

Schedule of Rate and Charges and
Regulations Governing General

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Applying in the Exchanges of this Company, in
Michigan, as Designated in the Table of Contents herein.

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE
APPLICATION AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. APPLICATION

1. This Tariff applies to Local Telephone Exchange Services of the Baraga Telephone Company -hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company in exchanges in Michigan as designated herein.
2. Local Telephone Exchange Service is that of furnishing facilities for telephone intercommunication between customers within a Local Service Area.
3. The provision of service is subject to regulations specified in the M.P.S.C. Tariffs of the Telephone Company, which tariffs as they now exist or as they may be revised, added to, or supplemented by superseding issues are hereby made a part of this Tariff.

B. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) Signifies a changed regulation.
- (D) Signifies a discontinued rate, treatment or regulation.
- (I) Signifies an increased rate, or new treatment resulting in an increased rate.
- (N) Signifies a new rate, treatment or regulation. (C)
- (R) Signifies a reduced rate, or new treatment resulting in a reduced rate.

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

Exchange	Incorporated Village	Townships	County	
Alston	None	Baraga Laird Bohemia	Baraga Houghton Houghton	
Baraga	Baraga	Baraga	Baraga	
Tapiola	None	Baraga Portage	Baraga Houghton	
L'Anse	L'Anse	Arvon Baraga L'Anse	Baraga	
Houghton	Hancock Houghton South Range	Hancock Houghton South Range Adams Calumet Chassell Franklin Osceola Portage Quincy Stanton Torch Lake	Houghton	
Crystal Falls	Crystal Falls	Crystal Fall Mansfield Mastodon	Iron	(N) (N)

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

A. General Exchange: ALSTON

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 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 Local Service Area.

ALSTON BARAGA L'ANSE TAPIOLA

3. Basic local service includes touch call. (C)

B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES

1. Monthly Rates for Exchange Service

Class of Service	
Business:	All Lines
One Party	\$23.61 ¹ (C)
Multi Lines (6 or fewer)	\$23.61 ¹
Multi Lines (7 or more)	\$21.11 ²
Educational	\$21.11 ²
Residence:	All Lines
One Party	\$21.03 ³ (C)

¹ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) End User Common Line (EUCL) charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

² This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) EUCL charge of \$1.00, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

³ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$17.53, (ii) EUCL charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00 (N)

C. Exchange Area - Enclosed by the following boundary:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 31, T50N, R36W, Laird Township, Houghton County thence North to the Southwest corner Section 1, T50N, R37W, Bohemia Township, Ontonagon County West to the Southwest corner, Section 3, North to the South Line Section 31, T51N, R37W Laird Township, Houghton County, West to the Southwest corner of Section 31, North to the Northwest corner of Section 19, East to the Southwest corner of Section 16, T51N, R35W, North to the Northwest corner of Section 4, East to the Northwest corner, Section 6, T51N, R35W, Baraga Township, Baraga County, South to the West 1/8 post, Northwest 1/4, Section 6. Thence East to the center of the Northwest 1/4, Section 6, thence South to the center of the Southwest 1/4, Section 18, East to the East 1/8 post of the Southwest 1/4 Section 18, South to the center of Section 19, West to the West line of Section 19, South to the Southwest corner of Section 19, East to the South 1/4 post Section 19, South to the West 1/8 post, Southeast 1/4 Section 31, East to the center of the Southeast 1/4, Section 31, South to the South 1/8 post of the Southeast 1/4, Section 34, T50N, R35W, West to the point of beginning.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

- A. General Exchange: BARAGA
- 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.
 - 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 Local Service Area.
BARAGA ALSTON TAPIOLA L'ANSE
 - Basic local service includes touch call. (C)

B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES

- Monthly Rates for Exchange Service
Class of Service
Business: All Lines
One Party \$23.61¹ (C)
Multi Lines (6 or Less) \$23.61¹
Multi Lines (7 or More) \$21.11²
Educational \$21.11²
Residence: All Lines
One Party \$21.03³ (C)

¹ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) End User Common Line (EUCL) charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

² This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) EUCL charge of \$1.00, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

³ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$17.53, (ii) EUCL charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

C. Exchange Area - Enclosed by the following boundary:

Commencing at the intersection of the shore of Keweenaw Bay and the North Line of Section 2, T52N, R33W, Baraga Township, Baraga County. Thence South along the shore line of Keweenaw Bay and L'Anse Bay to the East Line of Section 1, T50N, R34W, thence South to the Southeast corner of Section 36, West to the South 1/8 post of the Southeast corner, Section 34, T50N, R35W, North to the center Southeast 1/4, Section 31, T51N, R34W, West to the East 1/8 post, Southwest 1/4, Section 31, North to the North 1/4 post Section 30, West to the Southwest corner, Section 19, North to the West 1/4 post, Section 19, East to the center of Section 19, North to the West 1/8 post, Southeast 1/4, Section 18, West to the center of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 18, North to the center of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 6, East to the center of Northwest 1/4 of Section 6, T51N, R33W, North to the South 1/8 post of the Northwest 1/4, Section 19, East to the South 1/8 post of the Northeast 1/4, Section 19, North to the South 1/8 post of the Northeast 1/4, Section 7, West to the West 1/4 post of Section 7, North to the Northwest corner of Section 6, East to the point of beginning.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

- A. General Exchange: TAPIOLA
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 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 Local Service Area.

