

Party elects to provision one or more one-way trunks, the other Party shall be entitled to do the same. Each Party shall be responsible for the expenses associated with its own portion of the trunking. AT&T and GTE shall work cooperatively to install and maintain a reliable network. AT&T and GTE shall exchange appropriate information (e.g., maintenance contact numbers, network information, information required to comply with law enforcement and other security agencies of the government and such other information as the Parties shall mutually agree) to achieve this desired reliability.

- 37.9.2 AT&T and GTE shall work cooperatively to apply sound network management principles by invoking network management controls to alleviate or to prevent congestion.

37.10 911/E911 Arrangements

37.10.1 Description of Service

AT&T shall have the right to utilize the existing GTE 911/E911 infrastructure (as agreed in Sections 37.10.3 and 37.10.5 below) to provide all 911/E911 capabilities to its end users. AT&T will install a minimum of two dedicated trunks to GTE's 911/E911 selective routers (i.e., 911 tandem offices) that serve the areas in which AT&T provides Exchange Services, for the provision of 911/E911 services and for access to all subtending PSAPs. The dedicated trunks shall be, at minimum, DSO level trunks configured as a 2-wire analog interface or as part of a digital (1.544 Mbps) interface. Either configuration shall use CAMA type signaling with multifrequency (MF) tones that will deliver ANI with the voice portion of the call. At the request of AT&T, GTE will provide AT&T with the appropriate CLLI codes and specifications of the tandem office serving area. If an AT&T Central Office serves end users in an area served by more than one GTE 911/E911 selective router, AT&T will install a minimum of two dedicated trunks in accordance with this section to each of such 911/E911 selective routers.

37.10.2 Transport

If AT&T desires to obtain transport from its end office to the GTE 911 selective routers, AT&T may purchase such transport from GTE at the rates set forth in GTE's intrastate switched access tariff or in GTE's intrastate special access tariff.

37.10.3 Cooperation and Level of Performance

- 37.10.3.1 The Parties agree to provide access to 911/E911 in a manner that is transparent to the end user. The Parties will work together to facilitate the prompt, reliable and efficient interconnection of AT&T's systems to the 911/E911 platforms to ensure that 911/E911 service is fully available to AT&T's end users, with a level of performance that will provide the same grade of service as that which GTE provides to its own end users and that meets State requirements, provided, however that GTE shall not be contractually liable to AT&T in the event that the grade of service offered by GTE does not meet State requirements. To this end, GTE will provide documentation to AT&T showing the correlation of its rate centers to its E911 tandems.
- 37.10.3.2 In the event of an GTE or AT&T 911 trunk group failure, the Party that owns the trunk group will notify, on a priority basis, the other Party of such failure, which notification shall occur within two (2) hours of the occurrence or sooner if required under Applicable Law. The Parties will exchange a list containing the names and telephone numbers of the support center personnel responsible for maintaining the 911 Service between the Parties.
- 37.10.3.3 When AT&T purchases transport, GTE will provide AT&T with the order number and the circuit identification code in advance of the service due date.
- 37.10.3.4 AT&T or its third party agent will provide CNA data to GTE for use in entering the data into the 911 data base. The initial CNA data will be provided to GTE in a format prescribed by NENA (National Emergency Number Association). AT&T is responsible for providing GTE updates to the CNA data and error corrections which may occur during the entry of CNA data to the GTE 911 Database System. GTE will confirm receipt of such data and corrections by close of business on the next Business Day by providing AT&T with a report of the number of items sent, the number of items entered correctly, and the number of errors.
- 37.10.3.5 AT&T will monitor the 911 circuits for the purpose of determining originating network traffic volumes. AT&T will notify GTE if the traffic study information indicates that additional circuits are required to meet the current level of 911 call volumes.
- 37.10.3.6 [Intentionally deleted.]
- 37.10.3.7 Inter-office trunks provided for 911 shall be engineered to assure minimum P.01 transmission grade of service as measured during the

busy day/busy hour. A minimum of two trunks shall be provided by AT&T.

37.10.4 Updates to MSAG

It shall be the responsibility of AT&T to ensure that the address of each of its end users is included in the Master Street Address Guide ("MSAG") via information provided on AT&T's Local Service Request ("LSR") or via a separate feed established by AT&T and GTE pursuant to Section 37.10.5 of this Agreement. Any MSAG change that appears to be required by AT&T must be approved by the County. Within thirty (30) days after the Effective Date of this Agreement, GTE shall provide AT&T with an initial electronic copy and a paper copy of the MSAG or its equivalent. Prior to the time that updates are available electronically, GTE will provide updates to AT&T on a monthly basis. Thereafter, GTE will provide updates to AT&T as changes are made.

37.10.5 Updates to Database

GTE and AT&T will work together to develop the process by which the 911/E911 database will be updated with AT&T's end user 911/E911 information. AT&T shall have the right to verify the accuracy of the information regarding AT&T's end users in the 911/E911 database.

37.10.6 Compensation

In situations in which GTE is responsible for maintenance of the 911/E911 database and can be compensated for maintaining AT&T's information by the municipality, GTE will seek such compensation from the municipality. GTE will seek compensation from AT&T only if and to the extent that GTE is unable to obtain such compensation from the municipality.

38. Transmission and routing of telephone exchange service traffic pursuant to section 251(c)(2)

38.1 Scope of Traffic

This Section prescribes parameters for trunk groups (the "Local/IntraLATA Trunks") to be effected over the Interconnections specified in Part IV for the transmission and routing of Local Traffic and IntraLATA Toll Traffic between the Parties' respective Telephone Exchange Service Customers.