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Advice Letter No. 22

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Dear Ms. Grindeland:

Please find the following revisions to Canby Telephone Association’s Tariff PUC Or. No. 3, Access Services.

<u>Revised Tariff Sheets</u>	<u>Total Number of Sheets</u>
1st Revised Sheet No. 2,77,78,84,85 7th Revised Sheet Nos. 223, 235,245,255,265,275,285, 11th Revised Sheet Nos. 1,6 13th Revised Sheet No. 5	15

This Tariff includes revisions to the rates for the following seven (7) companies:

- Canby Telephone Association
- Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company
- Eagle Telephone System, Inc.
- Molalla Communications Company
- Mt. Angel Telephone Company
- Nehalem Telecommunications, Inc.
- Scio Mutual Telephone Association

Section 12 of this Tariff PUC Or. No. 3, Access Services, include each of those Company’s rates and charges.

This filing is made in compliance with the Federal Communication Commission’s (FCC) Order 20-143; Part 51 – Interconnection; Subpart M – 8YY Transition; §51.909 Transition of rate-of-return carrier access charges; Step 2. The FCC Order establishes separate rate elements for interstate and



intrastate toll free originating end office access service and non-toll free originating end office access service. Intrastate toll free originating end office access service rates shall be in parity with its interstate toll free originating end office access service rates. Currently each of the Company's intrastate originating access service rates are greater than interstate rates. Therefore, in this filing we propose rate reductions to bring the composite rate levels into parity.

Other than noted above, this filing will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with other schedules. This filing is revenue neutral for these Companies.

It is requested that this filing become effective July 1, 2021.

Please date stamp a copy of this transmittal and return it to us for our records.

Please call me at 509.777.0137 or Tym.Rutkowski@mossadams.com if you have any questions about the content or Choua Her at 209.955.6141 or Choua.Her@mossadams.com for questions on the PDF filing.

Sincerely,

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Check Sheet

This Check Sheet contains the following sheets that are effective as of the date shown on each sheet. Original and revised sheets as named below contain all changes from the original tariff that are in effect on the date hereof.

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4. **SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE**

4.1 General

Switched Access Service, which is available to customers for their use in furnishing their services to end users, provides a two-point communications path between a customer's premises and an end user's premises. It provides for the use of common terminating, switching, and trunking facilities, and common subscriber plant of the Company. Switched Access Service provides for the ability to originate calls from an end user's premises to a customer's premises, and to terminate calls from a customer's premises to an end user's premises in the LATA where it is provided.

4.2 Rate Categories

4.2.1 Two Categories

There are two rate categories which apply to Switched Access Service:

- Local Transport.
- End Office (Local Switching and Information Surcharge).

4.2.2 Description of the Rate Categories

(A) Local Transport

The Local Transport rate category* provides the transmission and tandem switching facilities between the customer's premises and the end office switch(es) where the customer's traffic is switched to originate or terminate the customer's communications. For purposes of determining Local Transport mileage, distance will be measured from the wire center that normally serves the customer's premises to the end office switch(es). Local Transport mileage measurement rules are set forth in 4.5.7 following and in this section.

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* As of July 1, 2021, the originating Local Transport switching rates are not applied to originating toll free minutes.

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4. **SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE** (Continued)

4.2 Rate Categories (Continued)

4.2.2 Description of the Rate Categories (Continued)

(A) Local Transport* (Continued)

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Local Transport is a two-way voice frequency transmission path composed of facilities determined by the Telephone Company. The two-way voice frequency transmission path permits the transport of calls in the originating direction (from the end user end office switch to the customer's premises) and in the terminating direction (from the customer's premises to the end office switch), but not simultaneously. The voice frequency transmission path may be comprised of any form or configuration of plant capable of and typically used in the telecommunications industry for the transmission of voice and associated telephone signals within the frequency bandwidth of approximately 300 to 3000 Hz. The customer must specify the choice of facilities (i.e., Voice Grade 2 or 4 wire, High Capacity DS1 or DS3) to be used in the provision of the Direct Trunked Transport or Entrance Facility.

Local Transport is comprised of an Entrance Facility, Direct-Trunked Transport, Tandem-Switched Transport, and Multiplexing. Descriptions of the Local Transport components are provided in (1) through (4) following.

The Telephone Company will work cooperatively with the customer in determining (1) whether the service is to be routed directly to an end office switch or through an access tandem switch, and (2) the directionality of the service.

Local Transport is provided at the rates and charges as set forth in 4.8 following. The application of these rates with respect to individual Local Access Service arrangements is set forth in 4.7.1 following.

* As of July 1, 2021, the originating Local Transport switching rates are not applied to originating toll free minutes.

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4. **SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE** (Continued)

4.2 Rate Categories (Continued)

4.2.2 Description of the Rate Categories (Continued)

(B) End Office

The End Office (Local Switching) provides the local end office switching and end user termination functions necessary to complete the transmission of Switched Access communications to and from the end users served by the local end office. The End Office Rate category includes the Local Switching and Information Surcharge rate elements.