TAPIOLA ALSTON BARAGA L'ANSE HOUGHTON

3. Basic local service includes touch call. (C)

B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES

1. Monthly Rates for Exchange Service

Class of Service	
Business:	All Lines
One Party	\$23.61 ¹
Multi Lines (6 or Less)	\$23.61 ¹
Multi Lines (7 or More)	\$21.11 ²
Educational	\$21.11 ²
Residence:	All Lines
One Party	\$21.03 ³

¹ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) End User Common Line (EUCL) charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

² This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) EUCL charge of \$1.00, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

³ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$17.53, (ii) EUCL charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

C. Exchange Area - Enclosed by the following boundary:

Commencing at the Southwest corner Section 31, R34W, T52N, Portage Township, Houghton County, North to the Northwest corner Section 6, East to the Northeast corner Section 1, South to the East 1/4 post Section 12, East to the South 1/8 post of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 7, R33W, T52N, Baraga Township, Baraga County, thence South to the South 1/8 post, Northeast 1/4, Section 19, West to the North 1/8 post, Southwest 1/4, Section 19, thence South to the center of the Northwest 1/4, Section 6, R33W, T51N, West to the West 1/8 post, Northwest 1/4 of Section 6, R34W, T51N, thence North to the point of beginning.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

- A. General Exchange: L'ANSE
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 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 Local Service Area.
L'ANSE ALSTON BARAGA TAPIOLA
 3. Basic local service includes touch call. (C)

B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES

1. Monthly Rates for Exchange Service		
Class of Service		
Business:	All Lines	
One Party	\$23.61 ¹	(C)
Multi Lines (6 or Less)	\$23.61 ¹	
Multi Lines (7 or More)	\$21.11 ²	
Educational	\$21.11 ²	
Residence:	All Lines	
One Party	\$21.03 ³	(C)

¹ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) End User Common Line (EUCL) charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

² This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$20.11, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$1.00, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

³ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$17.53, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00. (N)

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: L'ANSE

C.

D. EXCHANGE AREA - Enclosed by the following boundary:

Commencing at the Intersection of the shore of L'Anse Bay and the North-South 1/8 Line of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 36, T51N, R33W, L'Anse Twp., Baraga County, thence northeasterly along the shoreline of L'Anse Bay and Keweenaw Bay, and then southwesterly along the west shoreline of Huron Bay, thence north-easterly along the east shoreline of Huron Bay to the East Line of Section 12, T52N, R30W, Arvon Twp., south to the Huron River, southwesterly and south along the Huron River, to the East-West 1/8 Line of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 15, T51N, R30W, west to the East 1/8 post of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 16, T51N, R31W, south to the Southeast corner of Section 33, west to the Northeast Corner of Section 1, T50N, R32W, L'Anse Twp., south to the Southeast Corner of Section 36, T49N, R32W, west to the Southwest Corner of Section 31, T49N, R33W, north to the Northeast Corner of Section 24, T49N, R34W, Baraga Twp., west to the South 1/4 Post of Section 14, north to the East 1/8 Post of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 14, east to the East 1/8 Post of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 13, north to the shoreline of L'Anse Bay, southeasterly and northeasterly along said shoreline continuing on the Keweenaw Bay shoreline to the point of beginning.

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: Houghton

A. GENERAL

1. The provisions of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulation given in the General Rules and Regulations as they now exists and are filed with and from part of this Tariff.
2. The exchanges below compromise the Local Service Area for this Exchange.
Calument (A) Houghton (C) Donken (B) Lake Linden (A) Tapiola (C)
(A) As defined in Ameritech M.P.S.C. No.20
(B) As defined in Upper Peninsula Telephone Company M.P.S.C. No. 1
(C) As defined in this tariff.

B. MESSAGE ALLOWANCES AND LOCAL MESSAGE CHARGES: RESIDENCE SERVICE

Local Calling Plans

Call Plan 50

1. No additional charge applies for calls within the Local Calling Area up to the 50 call allowance per month.
2. This call allowance is applied per access line, per month. If a customer has more than one Call Plan 50 access line at the same location and the access lines are consolidated for billing prposes, the allowable calls shall be the aggregate of all access lines regardless from which line the call originates. Unused call, or calls over the allowance on any access line, may not be carried over to another month.
3. Each completed call within the local calling area in excess of this allowance shall be billed at \$0.056.
4. Call record detail of Local Calling Area calls is not provided under this plan.

