

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Revised Tariff Filing) <u>File No. TR-2013-0032</u>
Windstream Missouri, Inc.) <u>Tariff No. JI-2013-2025</u>

In the Matter of the Revised Tariff Filing) <u>File No. TR-2013-0034</u>
Windstream Iowa Communications, Inc.) <u>Tariff No. JI-2013-0024</u>

RESPONSE OF WINDSTREAM MISSOURI, INC. AND
WINDSTREAM IOWA COMMUNICATIONS, INC. TO
THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL'S OBJECTION AND MOTION TO SUSPEND

In accordance with the Missouri Public Service Commission's ("Commission") Order requiring Windstream Missouri, Inc. and Windstream Iowa Communications, Inc. (collectively "Windstream") in the above captioned proceeding, Windstream hereby responds to the Office of the Public Counsel's ("Public Counsel") Objection and Motion to Suspend ("Motion").

1. On July 26, 2012, Public Counsel filed an objection and motion to suspend Windstream's proposed tariff in the above captioned proceedings.
2. On July 27, 2012, the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") issued an order directing Windstream to respond to Public Counsel's Motion by July 31, 2012.
3. Windstream's proposed tariff implements a new charge for business customers who choose to continue receiving a paper bill charge rather than receiving their bills electronically.
4. Windstream withdrew its tariff filings implementing a paper bill charge on July 30, 2012, and therefore, it is not necessary at this time to address the issues raised by Public Counsel. Attached hereto is Windstream's cover letter withdrawing the proposed tariffs.
5. Windstream reserves the right to file at a later date addressing concerns discussed in Public Counsel's Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

Windstream Missouri, Inc.

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RE: Tracking # JI-2013-0024
WINDSTREAM IOWA COMMUNICATIONS, INC. GENERAL & LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES TARIFF

Dear Mr. Roberts:

As per previous conversations with Commission staff, Windstream Iowa Communications, Inc. ("Windstream") hereby respectfully requests the withdrawal of the most recent tariff revisions made to its General & Local Exchange Services Tariff; this filing was submitted electronically on July 10, 2012, and was assigned Tracking # JI-2013-0024.

This action is without waiver of or prejudice to any rights or objections of Windstream with respect to the related issues.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (585) 340-2709 or by email at Katherine.Hoagland@PAETEC.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Katherine Hoagland". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Katherine Hoagland
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RE: Tracking # JI-2013-0025
WINDSTREAM MISSOURI, INC. LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES TARIFF

Dear Mr. Roberts:

As per previous conversations with Commission staff, Windstream Missouri, Inc. ("Windstream") hereby respectfully requests the withdrawal of the most recent tariff revisions made to its General & Local Exchange Services Tariff; this filing was submitted electronically on July 10, 2012, and was assigned Tracking # JI-2013-0025.

This action is without waiver of or prejudice to any rights or objections of Windstream with respect to the related issues.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (585) 340-2709 or by email at Katherine.Hoagland@PAETEC.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Katherine Hoagland".

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