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RE: Hiawatha Telephone Company Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1(R)
TAM Transmittal No. 6

Dear Ms. Ancona:

Enclosed is one copy of Hiawatha Telephone Company's (Hiawatha) Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1(R) revisions for filing with the Commission pursuant to Public Act 179 of 1991, as amended, MCL 484.2101 et seq.

This filing is the result of the consolidation of Chippewa County Telephone Company into Hiawatha Telephone Company, with the latter as the surviving legal entity. The tariff changes reflect the addition of the Brimley Exchange to the Exchanges, related exchange rates and local calling areas already set forth in the Hiawatha tariffs.

This tariff filing also reflects (1) the availability of additional "Safety+net Bundled Phone and Internet Offerings," (2) the increase in service charges for all exchanges except the Brimley exchange, and (3) the availability of the "Tribal Link Up Program" in the Brimley exchange only.

Hiawatha's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1(R) can be viewed in its entirety at <http://telecommich.org/news/?newsid=204>.

The tariff sheets that are included in this transmittal can be viewed at <http://telecommich.org/Documents/MPSC1RHTCTAMtransmittal6.pdf>.

The effective date of these tariffs is January 1, 2015.

Yours truly,

Scott Stevenson
President

SS/ma

Cc: Jay Brogan, Camie Conklin, Hiawatha Communications, Inc.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE
INDEX OF EXCHANGES SHOWING TOWNSHIPS AND
COUNTIES WITHIN ITS EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA

Exchange	Incorporated Village	Township	County
Brimley	None	Bay Mills Superior Kinross	Chippewa

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: BRIMLEY

A. GENERAL

1. The provision of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulations given in the General Rules and Regulations as they now exist and are filed with and form part of this Tariff.
2. The rates shown below (except for Semi-Public Service) entitle the customer to calls to all stations bearing the designation of a central office of the following exchanges, which comprise the Local Service Area:

Zone 1 BRIMLEY

Zone 2 All rate centers within the geographic boundaries of the 906 Area Code as of October 1, 2005 besides those included in Zone 1
3. The Company will Block 1-Pius Dialed Calls to Stations within the Local Service Area (except 8YY calls)
4. Calls made to a telephone number with an NPA NXX that is associated with the rate center that is within the customer's local calling area are local calls regardless of the physical location of the called party.

B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES: Within the Base Rate Area:

<u>Class of Service</u>			ALL
Residence, PBX Trunk, Key, One-Party			\$22.24
	<u>NON-EDUCATIONAL</u>		
	<u>6 or fewer lines</u>	<u>7 or more lines</u>	EDUCATIONAL
Business, PBX Trunk, One-Party	\$28.67	\$26.17	\$26.17

Basic local exchange services installed after June 30, 2001 will include touchcall service at no additional charge above the rates listed for the class of service installed. Residence PBX trunks, Key or One Party lines in service at July 1, 2001, that did not have touchcall service as an auxiliary service at the end of business June 30, 2001 will receive a monthly credit of \$1.50 during the period that line is in continual service after June 30, 2001 and touchcall service is not affirmatively added as an auxiliary service. Business PBX trunks, Key or One Party lines in service at July 1, 2001, that did not have touchcall service as an auxiliary service at the end of business June 30, 2001 will receive a monthly credit of \$2.00 during the period that line is in continual service after June 30, 2001 and touchcall service is not affirmatively added as an auxiliary service. If an end users action causes the disconnection of a line for any reason (such as nonpayment of a bill for regulated services, change of class of service or movement to vacation rate) that line will not qualify for any future touch call credit.