Call Plan 400

1. No additional charge applies for calls within the Local Calling Area up to the 400 call allowance per month.
2. This call allowance is applied per access line, per month. If a customer has more than one Call Plan 400 access line at the same location and the access lines are consolidated for billing purposes, the allowable calls shall be the aggregate of all access lines from which line the call originates. Unused call, or falls over the allowance on any access line, may not be carried over to another month.
3. Each completed call within the local calling area in excess of this allowance shall be billed at \$0.056.
4. Call record detail of Local Calling Area calls is not provided under this plan.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: HOUGHTON

B. MESSAGE ALLOWANCE AND LOCAL MESSAGE CHARGES: RESIDENCE SERVICE (cont'd)

Local Calling Plans (cont'd)

Calling Plan Unlimited

The monthly charge for Calling Plan Unlimited residence service entitles the customer to unlimited outgoing calls per month within the Local Calling Area, without additional charge. Usage under the Calling Plan Unlimited cannot be aggregated. Call record detail of Local Calling Area calls is not provided under this plan.

C. MESSAGE ALLOWANCE AND LOCAL MESSAGE CHARGES: BUSINESS SERVICES

Measured Service

Each call within the Local Calling Area is subject to a charge of \$0.07 per completed message. Call record detail of Local Calling Area calls is not provided under this plan.

D. BASIC SERVICE RATE, MONTHLY RATES

The following are the monthly rates for exchange service:

Business:¹

Measured Service (6 or less lines)^{2,4} \$17.00⁵

Measured Service (7 or more lines)^{2,4} \$14.50⁶

(C)

Residence:¹

Call Plan 50^{3,4} \$14.50⁷

Call Plan 400^{3,4} \$15.50⁸
Unlimited Calling Plan⁴ \$38.50⁹

(C)

¹These rates include Touch-Tone service.

²Local Message Charges for business service are specified on Sheet 6.5.

³Message allowances and Local Message Charges for residence services are specified on Sheet 6.4.

⁴No detail billing is provided with measured service.

⁵ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$13.50(ii) End User Common Line (EUCL) charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

⁶ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$13.50, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$1.00, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

⁷ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$11.00, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

⁸ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$12.00, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

⁹ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$35.00, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

(N)

(N)

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Baraga, Michigan

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

E. EXCHANGE AREA - Enclosed b the boundary:

Baraga hereby mirrors the exchange service of the Houghton exchange of Ameritech to identify its exchange service area for the Houghton exchange. Baraga will automatically mirror any future modifications to this boundary or legal description on a going forward basis. If not mirrored, a new detail map and legal description will be filed with the Commission for approval.

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Baraga, Michigan

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: CRYSTAL FALLS

A. General

1. The provisions of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulation 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 entitle the customer to messages without other charges to stations bearing the designation of a central office of the following exchanges, which compromise the Local Service Area.

Amasa (A) Channing (A) Fence River (B) Iron River (A)

(A) As defined in Ameritech M.P.S.C. No. 20

(B) As defined in Upper Peninsula Telephone Company M.P.S.C. No. 1

B. BASIC SERVICE RATES, MONTHLY RATES

1. Monthly Rates for Exchange Service

Business: ¹	All Lines
One Party	\$16.00 ²
Multi Lines	\$16.00 ²
Residence: ¹	All Lines
One Party	\$14.50 ³

¹These rates include Touch-Tone service.

²This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$13.50, (ii) End User Common Line (EUCL) charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

³ This rate does not exceed the aggregate of rates in effect as of May 1, 2000 as follows: (i) basic service charge including touchtone of \$11.00, (ii) EUCL Charge of \$3.50, and (iii) dialing parity charge of \$0.00.

C. EXCHANGE AREA - Enclosed by the boundary

Baraga hereby mirrors the exchange service of the Newberry exchange of Ameritech to identify its exchange service area for the Newberry exchange. Baraga will automatically mirror any future modifications to this boundary or legal description on a going forward basis. If not mirrored, a new detail map and legal description will be filed with the Commission for approval.

