



June 18, 2024

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

RE: Advice No. 381 for CenturyTel of Oregon, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink PUC OR No. 6

Dear Commissioners:

Attached for electronic filing are the following revisions to the CenturyTel of Oregon, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink PUC OR No. 6. The following revisions are being submitted with a proposed effective date of August 1, 2024.

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This filing grandfathers Local Measured Service effective August 1, 2024, limiting availability to customers currently in service.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (913) 884-1131.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robyn Crichton".

Robyn Crichton

cc: Mr. Peter Gose, CenturyLink

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

2.2 DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE (RULE NO. 2) (Cont'd)

B. Service

The Company renders service within the exchange area under its effective rate schedules as follows:

1. Class of Service

- a. Business Service
- b. Residence Service

2. Type of Service

- a. Flat Rate Service
- b. Local Measured Service – **Grandfathered** ⁽¹⁾
- c. Payphone Service
- d. Public Telephone Service
- e. Foreign Exchange Service (Discontinued Service)

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3. Grade of Service

- a. Individual Line (One-Party Premium Service)
- b. Two-Party (Available only to existing customers)
- c. Four-Party (Available only to existing customers)

C. Application of Service

- 1. Individual line business and residence service are rendered in the Company's territory under rates for that service applicable in the base rate and supplementary base rate areas.
- 2. Miscellaneous service, including private line and supplemental equipment is furnished by the Company under its schedule of rates.
- 3. Service is furnished at the rates shown in the Exchange Service schedule where the stations of the customer are on the premises in which the primary station and CPE is located.

⁽¹⁾ **Effective August 1, 2024, Local Measured Service is grandfathered and no longer available to new customers. A grandfathered service is one that is no longer sold, and availability is limited to lines currently in service at existing locations. Changes, additions, or transfers of service will not be permitted on accounts associated with these grandfathered services. You may remove a grandfathered service or listing from your account at any time. Please note, however, that grandfathered services and listings removed from your account may not be subsequently reinstated.**

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BASIC EXCHANGE ACCESS SERVICE

5.1 CONDITIONS

- A. Service is provided through facilities owned and maintained by and according to the standards of the Company. The territory served is shown on area maps filed with the Commission by the Company. This territory is referred to as an Exchange. Within the Exchange are base rate areas, suburban areas and in certain cases supplemental base rate areas.
- B. The application of business or residence rates is determined by the actual or obvious use made of the service by the subscriber. Where only one exchange access line is provided at a location, which is both business and residence, the business rate will apply.
- C. The access line rates specified in this section do not include telephone instruments or inside wire.
- D. Mileage rates for service in the suburban area are based on the airline distance from the exchange base rate area boundary to the subscriber's primary exchange access line location. The rate for suburban mileage will be eliminated on an exchange-by-exchange basis as exchange facilities are upgraded for the provision of all one-party service.
- E. Local Service is available as Flat Rated Service or as Local Measured Service ⁽¹⁾. With Local Service, measured usage charges apply for calls, which originate and terminate within the same exchange. Flat Rated and Local Measured service ⁽¹⁾ from the same exchange will not be furnished concurrently to the same customer on the same premises. (C)(C)
- F. Customers subscribing to Local Measured Service ⁽¹⁾ must also subscribe to measured EAS (Extended Area Service) where applicable. (C)
- G. Local Measured Service ⁽¹⁾ is not available with Foreign Exchange Service or Party Line Service. (C)
- H. Local Measured Service ⁽¹⁾ is offered only in exchanges where operating conditions and facilities permit. The monthly rates for Local Measured Service are in addition to other applicable rates and charges. (C)

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BASIC EXCHANGE ACCESS SERVICE

5.2 EXTENDED AREA SERVICE (Cont'd)

C. Rates

1. Basic Exchange Access Service - Residential

The Basic Exchange Access Service monthly rates listed below do not include the EAS surcharge or the OTAP credit. Rate Group I includes all exchanges except Silver Lake. Rate Group II includes Silver Lake.

Class of Service ⁽¹⁾	Rate Group I	Rate Group II
Flat Rate (1-PTY)	\$25.48	\$27.00
Local Measured Service ^{(2) (3)}	\$20.00	\$20.00

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Nonrecurring charges from Section 3 apply as required to install, move, rearrange or change an access line. Customers may change from Flat to Local Measured Service, or Local Measured to Flat Service, once within 6 months of the initial service offering in their exchange without incurring a non-recurring charge.

(1) Multi-Party Access Line Service is available only to existing customers and will be eliminated, as facilities become available to provide 1-Party Service. No new services or supersedure of existing service will be permitted during the interim, except in the Harney exchange.

(2) Measured Usage Charges also apply. See 5.3.A following.

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BASIC EXCHANGE ACCESS SERVICE

5.3 LOCAL MEASURED USAGE CHARGES

A. The following usage charge is applicable to Local Measured Service ⁽¹⁾: (C)

	<u>Per Minute</u>
Calls placed within customer's local exchange	\$0.03

B. A 50% discount applies to originating minutes between 5 p.m. and 8 a.m. weekdays, all day Saturday, Sunday, and holidays.

5.4 MONTHLY BILLING DETAIL

Measured Service customers who desire billing detail must arrange for it in advance. The service provides a detailed listing of originating calls placed from a customers' access line. The charge applies per line. If any lines billed to an account are subscribed to Detail Billing Service, all lines billed to that account must be subscribed to the service.

	<u>Per Month</u>
Detail billing, per access line	\$1.00

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