

September 30, 2019

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RE: Waldron Telephone Company ("Waldron")

Tariffs M.P.S.C. No. 1(R) TAM Transmittal No. 6

Dear Ms. Ancona:

Enclosed is one copy of Waldron Telephone Company's 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.

The revisions (1) increase the monthly access line rates for residential customers in the Hillsdale County Rate Center by \$.16 per line and in the Lenawee County Rate Center by \$.10 per line, respectively, (2) increase the Business 1-Party Line and PBX Trunk rates in both Hillsdale County and Lenawee County Rate Centers by \$.10 per line and (3) eliminate the separate rates for grandfathered rotary dial service. All former rotary dial service customers will receive touch call service as part of their regular service. The rate increases are offset, in whole or in part, by the elimination of the State Lifeline Surcharge.

Tariffs can be viewed in their entirety at <a href="http://telecommich.org/tariffs.">http://telecommich.org/tariffs.</a>

The effective date of these changes is October 1, 2019.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact our office.

Yours truly,

Scott Stevenson

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President

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### LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: WALDRON

#### A. GENERAL

- 1. The provision of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulations given in the GeneralRules and Regulations as they now exist and are filed with and form part of this Tariff.
- 2. The rates shown below entitle the customer to messages without other charge to all stations bearing the designation of a central office of the following exchanges, which comprise the LocalService Area:

### WALDRON HUDSON MORENCI PRATTVILLE RANSOM

Waldron will block calls dialed 1-plus to stations within the Waldron, Hudson, Morenci, Prattville or Ransom exchanges. Waldron will treat calls dialed without 1-plus as local calls and Waldron will bill those calls according to this tariff.

- 3. The Company will designate local calls as "Local VNXX Calls" if they meet all of the following criteria: a. The dialed phone number is associated with a rate center included in the calling party's Local Calling Area
  - b. The end user associated with the called number is not physically located within the rate center associated with the dialed phone number,
  - c. The rate center in which the dialed party is physically located is not within the customer's Local Calling Area,
  - d. The provider of Basic Local Exchange Service to the dialed phone number does not agree to compensate the Company for those calls per the Company's applicable access tariff based on the jurisdiction of a call to the physical location of the dialed party, and
  - e. The Company has posted numbers meeting the above four criteria on the Company's website as Local VNXX Calls.

If a customer so requests, the Company will block direct dialing to all Local VNXX Calls.

- The Waldron exchange is divided into 2 rate centers for residential rate purposes with one center for the portion of the exchanges located in Hillsdale County and the second rate center for the portion (N) located in Lenawee County.
- B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES: Within the Base Rate Area:

Class of Service		<u>ALL</u>	
Residence 1-Party Line -	Hillsdale County Rate Center	\$20.25* (I)	
	Lenawee County Rate Center	\$21.69*	(1)
Business 1-Party Line			

	NON-EDUC	<u>ational</u>		
PBX Trunk	6 or fewer lines	7 or more lines	<b>EDUCATIONAL</b>	
	\$22.16*	\$19.66*	\$19.66*	(1)
	\$26.36*	\$23.86*	\$23.86*	(1)

<sup>\*</sup>The charges for basic local exchange service and touchcall service are integrated into a single rate with no rate increase for touchcall customers.

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