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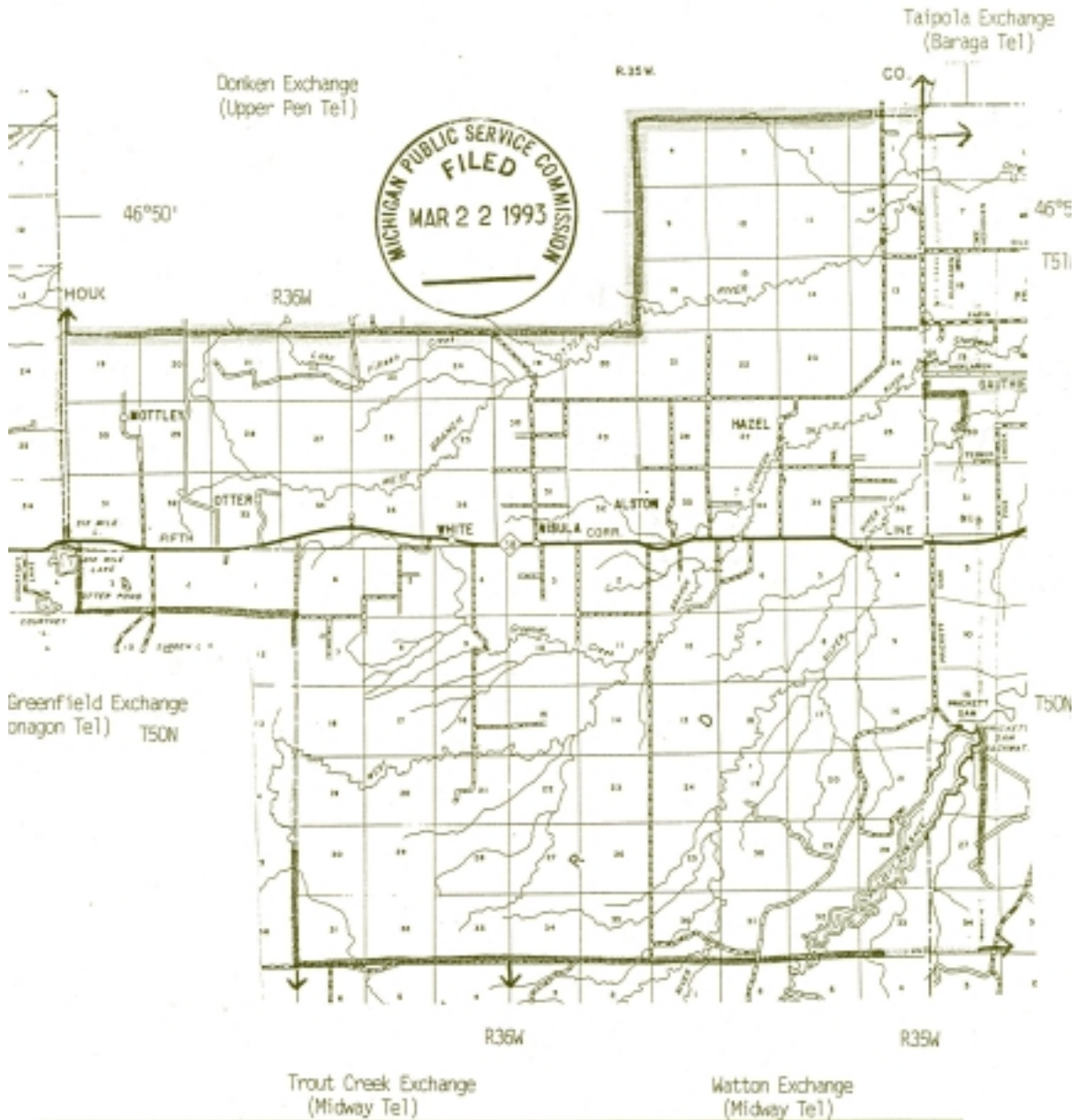
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EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA
(Licensed to Serve)

Exchange: Alston



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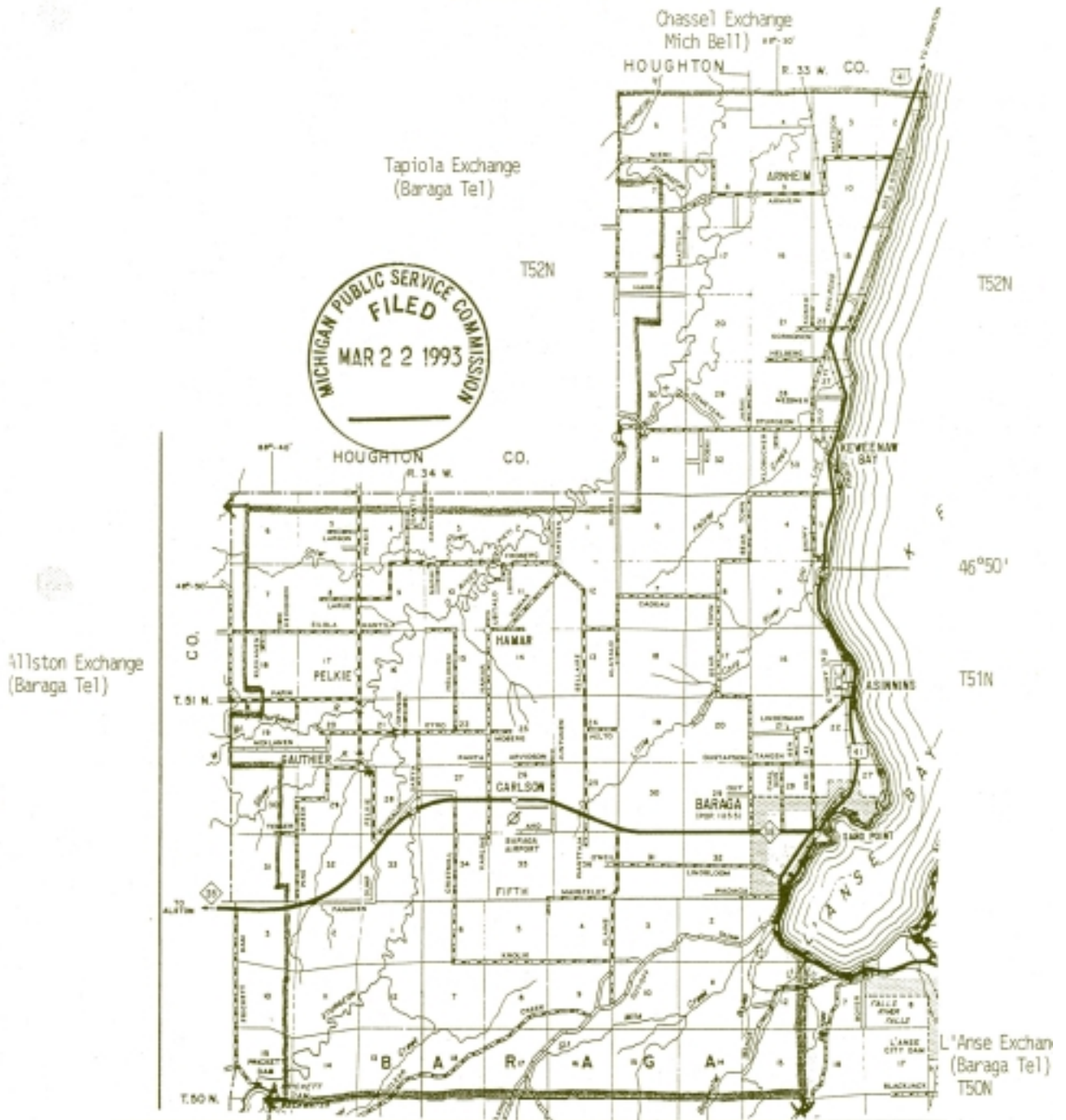
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EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA
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Watton Exchange (Midway Tel)