(1) Local Switching

The End Office (Local Switching) rate element provides the local end office switching functions associated with Feature Groups A, B, C, and D and the transport termination for the trunk side arrangements which terminate the Local Transport facilities. There are four types of functions included in the Local Switching rate element: Common Switching, Transport Termination, Line Termination and Intercept. Rates for Local Switching are set forth in Section 12. For originating toll free minutes only, a different Local Switching rate applies.

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(a) Common Switching

Common Switching provides the local end office switching functions associated with the various access (i.e., Feature Group) switching arrangements.

(b) Transport Termination

Transport Termination functions provide for the line or trunk side arrangements which terminate the Local Transport facilities.

The number of Transport Terminations provided will be determined by the Telephone Company.

(c) Line Termination

Line Termination provides for the terminations of end user lines in the local end office. There are two types of Line Terminations, i.e., Common Line Terminations and Special Access Service Terminations utilized in the provision of WATS or WATS-type services at Telephone Company designated WATS Service Offices.

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4. **SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE** (Continued)

4.2 Rate Categories (Continued)

4.2.2 Description of the Rate Categories (Continued)

(B) End Office (Continued)

(1) Local Switching (Continued)

(c) Line Termination (Continued)

The Special Access Service Terminations are differentiated by line side vs. trunk side terminations. In addition, there are various types of originating and terminating line side terminations depending on the type of signaling associated with the Special Access Service. Line side terminations are available with either dial pulse or dual tone multi-frequency address signaling.

(d) Intercept

The Intercept function provides for the termination of a call at a Telephone Company Intercept operator or recording. The operator or recording tells a caller why a call, as dialed, could not be completed, and if possible, provides the correct number.

(2) Information Surcharge

Information Surcharge rates are assessed to a customer based on the total number of access minutes. Information Surcharge rates are as set forth in Section 12 for the Issuing Carriers. For originating toll free minutes only, a different Information Surcharge rate applies.

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The Information Surcharge does not apply to Feature Groups B and D Switched Access Services associated with Wireless Switching Centers (WSCs) directly interconnected to a Telephone Company access tandem office.

The number of end office switching transmission paths will be determined as set forth in 4.5.5 following.

(3) Non-Chargeable Optional Features

Where facilities permit, the Company will, at the option of the customer, provide non-chargeable optional features which are listed under each Feature Group.

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES**

12.1 **General**

The rates and charges for the services offered in this tariff are shown separately for each Issuing Carrier in this section. See the Table of Contents to locate the description of the services provided for these rate elements.

12.2 **Canby Telephone Association**

12.2.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All Feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)	\$290.13	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$0.048038	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.00000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

** The composite Terminating Local Switching rate shown above include the Terminating Information Surcharge rate element.

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES** (Continued)

12.3 **Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company**

12.3.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)		
2/4 Wire	\$480.90	
DS1	\$352.68	
DS3	\$475.56	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$0.014923	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.000000	
(b) Information Surcharge, Combined In Rates 12.3.1(C)(1)(a)	\$0.000000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES** (Continued)

12.4 **Eagle Telephone System, Inc.**

12.4.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All Feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)	\$290.13	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$ 0.048514	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.000000	
(b) Information Surcharge, Combined In Rates 12.4.1(C)(1)(a)	\$0.000000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES**

12.5 **Molalla Communications Company**

12.5.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All Feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)	\$290.13	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$0.034118	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.000000	
(b) Information Surcharge, Combined In Rates 12.5.1(C)(a)	\$0.000000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES**

12.6 **Mt. Angel Telephone Company**

12.6.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All Feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)	\$290.13	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$0.038915	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.000000	
(b) Information Surcharge, Combined In Rates 12.6.1(C)(1)(a)	\$0.000000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES**

12.7 **Nehalem Telecommunications, Inc.**

12.7.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All Feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)	\$290.13	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$0.014923	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.000000	
(b) Information Surcharge, Combined In Rates 12.7.1(C)(1)(a)	\$0.000000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

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12. **RATES AND CHARGES**

12.8 **Scio Mutual Telephone Association**

12.8.1 **Switched Access Service**

	<u>Rate</u>	
(A) <u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		
All Feature Groups, Per Line or Trunk Connected (excludes inside wire)	\$290.13	
(B) Originating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		(T)
(1) End Office Non-Toll Free	\$0.075145	(T)
(2) End Office Toll Free Only	\$0.014923	(N)
(C) Terminating Access, Per Access Minute Billed, All Feature Groups*		
(1) <u>End Office Charges</u>		
(a) Local Switching:**	\$0.000000	
(b) Information Surcharge, Combined In Rates 12.8.1(C)(1)(a)	\$0.000000	

* The rate includes non-chargeable Interface Groups and Optional Features as set forth in 4.2. (A) (1) and 4.2. (A) (2).

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