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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UA 142

In the Matter of

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON,

ORDER

Staff's reallocation of local exchange telecommunications service territory for Pioneer Telephone Cooperative.

DISPOSITION: STAFF'S RECOMMENDATION ADOPTED

This order memorializes our decision, made and effective at the public meeting on June 4, 2013, to adopt Staff's recommendation in this matter. The Staff Report with the recommendation is attached as Appendix A.

Dated this 10th day of June, 2013, at Salem, Oregon.

Susan K. Ackerman

Chair

John Savage

Commissioner

Stephen M. Bloom

Commissioner

A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order under ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-001-0720. A copy of the request must also be served on each party to the proceedings as provided in OAR 860-001-0180(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480 through 183.484.

ITEM NO. CA4

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON STAFF REPORT PUBLIC MEETING DATE: June 4, 2013

REGULAR	CONSENT X EFFECTIVE DATE	June 5, 2013	_
DATE:	May 22, 2013		
TO:	Public Utility Commission		

FROM:

Stephen Hayes

THROUGH: Jason Eisdorfer, Bryan Conway, and Irv Emmons

SUBJECT: PIONEER TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE: (Docket No. UA 142/Advice

No. 56) Corrects the map filed pursuant to previous Commission Order

reallocating local exchange telecommunications service territory.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Commission accept Advice No. 56 correcting the previous map filed in compliance of Commission Order 09-082. Staff also recommends that the Commission approve modifying Commission Order 09-082 under ORS 756.518.

DISCUSSION:

The Pioneer Telephone Cooperative recently discovered errors in the map they had filed defining their allocated territory as part of an implementation of 2005 Legislative changes in the way allocated territory is defined. The map filed with Advice No. 56 replaces the map originally approved by Commission Order No. 82-808. The proposed changes are minor in nature and do not add to or decrease territory allocated to them when metes and bounds descriptions were formerly used as the mechanism to describe allocated territory. The allocated territory of adjacent companies are not affected by the changes.

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PROPOSED COMMISSION MOTION:

The Commission modify Order 09-082 pursuant to ORS 756.518 reallocating the boundaries of the exchange maps filed with and approved by the Commission replacing all previous territory allocations for Pioneer Telephone Cooperative and accept Advice No. 56 correcting the previously filed map.

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