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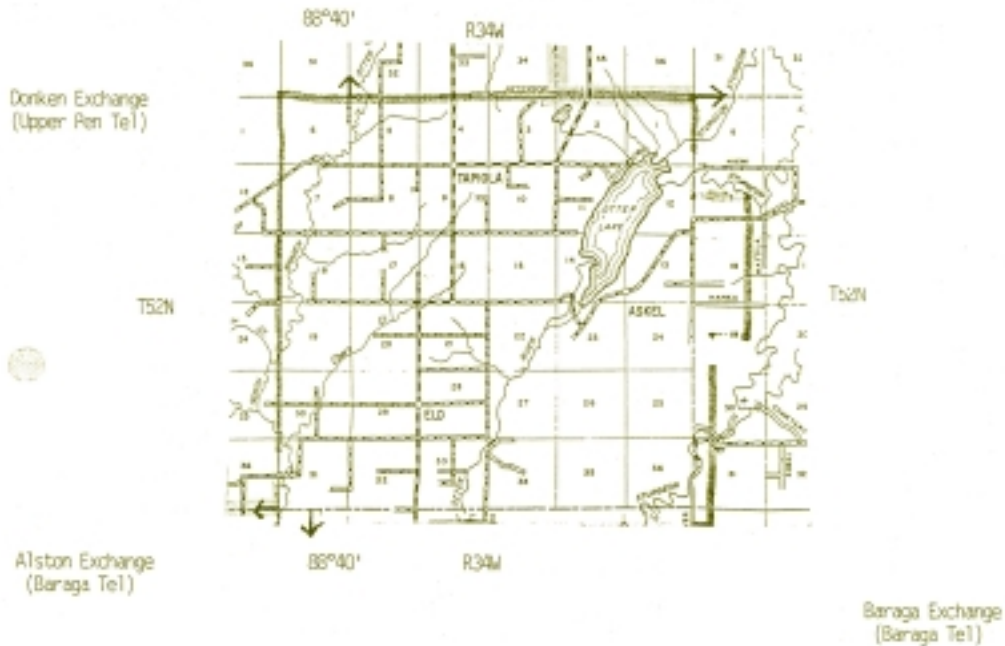
Baraga Telephone Company
M.P.S.C. No. 1 (R)

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EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA
(Licensed to Serve)

Exchange: Taploia

Chaselle Exchange
(Mich Bell)



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Baraga, Michigan

EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA
(Licensed to Serve)



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Fence River Exchange Michigame Exchange
(Upper Pen. Tel) (Mich Bell)

EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA

Exchange: Houghton

Baraga hereby mirrors the map of the Houghton Exchange of Ameritech Michigan to identify its exchange service area for the Houghton Exchange. Baraga will automatically mirror any future modifications to this boundary or legal description of this boundary on a going forward basis. If not mirrored, a new detail map and legal description will be filed with the Commission for approval.

