

August 29, 2014

Advice No. 2014-004-PL

The Honorable Commissioners Ackerman, Bloom and Savage Oregon Public Utility Commission 3930 Fairview Industrial Drive SE Salem, Oregon 97302-1166

Attention: Joan Grindeland

Dear Commissioners:

Pursuant to Qwest's Price Plan under ORS 759.255, Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC is filing notice of revisions to the Exchange and Network Services Price List, Section 5. These sheets being revised are listed on Attachment A.

This filing expands availability of Line Volume Plan to include all service territories served by a CenturyLink incumbent local exchange carrier, and adds "CenturyLink" to the name of the plan, which will be generally referred to as "CLVP." These changes do not impact the terms and rates for current customers, although current customers may opt to replace their existing Line Volume Plan to include the newly eligible territories, without incurring early termination fees.

Questions concerning this filing may be directed to me or to Ron Trullinger at (503) 242-5089.

The requested effective date for this filing is September 29, 2014. If you have questions concerning this filing, please contact me.

Yours very truly,

Dawn Salaver

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Attachments

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5.11.1 CENTURYLINK LINE VOLUME PLAN (CLVP)

each tier having a Minimum Line Requirement.

A. Description

1. CenturyLink Line Volume Plan (CLVP) is available to business customers subscribing to 10 or more basic business lines or qualifying packages. customer may have up to a maximum of 3,000 participating lines across all CenturyLink incumbent exchange carrier (ILEC) service territories. Lines served by a CenturyLink competitive local exchange carrier (CLEC) are not contributory to or eligible for CLVP. CLVP is offered as a tiered plan with

2. **CLVP** may be offered to new business customers or those who are contemplating establishing service with another telecommunications service provider or, business customers currently receiving their service from telecommunications service provider.

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The terms, conditions and rates for participating lines in CenturyLink incumbent local exchange carrier (ILEC) locations other than those served by Owest Corporation may differ from those contained herein, and are as described in the applicable tariffs, catalogs, and/or other local terms of service documents of the providing CenturyLink ILEC.

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- 3. CLVP defines qualifying products **Owest Corporation service territories** as the following:
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- Flat Rate Business Lines (1FB) with Hunting[1]
- CenturyLink Choice Business (PGOQL)[2]
- CenturyLink Choice Business Plus (PGOQM)[2]
- CenturyLink Choice Business Add-A-Line (PGOQN)[2]
- CenturyLink Choice Business Prime (PGOQT)[2]

B. Terms and Conditions

1. Customers subscribing to CLVP receive discounted rates specified in 5.11.1.C., following. All terms and conditions for qualifying products and services as The Company may withdraw this offering to specified elsewhere apply. customers at any time with appropriate notice.

- 2. All access lines must be associated with the same customer. The Company may, at its discretion, provide this plan to Affiliates or Franchisees of the customer. An Affiliate or Franchisee is an entity whose operation of business is substantially associated with the customer's name, mark, or commercial symbol.
- 3. The discount level for **CLVP** is based on line volume and a contract term of 2, 3, 4 or 5 years. A customer may not have more than one **CLVP**.
- Found in 5.2.4 of the Exchange and Network Services Tariff No. 33.
- Found in 5.9.1 of this Price List.

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- B. Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)
- 4. Additional business lines may be added, but will not affect the monthly discount level, **except as described in 10. following**.

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5. If **CenturyLink** terminates the Service(s) for Cause, or if a customer terminates the Services(s) in whole without Cause before the expiration date, the customer will pay termination charges of \$15.00 per line of the customer's Minimum Line Requirement times the remaining number of months left on the Term. For example: a customer terminating all service with 3 months remaining on the Term and a Minimum Line Requirement of 50 lines will pay \$15.00 x 50 x 3 = \$2,250.00

Annually, if an account falls below the Minimum Line Requirement for the discount tier, the customer will pay a shortfall penalty of \$60.00 for each line below the Minimum Line Requirement. If the customer is charged a shortfall charge, Qwest may subsequently conduct quarterly audits and apply shortfall charges until the customer meets the Minimum Line Requirement.

A termination charge will be waived if the customer replaces the service within the Qwest region with similar Qwest contracted services equal to, or greater than, the remaining value of the commitment.

Termination charge will be waived for customers with a Qwest Line Volume Advantage or *QWEST CHOICE* Business term agreement as long as the new **CLVP** agreement includes the same or greater number of lines for the same or greater term than their existing agreement.

