BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Notification of ETC Name Change and Pro Forma Transfer of Control and Assignment Involving United Services, Inc. to United Fiber, LLC

File No. DN-2024-0213

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), through the undersigned counsel, and hereby respectfully submits this Staff Recommendation.

1. On January 15, 2024, the above-referenced United Services, Inc. ("Company") filed notice that it was changing its name to United Fiber, LLC. The company later supplemented its application to include all required documentation and indicates the new name will be United Fiber, LLC d/b/a United Fiber MO, LLC. The Company filed all requisite documentation.

2. Rule 20 CSR 4240-31.015(2) provides that any ETC that changes its name shall provide advance notice to the Commission of the name change and lays out the methods and requirements for such notice. In lieu of a Memorandum, Staff herein states that the Company has complied with the rule. No entities intervened to oppose the name change. The Company is not delinquent in any required filings with the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Staff recommends that the Commission recognize the name change of United Services, Inc. to United Fiber, LLC d/b/a United Fiber MO, LLC and grant such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 19th day of March, 2024, to all counsel of record.

/s/Ron Irving