

**OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE**

DATE: December 15, 2021

TO: File through John Crider and Bruce Hellebuyck

FROM: Joseph Bartholomew

SUBJECT: ZIPLY FIBER NORTHWEST, LLC dba ZIPLY FIBER: (Docket No. PL 177/Advice No. 2021-5) Ziply Fiber Northwest, LLC Ziply Fiber Statewide Price List Version Update

I have reviewed this filing and recommend that an acknowledgement letter be sent.

Applicable Rule or Law

Telecommunications utilities are required under ORS 759.175 to submit Price List filings to the Commission whenever they intend to change their rates, terms, or conditions of service.

On August 17, 2018, with Order No. 18-303 (Docket No. UM 1895), the Commission approved a Price Plan applicable to Ziply Fiber Northwest, LLC dba Ziply Fiber (Ziply) as allowed by ORS 759.255.

Section 9.a.ii of the Price Plan requires Price List Changes be provided to the Commission at least one day prior to the effective date of the change.

Analysis

On October 5, 2021 Ziply submitted an updated Statewide Price List No. 2 (Price List) to replace the current version of the Ziply Fiber Northwest, LLC Ziply Fiber Statewide Price List for formatting purposes with an effective date of November 5, 2021. After analysis, Staff found the following errors within the newly submitted Price List and returned it to Ziply for corrections:

- There are two section 2's in this book and the second section 2 starts with sheet 0;
- Section 3 sheet 15 under Custom Line Telephone Service has the 1 year term priced at \$73.00 and the 3 year term priced at \$58.00, while the current Price List has the 1 year term at \$68.00 and 3 year at \$53.00. It's not clear why they increased the price in the new Price List but they have not submitted any documents to the PUC regarding that increase;
- Section 6 sheet 21 under Service Order Installation initial order the \$100.00 charge is under monthly rate and should be under nonrecurring charges (NRC);
- Section 10 sheet 46 under measured voice/measured data channels the \$5.00 charge should be under monthly rates, not NRC;
- Section 13 sheet 19 under DS1 terminations the charge should be \$44.00, not \$4.00;

- Section 15 sheet 6 prices are incorrect under some categories; and
- Section 17 sheet 22 under Beaverton the price should be \$8.15.

On November 19, 2021 Zipty re-submitted the Price List with corrections and a new effective date of December 9, 2021. After analysis, Staff found no errors in the newly submitted Price list

Other than re-formatting the Price List, there are no changes that affect the intent of the Price List.

Staff finds it appropriate to approve the Price List effective December 9, 2021.

Conclusion

Staff finds that the filing complies with Oregon statutes, applicable Price Plan requirements, and the requirements of ORS 759.175 and therefore, should be allowed to go into effect.