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6. The customer may move all or part of the lines in CLVP to any participating CenturyLink ILEC service location, or change qualifying products, as long as the customer maintains the overall minimum line requirement. Lines moved to an eligible service location other than Qwest Corporation are subject to the requirements described in 9. following. The rates for such relocated lines and the available ancillary services are as specified in the appropriate CenturyLink tariffs, guidebooks, schedules, and/or local terms of service documents for the new service location.

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7. The Company may vary **CLVP** terms and conditions, excluding discount levels, to meet a specific customer's request provided the changes are mutually agreed upon by the customer and the Company.

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B. Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

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8. A customer that chooses a **CLVP** may not have Qwest Line Volume Advantage or any other Local Voice Discount Plan with the exception of *CORE CONNECT* 1. Lines under *CORE CONNECT* 1 will contribute toward the minimum line requirements, but will not be further discounted. Local lines receiving promotional or competitive response offers that include recurring charge waivers

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will not be eligible for **CLVP** discounts until the terms of those offers have been satisfied for those lines.

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9. Customers with an existing CLVP provided by Qwest Corporation may select a separate (second) CLVP for services in an eligible location other than Qwest Corporation. Lines in an existing CLVP may, at Customer's request, be contributory towards determine the tier for the second CLVP. However, those lines will continue to be charged at their existing tier rates for the remainder of that term commitment period.

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Alternately, customers may replace their existing CLVP for lines in Qwest Corporation locations with a new CLVP for which they qualify.

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10. Additional business lines added under an existing CLVP will not affect the tier and monthly discount levels of that CLVP. Customers may, however, commit to a new agreement for a greater number of lines than the existing agreement. Rates applicable under the new agreement will not apply retroactively nor will the months accrued under the initial agreement apply towards the new commitment period.

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- C. Rates and Charges
 - 1. Where applicable, incremental charges as specified in 5.1 of the Exchange and Network Services Tariff apply and will not be discounted.
 - 2. Customers will not incur nonrecurring charges when switching existing basic business line service to **CLVP**.

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3. Nonrecurring charges will apply as specified in 5.2.4 of the Exchange and Network Services Tariff. Nonrecurring charges may be waived for new or existing business customers who move services from another telecommunications service provider to lines and packages under **CLVP**.

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4. Qualifying products may be aggregated across all CenturyLink ILEC service locations to determine the discount level. CLVP will be provided at the following stabilized rates for lines in the exchanges served by Qwest Corporation under this Price List. These rates will be derived by applying discounts to current monthly rates for the qualifying products and will be adjusted to remain unchanged if the qualifying product rates change. Rates for lines in other CLVP locations are as specified in the applicable CenturyLink tariffs, catalogs or local terms of service documents.

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a. Flat Rate Business Service (1FB)[1]

	MONTHLY RATES[2]	
	2 YEAR	3-5 YEAR
• Number of lines	\$25.00	\$22.00
- 10 - 49 - 50 - 499	\$25.99 24.99	\$23.99 22.99
- 500 - 999 - 1000 - 3000	23.99 22.99	21.99 20.99

- [1] The monthly discount level applies to the rates for the Business Individual Flat Rate Line as specified in 5.2.4, of the Exchange and Network Services Tariff. Hunting may be provided at no additional charge.
- [2] The discounted monthly rates shown above apply per line.

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b. **QWEST CHOICE** Business

	MONTHLY RATES[1]	
	2 YEAR	3-5 YEAR
 Number of lines 		
- 10 - 49	\$29.99	\$26.99
- 50 - 499	28.99	25.99
- 500 - 999	27.99	24.99
- 1000 - 3000	26.99	23.99

c. QWEST CHOICE Business Plus

		Monthly Rates[1]	
		2 YEAR	3-5 YEAR
•	Number of lines		
	- 10 - 49	\$30.99	\$27.99
	- 50 - 499	29.99	26.99
	- 500 - 999	28.99	25.99
	- 1000 - 3000	27.99	24.99

[1] The discounted monthly rates shown above apply per line.

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d. Add-A-Line

	MONTHLY RATES[1]	
	2 YEAR	3-5 YEAR
 Number of lines 		
- 10 - 49	\$26.99	\$24.99
- 50 - 499	25.99	23.99
- 500 - 999	24.99	22.99
- 1000 - 3000	23.99	21.99

e. QWEST CHOICE Business Prime

		MONTHLY RATES[1]	
		2 YEAR	3-5 YEAR
•	Number of lines		
	- 10 - 49	\$28.99	\$25.99
	- 50 - 499	27.99	24.99
	- 500 - 999	26.99	23.99
	- 1000 - 3000	25.99	22.99

[1] The discounted monthly rates shown above apply per line.

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