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Baraga, Michigan

EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA

Exchange: Crystal Falls

Baraga hereby mirrors the map of the Crystal Falls Exchange of Ameritech Michigan to identify its exchange service area for the Houghton Exchange. Baraga will automatically mirror any future modifications to this boundary or legal description of this boundary on a going forward basis. If not mirrored, a new detail map and legal description will be filed with the Commission for approval.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE
APPLICATION OF BOUNDARY DESIGNATIONS

A. GENERAL

1. Application of Boundary Designations

- a. Boundaries for Locality Rate Areas and service areas for Exchanges are designated on maps in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1.
- b. Each establishment is within only one Exchange service area except as provided in c. below.
- c. Where the boundary is designated as a road (street or highway) the area includes that side of the highway on which are located the general plant facilities serving both sides of the highway. When such facilities are located on the near side of the highway, a customer located on the opposite side is considered to be within the area if he can be served by a drop wire using not more than one additional pole; when the general facilities are located on the far side of the boundary, a customer on that side is considered to be within the area if he can be served by means of a drop wire not requiring any additional poles.
- d. Where the boundary is designated as the center of the road (street or highway) each side of the road is in a different service area.
- e. Where the boundary is designated as a river (stream) or railroad each side of the river or railroad is in a different service area.
- f. Where the boundary divides a lake, the shore of the lake is in different service areas in accordance with the boundary designation at the shore line.
- g. Where the boundary is designated as a Township Section Line or a specified distance from a Township Section Line, the customers are served in accordance with their location with respect to such boundary line. When such a line is other than the section line or one quarter or one half mile from a section line, the location of the boundary line with respect to the section line will be shown in feet or fractional miles on the Tariff Map Sheet.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

SERVICE CHARGES

A. GENERAL

1. a. The Service Charges covered herein are applicable in connection with the establishment of telephone service and additions of other services.
- b. Service charges as listed herein apply to regulated service.
2. Service Charges
 - a. The Service Ordering Charge is the charge for work performed by the Telephone Company in connection with the receiving, recording and processing of customer requests for service ordered to be performed or provided at the same time, on the same system and on the same premises. The term "per order" means all work or service ordered at the same time for the same account.
 - b. The Line Connection Charges applied to each central office line (exchange line, trunks, etc.) for work required in the central office and outside and plant, including restoral of service after temporary disconnection of service for nonpayment.
3. Customer Premises
 - a. A premises is a building, portion of a building or buildings on the same continuous property occupied by the customer in the conduct of his business or occupied by the customer as a residence. All space for offices occupied by a customer on the same or separate floors of one building are considered as a single (or same) premises.
 - (1) Same continuous property shall mean an uninterrupted plot of land within the same block and occupied by one customer. Same block is defined as parcel of land enclosed but uncrossed by public thoroughfares. Railroad tracks, rivers and alleys are not considered as public thoroughfares.
 - (2) A building shall mean a structure on one foundation or two structures on separate foundations with a common wall or abutting walls with ready access from one structure to the other by means of doorways or permanent openings through the intervening wall or walls. Structures in the same or different block occupied by one customer and connected by passageways shall be considered as the same building if the passageway is actually used as a continuation of the space in the two buildings and not principally used as a walkway.
4. Additional Conditions
 - a. Service charges are in addition to all other applicable rates and charges associated with the service being provided.
 - b. 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 or 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.

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SERVICE CHARGES

5. Transfer of Service and Charge of Name
 - a. Where a service is continued intact but there is a change in the party known as the customer (change of interest) together with a change in the name by which the customer is known to the Telephone Company (change of name) Service Ordering Charges apply.
 - b. Where service subscribed for by one party (but not used by the subscriber for the use of a second party is taken over intact by the latter, Service Connection Charges do not apply.
6. Restoral of Service
 - a. Service discontinued by the Telephone Company because of nonpayment, when the service has not been disconnected, is subject to the Restoral of Service Charge.
 - b. When service is rendered inoperative by fire or other causes beyond the control of the customer, which render the premises unfit for occupancy, the same service will be re-established at the same or different location, at the option of the customer, with Service or Installation Charge.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

SERVICE CHARGES

B. SERVICE CHARGES

1. Service Ordering Charge

a. Initial Service Order, per order

Applies to any new customer's service order \$ 12.00

b. Subsequent Service Order, per order

Applies to any present customer's order to relocate, install, change or add to the service; additional central office lines, et cetera 10.00

2. Line Connection Charge

Per Line 10.00

3. Restoral of Service Charge

15.00

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

PAYSTATION SERVICE

(D)(N)

A. GENERAL

Paystation Service provides telephone service to a customer-leased or owned paystation with or without coin collecting devices. A Paystation Access Line permits providers of such service to provide pay telephone service to the public.

B. DEFINITIONS

Coin Supervision - Provides signaling capability from the central office for paystations that do not have signaling capability within the telephone. This signaling capability provides operators and/or operator systems coin control.

Customer - For purposes of this tariff, the customer is the Paystation Service Provider.

Network Interface Device - A company-provided jack or its equivalent. It is the point of connection between the Company owned wiring and wiring owned by the customer. For the purposes of this tariff, the network interface device will be installed at a location mutually agreed upon by the customer and the Company.

Originating Line Screening (OLS) - Enables operator service providers to determine whether there are billing restrictions on the exchange access line from which a call originates. OLS service delivers codes on operator assisted calls to identify calls originating from privately owned paystations, inmate locations, and hotels/motels, etc. Rates for this service are found in the appropriate interstate access tariff, when facilities and service are available.

