFF OF
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

Pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-6-08, as adopted in Case No. 14-1554-TP-ORD, this is an application for certification (ACE). As such, this ACE application is subject to a 30-day approval process. The automatic approval date is September 8, with an effective date of September 9, 2022.

On August 9, 2022, Metro Fibernet, LLC (Applicant) filed an ACE application seeking authority to provide competitive telecommunications services throughout the state of Ohio. The Applicant is proposing to offer voice and data services to business and residential customers.

This is an application seeking authority to offer a telecommunication service defined in R.C. 4927.01(A)(13), as such it must comply with Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-6-08. Upon review of the application, staff found some deficiencies, as such staff contacted the Applicant to request the application be revised to correct these deficiencies. The Applicant filed the correction to amend its application on August 31, 2022.

The staff reviewed all documents and exhibits filed on August 9, 2022, and as amended August 31, 2022. In conclusion, the staff review found that the application, as amended, is reasonable. Therefore, staff recommends that the Applicant's application for certification be approved.

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