Local MOU Charges are specified in Paragraph D of this Section

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

C. EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA - Which is that area described as follows: Exchange: Brimley

Commencing at a point on the west line of Section 7, T47N, R5W, Bay Mills Township, Chippewa County; which intersects the shoreline of Lake Superior; easterly along said shoreline to the east line of Section 25, T47N, R2W, south to the southeast corner of said section; west to the southwest corner of said section; south to the southeast corner of Section 35, T47N, R2W; east to the southeast corner of Section 36, south to the southeast corner of Section 24, T46N, R2W, Superior Township; west to the Southwest corner of Section 23, T46N, R2W; south to the northwest corner of Section 2, T45N, R2W, Kinross Township; east to the northeast corner of said section; south to the southeast corner of said section; east to the northeast corner of Section 12, T45N, R2W, south to a point 1/10 mile south of the south line of said section; west to the west line of Section 14, T45N, R2W; north 1/10 mile; west to the northwest corner of Section 18, T45N, R3W; Bay Mills Township, south to a point 1/10 mile north of the south line of Section 24, T45N, R3W, west to the east line of Section 24, T45N, R4W, south 1/10 mile; west to the southwest corner of Section 19, T45N, R4W; north to the northeast corner, Section 6, T46N, R4W; Superior Township, west to the southwest corner of Section 31, T46N, R5W; north to the point of beginning.

D. LOCAL MOU RATE

For calls dialed to a station bearing the designation of a central office within Zone 1, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period	\$0.00 per MOU
Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period	\$0.00 per MOU

For calls dialed to a station bearing the designation of a central office within Zone 2, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period	\$0.00 per MOU
Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period	\$0.05 per MOU

The Company will measure Conversation MOU from the time when the Company's switching equipment receives answer supervision to the earlier of when the Company's switch receives disconnection supervision from the Company's switch or from the terminating switch.

The Company will round measure Conversation MOU to the next higher whole MOU per call.

The Company will not bill the end user for non-conversation time related to local calls.

Conversation MOU do not include 0-plus or 0-minus calls.

The Company will not provide call record detail for local usage. No MOU are carried forward from month to month.

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M.P.S.C. No.1 (R)

SAFETY+ net BUNDLED PHONE
AND INTERNET OFFERING

EXCHANGE: Applicable to All Exchanges

- A. The Company is offering a bundled local telephone exchange and internet access service offering. This service includes the following features and functionalities:
1. Unlimited and untimed local calling to the following local exchanges: Eckerman (274), Munising (387), Shingleton (452), Paradise (492), Grand Marais (494), Seney (499), Hiawatha Forest (573), Deer Park (658), Hulbert (876), and Brimley (248).
 2. Unlimited incoming intrastate and interstate long distance or interexchange calls
 3. Access to emergency service 911 calls
 4. Access to Directory Listing Number Services 411 calls
 5. Access to 211/711/811 calls
 6. Voice grade access to the public switched network
 7. Dual tone multi-frequency signaling or its functional equivalent (Touch Tone service)
 8. Single-party service or its functional equivalent
 9. "1 plus the number" toll service is restricted/blocked on outgoing calls. Outgoing toll calls may be made only on a "dial-around" basis using a long distance carrier's access code.
 10. Jamadots High Speed Internet Service at the speeds and rates described below.

Monthly Rates

- B. -\$53.00* - with Internet service of up to 6Mb download/1Mb upload speeds
-\$62.00* - with Internet service of up to 15Mb download/2 Mb upload speeds
-\$72.00* - with Internet service of up to 30Mb download/4 Mb upload speeds
-\$102.00* - with Internet service of up to 30Mb download/20 Mb upload speeds
-\$79.00* - with Internet service of up to 50Mb download/ 5 Mb upload speeds
-\$114.00* - with Internet service of up to 50Mb download/25 Mb upload speeds
-\$119.00* - with Internet service of up to 100Mb download/5 Mb upload speeds
-\$169.00* - with Internet service of up to 100Mb download/25 Mb upload speeds

C. Optional Features

1. An optional feature package is available which includes Caller ID/Name and Number - \$3.00/month
2. Customer may have its phone number unlisted in any printed or electronic phone directory available to the general public - \$1.00/month
3. Inside Wire Maintenance (repair to wiring on the customer's side of network interface) - \$1.00/month

D. Terms, Conditions, Eligibility and Requirements for Service

1. The current terms and conditions for these offerings may be found in the Internet Service Agreement and Internet Installation Agreement provided to the customer in connection with subscription to the service offerings.
2. Service and construction charges set forth in the Company's tariffs apply, except an existing local exchange service customer of the Company does not have to pay the establishment of service or line connection charges.
3. This offering is only available where facilities exist to offer one or more of the Jamadots High Speed Internet Plans.

*State taxes, federal taxes, and E-911 charges apply.