Paystation Access Line - A basic coin transmission dial tone line. It is a line side connection from the local exchange switch to the point of demarcation at the customer premises.

Selective Class of Call Screening - Enables the customer to restrict outgoing operator-handled calls, placed over the Company's network, from the service point to only those calls which are charged to a called telephone, a third number or a calling card. Selective Class of Call Screening will be provided at the customer's option, where such facilities are available.

C. RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Paystation Service will be considered a business service for the purpose of applying the terms, rates and conditions found elsewhere in this tariff.
2. Only one paystation instrument may be connected to each Paystation Access Line. Off-Premise Extensions are not permitted.
3. The customer shall be responsible for the installation, operation and maintenance of any paystation instrument used in connection with this service.
4. Requests to Directory Assistance Service originated from paystations will be charged the applicable rate of the Directory Assistance Service Provider.
5. Directory listings may be provided under the regulations that govern the furnishing of listings for business customers.
6. Coin-free operator and emergency 911 access must be available from all paystations.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE
PAYSTATION SERVICE

(D) (N)

C. RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)

7. One directory will be distributed to the customer without charge for each paystation business exchange line.
8. The customer is responsible for the provision of booths, shelves, directories and all other ancillary equipment.
9. The customer shall be responsible for the payment of charges for all local and toll messages originating from or accepted at this type of service, including any Directory Assistance Calls. The Company shall not be liable for shortages of coins collected and deposited at the customer's paystation instrument.
10. The Company reserves the right to disconnect service when the customer does not comply with the F.C.C. and state rules and regulations related to paystation service and equipment.
11. The Multiline Business Subscriber Line Charge, found in the interstate and intrastate access tariff, is applicable to all paystation access lines.
12. All company owned paystations will comply with the Rules, Regulations and Rates outlined in this Paystation Service tariff.

D. RATES AND CHARGES

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
1. Paystation Access Line ¹	Business One-Party Local Rate shall apply
2. Coin Supervision	\$2.21
	<u>Coin Rate²</u>
3. Each outgoing local message	\$.25

¹No measured service rates apply. Installation, move and change charges will be those applicable to business service.

²This rate is not regulated by the Commission.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

A. DESCRIPTION

1. Lifeline Service applies discounts to monthly recurring rates for qualifying residential customers. These discounts are applied to existing tariffed rates and charges for residential telephone service. (D)
2. In order to be eligible for Lifeline Service a residential customer's household income must be at or below 150% of the poverty level as determined by the United States Office of Management and Budget and as approved by the State Treasurer, or the customer must participate in one of the following federal assistance programs: (N)
 - a. Medicaid
 - b. Food stamps
 - c. Supplemental security income
 - d. Federal public housing assistance
 - e. Low-income home energy assistance program
 - f. National school lunch program's free lunch program
 - g. Temporary assistance for needy families
3. Lifeline Service includes the services and functionalities enumerated in by the F.C.C. as follows: voice grade access to the public switched network; local usage; dual tone multi-frequency signaling or its functional equivalent; single-party service or its functional equivalent; access to operator services; access to interexchange service; access to directory assistance; and toll blocking for qualifying customers.
4. Other services can be provided with the Lifeline Service at applicable rates and charges.

B. REGULATIONS

1. Regulations specified elsewhere in the Company's tariffs apply to Lifeline Service.
2. Lifeline Service is available only with residence services, excluding foreign exchange service. Lifeline Service is limited to one line per household at the customer's primary residence.
3. A miscellaneous service charge does not apply when Lifeline Service is added or discontinued to existing service when that is the only work being done.
4.
 - a. A discount of 20% of the Basic Local Exchange rate or \$11.25 whichever is greater, on the monthly rate for Basic Local Exchange Service for Lifeline customers is applicable. For Lifeline customers 65 years of age or more, the discount will be 25% of the Basic Local Exchange rate or \$12.35, whichever is greater. The total discount shall not exceed 100% of all end-user common line charges and the Basic Local Exchange rate. (C)
 - b. The credit will be applied in the following order: (1) The Interstate End User Access Charge, National Exchange Carriers Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, Access Service. (2) End User Common Line charge, Michigan Exchange Carriers Association (MECA), Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part XVII, Section 17.1.2. and (3) The balance of the credit, if any, will be applied as a credit to the Basic Local Exchange rate.
 - c. The Company will provide, at the qualifying customer's option, toll blocking service at no charge. The Company defines toll blocking as a service provided by the Company that lets the customer elect not to allow the completion of outgoing toll calls from their telecommunications channel.
 - d. The Company will not require a service deposit in order to initiate Lifeline Service if the qualifying customer voluntarily elects toll blocking service.
 - e. The Company will not disconnect Lifeline Service for non-payment of toll charges by qualifying customers.
5. The Lifeline plan will apply after receipt and processing of a completed Company or community/government provided application, including documentation indicating that the household income meets the eligibility standards established above.
6. Customers of Lifeline Service must notify the Company of any changes which would affect qualification. Reverification of eligibility will take place on an ongoing basis. When the customer is no longer eligible for Lifeline service, the Lifeline discount would be discontinued and regular tariff rates and charges would apply.

