

GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF

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**3.1 GENERAL**

- a. Local exchange service rates in this tariff are identified with the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom, of McClellanville, South Carolina.
- b. Base rate areas for each exchange are identified on maps filed in the Tariff Section.
- c. The rates for service and equipment not specifically shown in this section are presented in other sections of this tariff.

**3.2 MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES**

- a. Monthly exchange rates as authorized by the Public Service Commission of South Carolina are shown below.

**3.2.1 Flat Rate Service**

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
a. <u>Business</u> One Party	\$28.70
b. <u>Residence</u> One Party	\$18.00

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- 3.2.2 The rates specified above in 3.2.1 entitle customers to an unlimited number of messages to all stations bearing the designation of central offices within the service exchange and additional exchanges, which have extended area service with the serving exchange. The Basic Service Area for the Telephone Company is from and between the exchanges of McClellanville and Awendaw.

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#### 3.3 EMPLOYEE TELEPHONE SERVICE

##### 3.3.1 General

- a. Upon approval, Employee Telephone Service is furnished at the rates below to full-time employees of this Company.
- b. Service provided in accordance with a. above will be furnished only at one location and only when the telephone is located in the employee's residence. Such service will be furnished only at locations where the station is restricted to the use of the employee and member of his immediate family or other employees residing in the same household.

##### 3.3.2 Rates

- a. All full-time active employees of this Company will be furnished local telephone service at no charge.
- b. Employee Telephone Service as provided in a. above, will not be applicable to:
  - (1) Long distance message telecommunications service.
  - (2) Foreign exchange service.
  - (3) Temporary suspension of service.
  - (4) An employee who has his telephone number non-published.

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3.5 LOW-INCOME ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS (LIFELINE)

Lifeline Assistance was developed to reduce rates for low income customers. The Company participates in this assistance program to increase the availability of telecommunications services to all consumers in its serving areas.

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3.5.1 Lifeline Assistance

The Company shall provide Lifeline Service as defined in FCC 47 C.F.R. 54.401 (a) on a non-discriminatory basis to all qualifying low-income customers. The Company's Lifeline service offering shall comply with all applicable federal laws, including but not limited to, 47 C.F.R. Part 54; the FCC's Lifeline Reform Order (Report and Order released February 6, 2012, WC Docket No. 11-42, et. al.), the FCC's Lifeline Modernization Order (Third Report and Order released on April 27, 2016, WC Docket No. 11-42, FCC 16-38, et. al.), and any subsequent orders.

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a. Credits

The following credits\* will apply for each customer eligible for Lifeline Assistance:

	<u>Monthly Credit*</u>	
1) Federal Lifeline Assistance Benefit	(1)	(M)(T)
2) State Lifeline Assistance Benefit	\$3.50	(M)(T)

(M) Material previously shown on Sheet 5 of this Section.

\* Credit amount will not exceed the total of the Subscriber Line Charge and the Residential Local Exchange rate.

(1) Authorized FCC rate.

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#### 3.6 SOUTH CAROLINA LATA-WIDE AREA CALLING PLAN

##### A. General

The South Carolina LATA-Wide Area Calling Plan is an optional ten-digit calling plan that provides one-way calling for customers to all exchanges within the LATA in which they reside.

##### B. Regulations

1. The LATA-Wide Area Calling Plan is available to residential and business customers.
2. The same Lifeline credits that are applied for regular Residential One-Party service will apply for Lifeline customers that choose to subscribe to the LATA-Wide area call plan.
3. All non-recurring charges are waived for the initial subscription to this plan. A Central Office Connect and Subsequent Service Order charge will apply on second and subsequent call plan changes.
4. The LATA-Wide Unlimited Voice Plan provides unlimited minutes of use for residential voice service only. If it is determined that usage is not consistent with residential voice applications, such as for Internet access services, commercial facsimile or auto-dialing, permanent call forwarding, three-way calling, resale, telemarketing, or other non-residential uses, the McClellanville Telephone Company may immediately suspend LATA-Wide Area Calling service and move the customer to One-Party service as listed in Section 3. The customer must then select a Long Distance Carrier for intraLATA calling.
5. Calls made under the usage options will be billed in six-second increments, (fractional seconds are rounded to the next six-second increment) after a minimum call duration of six-seconds, except for the Saver Service plan listed under Section 3.9.E of this tariffs.

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3.6 SOUTH CAROLINA LATA-WIDE AREA CALLING PLAN (Continued)

C. Residential Rates, per line

	<u>Rate Per Month</u>	<u>Rate Per Minute</u>
1. LATA-Wide Area Calling Unlimited Plan <sup>1</sup>	\$38.00	N/A
2. LATA-Wide Area Calling Measured Plan <sup>1</sup>	\$16.00	\$0.08
3. Per Minute Default Plans Residence <sup>2,3</sup>	N/A	\$0.16

D. Business Rates, per account

	<u>Rate<sup>3</sup> Per Month</u>	<u>Rate Per Minute</u>
1. LATA-Wide Area Calling Measured Plan <sup>4</sup>	N/A	\$0.06
2. LATA-Wide Area Calling Measured Plan When Bundled with TDS Long Distance	N/A	\$0.05
3. LATA-Wide Area Calling Measured Plan When Bundled with TDS Long Distance 2000 Minute Plan or Greater	N/A	\$0.04

<sup>1</sup> These rates include basic local exchange service.  
<sup>2</sup> This rate will apply to residence customers' area call plan traffic that do not subscribe or qualify for other plans, including Saver Service.  
<sup>3</sup> These rates do not include basic local exchange service. The basic local exchange service rates are listed on Sheet 2 of this Section.  
<sup>4</sup> This rate will apply to business customers' area call plan traffic that do not subscribe or qualify for other plans, including Saver Service.

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