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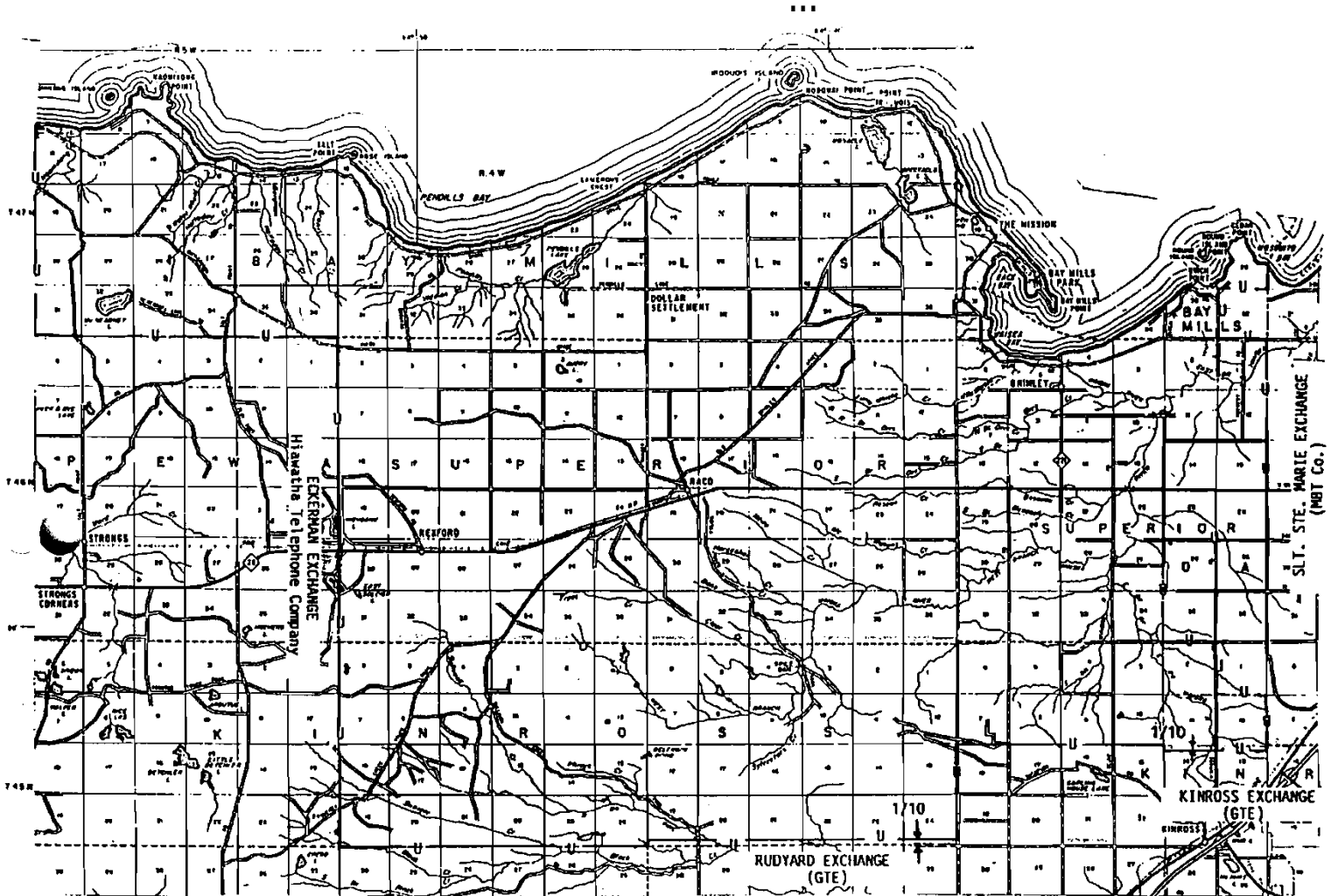
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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA

Exchange: Brimley



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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

SERVICE CHARGES

A. GENERAL

1. Service charges are applicable with the establishment of the telephone service, and for subsequent changes and additions thereto as specified in this tariff.
2. Service charges consisting of one or more of the following charges may apply for new or additional service or changes in service which require the activity or work as briefly indicating under "Charges" or as specified under Application of Charges or as modified by specific Tariff items elsewhere in this tariff.

