

February 19, 2019

Public Utility Commission of Oregon 201 High Street, SE, Suite 100 Salem, Oregon 97301-3398

RE: Advice No. 363 for CenturyTel of Oregon, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink and CenturyTel of Eastern

Oregon, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink, OR PUC No. 6 Tariff (AMENDED)

# Dear Commissioners:

As previously recommended by Stephen Hayes of the Oregon Public Utility Commission, this amendment revises existing EAS language to read:

"When EAS calling areas are added or changed, and when EAS rates are adjusted, affected customers may change their EAS option once within six months of the change at no charge."

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Phil Grate at (206) 345-6224 or me at the contact information provided below.

Sincerely,

Robyn Crichton

cc: Phil Grate, CenturyLink

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OR 19-04 (Amended)

### **BASIC EXCHANGE ACCESS SERVICE**

### 5.5 RATES

# A. Extended Area Service Surcharge

### Flat Rate

The Extended Area Service surcharges listed below apply in addition to the Basic Exchange Access Service monthly rates specified elsewhere. The surcharge is applied by rate band. Rate bands are based upon the number of access lines which can be called that are outside of the local exchange but within the extended area service arrangement.

### CLASS OF SERVICE

|        | Residential     | <u>Business</u> |
|--------|-----------------|-----------------|
| BAND A | \$4.83          | \$7.00          |
| BAND B | 5.00            | 7.00            |
| BAND C | <b>5.00</b> (R) | <b>7.00</b> (R) |
| BAND D | <b>5.00</b> (R) | <b>7.00</b> (R) |
| BAND E | <b>5.00</b> (R) | <b>9.00</b> (R) |
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## 2. Measured Rate

All classes of service, Per minute

3. Nonrecurring charges

Non-recurring charges from Section 3 normally apply when EAS service options are changed after initial installation of service. When EAS calling areas are added or changed, **and when EAS rates are adjusted,** affected customers may change their EAS option once within six months of the change at no charge.

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4. Extended Area Service Exchange Rate Bands

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