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By: Paul W. Stark, President

Baraga, Michigan

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

C. MONTHLY RATE FOR NON LIFELINE CUSTOMERS

A rate specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C No. 25 Part XVII, Section 17.1.2.1 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.

D. LINK UP PROGRAM

1. A discount on the line connection charges, specified elsewhere in this tariff, is also available to qualifying customers, for the installation or transfer of service from one residential premises to another. (C)
2. a. In order to be eligible for the Link Up Program, a residential customer's household income must be at or below 150% of the poverty level as determined by the United States Office of Management and Budget and as approved by the State Treasurer. (C)
- b. A qualifying customer may receive a reduction in the installation charges, or transfer of service charges, for connection at the customer's principal place of residence of half the customary charge or \$30.00, whichever is less. (D)
- c. 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. (N)
- d. A qualifying customer may choose one or both of the programs set forth in 2.a. and 2.b. of this section.
- e. A qualifying customer can receive the benefits of the Link Up Program for a second and subsequent time only for a principal place of residence with an address different from the residence address at which the Link Up assistance was provided previously.

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FEDERAL PROGRAMS

1. UNIVERSAL SERVICE SUPPORT FOR LIBRARIES AND SCHOOLS

1. In accordance with 1997 PA 95 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, and 47 CFR 54.500 *et seq.*, eligible elementary and secondary schools shall receive intrastate services at discounts equal to the discounts applicable for eligible interstate services if the Company receives federal universal support for such telecommunication services.
2. In accordance with 1997 PA 96 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, and 47 CFR 54.500 *et seq.*, eligible libraries shall receive intrastate services at discounts equal to the discounts applicable for eligible interstate services if the Company receives federal universal support for such telecommunication services.
3. Eligibility for discounts shall be determined in accordance with 47 CFR 54.500 *et seq.*

2. UNIVERSAL SERVICE SUPPORT FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS

1. In accordance with 47 CFR 54.601 *et seq.*, the Company shall offer services to eligible health care providers to the extent that facilities and services are available.
2. Eligibility qualifications, provider selection, etc. shall be determined in accordance with 47 CFR 54.601 *et seq.*
3. Services to eligible health care providers at reduced rates will be offered in accordance with 47 CFR 54.601 *et seq.*
4. Reduced rates to eligible health care providers are available only to the extent that adequate funding is available from the federal universal support fund.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE
COMBINATION MAIN STATION SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Combination Main Station Service applies to cases where a customer wishes to contract for a main station service at each of two separate locations (ordinarily each station will be assigned a separate telephone number) within the same exchange, so as to be able to answer calls for one main station at the other main station location or both stations at either location.
2. Combination Main Station Service is provided only in connection with individual line (excluding coin box lines and lines terminating in key telephone systems, key equipment, key cabinets and similar switching devices) and is furnished subject to the ability of the Telephone Company to provide satisfactory transmission and signaling arrangements and to the rate treatment outlined herein.
3. Combination Main Station Service may be employed where one station is at a business location and the other at a residence or where both stations are at either business or residence or residence locations, but only in connection with service contracted for and used by the same customer.

B. RATES

1. Each main station is charged for at the established individual line business or residence rate, according to the classification of the service at each premises as to business or residence character.
2. In applying exchange line mileage charges, as provided for in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1, each main station service is considered separately and the mileage charges applicable for individual line service are assessed for each service.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

JOINT USER SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Joint User Service is an arrangement whereby a person or firm designated a Joint User - is permitted to use the service of a customer. To facilitate this use, a directory listing is provided for each Joint User.
2. Joint User Service is provided only in connection with individual line business service and private branch exchange business service.
3. The Joint User must be located in the same office or suite of offices as the customer, or in an office immediately adjacent thereto and connected therewith by passageways other than public passageways.
4. Joint User Service is not furnished in association with the service of a customer who is engaged primarily in performing service of a secretarial nature or who is in the business of renting space to transient or permanent tenants.
5. No separate ring numbers of distinctive designations are assigned for the purpose of signaling Joint Users.
6. Joint User Service must be contracted for by the original customer who is required to assume responsibility for all charges incurred by the Joint User.
7. Charges for Joint User Service date from the day the traffic information records are posted - such information at the option of the customer being posted at the time the order is completed or when the listing is published in the directory. The Joint User Service is automatically discontinued upon termination of the main service. The minimum charge for Joint User Service, however, is the charge for the period of one month.
8. After the listing of a Joint User has been inserted in the directory, such Joint User Service shall not be discontinued during the life of the directory -- but not to exceed one year, unless:
 - a. The main station service is also discontinued.
 - b. The Joint User moves from the premises in which the main station is located.
 - c. The Joint User establishes main station service on the same premises.

B. RATES

1. Joint User Service, including one listing in the directory, is furnished at 1/2 the charge for one Individual Business Line (and Mileage), per month.
2. No installation charges are applicable.

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