B. APPLICATION OF CHARGES

1. Establishment of Service - An establishment of service charge applies on each customer order when a new customer account is established. A customer order involving an existing account (made subsequent to establishment of the account) also has an establishment of service charge as shown under "Charges". The Establishment of Service Charge to existing accounts applies when an existing customer's order involves lines, outside plant, or other requested services for which monthly rates are established.

The Establishment of Service Charge also applies to:

Establishment of a special billing number account at the customer's request.
Change to nonpublished number service.

The Establishment of Service Charges does not apply to:

Change in grade of service.
Change in billing address
Discontinuance of nonpublished number service
Discontinuance of any service if changes in equipment are not required.
Change in classification of service (bus. or res.)

2. Line Connection Charge - A line connection charge, per line, is made for each line on which work is required by the service order; in the central office; outside plant; drop wire; or other portion of plant up to the premises served.

This charge also applies to a change in telephone number or party line assignment made at the request of the customer, restoral of service, establishment to touch calling service or move of drop wire.

4. Other Applications or Exceptions To Service Charges

- a. The charges specified herein do not contemplate work being performed by the company employees at a time when overtime wages apply due to the request of the customer nor do they contemplate work begun being interrupted by the customer. If the customer requests overtime labor being performed or interrupts work once begun, a charge in addition to the specified charges will be made equal to the additional cost involved.
- b. No service charge will apply when the service is rendered inoperative by fire or other cause beyond the control of the customer which renders the premises unfit for occupancy and service is re-established at another location. Service charges apply for transferring a temporary installation to another location.

C. Service Charges – All exchanges except Brimley Exchange

1. Service Ordering and Line Connection Charges		(C)
Establishment of Service		(N)
a) New Account, Per Order*	\$19.00	(I)
b) Existing Account, Per Order**	10.00	(I)

* Applies to any new customer's service order.
 ** Applies to any present customer's order to relocate, install, change or add to the service; telephone number change, restoral of service after disconnect for nonpayment; additional central office lines, etc.

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

C. MONTHLY RATES AND DISCOUNTS FOR LIFELINE CUSTOMERS

1. The discount on the monthly rate for residential exchange service for qualified Lifeline customers shall be \$9.25 from the Federal discount program plus \$2.00 from the State discount program for a total discount of \$11.25. Credits are applied to the end user's basic local exchange service. At no time shall the total Lifeline credit exceed the sum of the end user common line charge and the basic local exchange rate. The discount on the monthly rate for residential exchange service for qualified Lifeline customers 65 years of age or more shall be \$9.25 from the Federal discount program plus \$3.10 from the State discount program for a total discount of \$12.35. Credits are applied to the end user's basic local exchange service. At no time shall the total Lifeline credit exceed the sum of the end-user common line charge and the basic local exchange rate.

D. MONTHLY RATE FOR NON LIFELINE CUSTOMERS

A rate specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C No. 25 Part XVII, General applies per exchange access line to cover the costs of the Lifeline service, to the Telephone Company intrastate services as listed below:

- Business and Residence exchange services excluding Lifeline customers.
- PBX Trunk Services
- Centrex Services

The rate for business Centrex station lines will be computed based on the trunk Equivalence Table specified in the Company's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 2.

E. TRIBAL LINK UP PROGRAM - Brimley Exchange Only (N)

1. A discount on the line connection charge is available to qualifying Lifeline customers residing on Tribal lands as defined in 47CFR §54.400(e) for the installation or transfer of services from one residential premises to another.
2.
 - a. A qualifying customer may receive a 100% reduction up to \$100 in the installation charges, or transfer of service charges, for connection at the customer's principal place of residence.
 - b. A qualifying customer may then make payments for the connection charges on a deferred schedule in which the qualifying customer does not pay interest. The interest charges not charged to the qualifying customer shall be for connection charges of up to \$200.00 that are deferred for a period not to exceed one year. Charges assessed for installation or transfer of service include any charges that the Company customarily assesses to connect subscribers to the network. These charges do not include any permissible security deposit requirements.
 - c. A qualifying customer can receive the benefits of the Tribal Link Up Program for a second and subsequent time only for a principal place of residence with an address different from the residential address at which the Tribal Link Up assistance was approved previously. (N)