

**MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
AGENDA NO. 13-07-09**

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For Work Week Commencing: July 8, 2013
Commission Meeting: July 9, 2013, 1:00 p.m.

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1:00 p.m. Weekly Scheduling (Commission Conference Room – No Web Audio Feed)

1:30 p.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

Action Items All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. Approval of Commission Minutes (Aleisha)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the week of July 1, 2013

2. Out-of-state staff travel (Kate)

Staff requests approval of the request of David Lofftus to travel to Salt Lake City, August 12-15, 2013, to attend the meeting of WECC's Scenario Planning Steering Group and Transmission Expansion Planning Policy Committee.
Probable motion: Move to approve the travel request.

3. Amendments to Telecommunications Interconnection Agreements (Mike)

The following amendments to existing interconnection agreements have been filed with the Commission. The amendments have been properly noticed, and no comments or objection to the amendments have been received by the Commission. The amendments are voluntarily negotiated by the parties involved. Details of the amendments have been included with the filing and are available on the Public Service Commission's website.

D2008.3.25 – Qwest d/b/a CenturyLink/Blackfoot Communications (Filed April 24, 2013)

D2007.11.134 – Triangle Telephone/Verizon Wireless (Filed April 24, 2013)

D2007.11.135 – Central Montana/Verizon Wireless (Filed April 24, 2013)

D2007.12.148 – Nemont Telephone/Verizon Wireless (Filed April 26, 2013)

D2007.5.52 – Project Telephone Cooperative/Verizon Wireless (Filed April 26, 2013).

Proposed Motion: Move to approve the amendments to interconnection agreements in the following dockets: D2008.3.25; D2007.11.134; D2007.11.135; D2007.12.148; D2007.5.52.

Work Sessions All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. D2013.4.30 – Qwest d/b/a CenturyLink – Interconnection Agreement – Discuss and act on interconnection agreement. (7/9/13)

2. N2013.5.32 – Frontier Communications – 2013 ETC Certification – Protective Order. (7/9/13)

Other Meetings

Weekly Scheduling, Review of Monthly Calendars, and Docket Status Updates (if requested by a Commissioner).

Notice Items All items identified below are noticed for public participation purposes. Unless otherwise stated in the text of the notice, the items will be action items on the next following agenda or a subsequent agenda and participation may be had by submitting written comments to the Public Service Commission, 1701 Prospect Avenue, P.O. Box 202601, Helena, Montana, 59620-2601, within 5 calendar days following publication of this agenda. Public comments on a noticed matter may also be submitted within the required time through the PSC's web-based comment form at <http://psc.mt.gov/Consumers/comments>. Comments should reference the docket number of the matter.

1. CenturyLink D2011.2.15 (Mike)

CenturyLink has filed for approval with this Commission an amendment to the existing interconnection agreement between CenturyLink and Verizon Wireless in Docket No. D2011.2.15. Details of the amendment have been included with the filing and may be viewed on the Public Service Commission website at <http://psc.mt.gov/>.

2. CenturyLink D2013.6.47 (Mike)

CenturyLink has filed for approval with this Commission an amendment to the existing interconnection agreement between CenturyLink and 365 Wireless in Docket No. D2013.6.47. Details of the amendment have been included with the filing and may be viewed on the Public Service Commission website at <http://psc.mt.gov/>.

3. CenturyLink D2013.4.30 (Mike)

CenturyLink has filed for approval with this Commission an amendment to the existing interconnection agreement between CenturyLink and Western Montana CommunityTel in Docket No. D2013.4.30. Details of the amendment have been included with the filing and may be viewed on the Public Service Commission website at <http://psc.mt.gov/>.

Protective Orders – Notice Items The Commission has received the following requests for protective order pursuant to ARM 38.2.5007. The Commission will rule on the requests no earlier than 10 days after the publication date of this agenda. Comments on the requests may be submitted at any time prior to ruling. Copies of these requests may be viewed on the Commission's web site at <http://psc.mt.gov>

Protective Orders – Information Items The Commission has issued the following protective orders. These orders may be challenged pursuant to ARM 38.2.5008. Copies of these orders may be viewed on the Commission's web site at <http://psc.mt.gov>

Information Items All items identified below are for information only.

1. **Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (Qwest) Multi State and Individual Case Basis Agreements**

Any qualified person who signs a non-disclosure agreement pursuant to the term protective Order No. 6999 in Docket No. D2009.5.60 may review the following agreements at the Commission's offices, 1701 Prospect Ave. Helena, MT, 59620, or at Qwest's office, 441 North Park Avenue, Helena, Mt. 59601. If any interested party has reason to believe that Qwest's prices are below relevant costs in the agreements, the interested party may file an objection with the Commission within 30 days of the date of this notice (please see Qwest Alternative Form of Regulation (AFOR) Docket No. D2008.1.3, Order No. 6889n, Joint Stipulation).

- 1.) Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC/Food Services of America - Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (Qwest) and Food Services of America have signed a Multi-State Agreement (MSA) for Qwest to provide certain telecommunications services to Food Services of America.
- 2.) Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC/CC Services, Inc. - Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (Qwest) and CC Services, Inc. have signed a Multi-State Agreement (MSA) for Qwest to provide certain telecommunications services to CC Services, Inc.

New Filings Received in Past Week

None