

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Name Change of	)	<b><u>File No. TN-2018-0198</u></b>
FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc.	)	Tariff Nos. JI-2018-0087, JI-2018-0088,
d/b/a FairPoint Communications to	)	JI-2018-0089, JI-2018-0090,
FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc.	)	JI-2018-0091, JI-2018-0092, and
d/b/a Consolidated Communications	)	JI-2018-0093

**ORDER RECOGNIZING NAME CHANGE**

Issue Date: February 2, 2018

Effective Date: February 19, 2018

On January 19, 2018, FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a FairPoint Communications requested that the Commission recognize its name change to FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Consolidated Communications. It also issued revised tariffs to reflect its new name. The revised tariffs carry a February 19, 2018 effective date. The Staff of the Commission responded on February 2, 2018, indicating the company has complied with all statutory and regulatory requirements for changing its name. Staff recommends the Commission recognize the name change. The Commission will do so. The revised tariffs will be allowed to go into effect by operation of law on their effective dates.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Commission recognizes the name change of FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a FairPoint Communications to FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Consolidated Communications.
2. This order shall be effective on February 19, 2018.

3. This file shall be closed on February 20, 2018.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2018.

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February 2018.



  
Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**February 2, 2018**

**File/Case No. TN-2018-0198**

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**Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).**

*Sincerely,*



**Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary**

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