

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

In The Matter of the Application of)
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 Lumos Fiber of Missouri, LLC to Provide) Case No. _____
 Telecommunications and/or)
 Interconnected Voice over Internet)
 Protocol Services)

APPLICATION

Applicant's Legal Name, including d/b/a, if applicable "Applicant"	Lumos Fiber of Missouri, LLC
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Pursuant to §392.611.4 and/or §392.550 RSMo, Applicant seeks the following authorizations as checked below:

	Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Basic Local Telecommunications Service
X	Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Non-Switched Local Telecommunications Service
	Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service
	Registration to Provide Interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol Service

Listed below is basic information regarding the Applicant:

Type of Organization	Limited Liability Company
Jurisdiction Where Organized	Missouri
Mailing Address	4100 Mendenhall Oaks Parkway, Suite 300 High Point, NC 27265
Electronic Mail Address	Legal@Lumosfiber.com

Telephone Number	(866) 542-5900
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The company's services will be identified in a tariff or website as indicated below:

	Tariff
X	Website. The website address is https://www.lumosfiber.com/

Attached is an affidavit signed by an officer or general partner of the Applicant stating the various requirements identified in §392.611.4 and/or §392.550 RSMo, plus confirmation the Applicant's service meets the criteria for these services as defined by §386.020 and a copy of Applicant's Certificate of Registration from the Missouri Secretary of State's Office. If applicable, a copy of the registration of the fictitious name with the secretary of state is also attached.

WHEREFORE, the Applicant requests the Commission to issue an order granting the Applicant a registration to offer and provide the indicated services identified in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Tim Opitz

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Attorney for Applicant

REQUEST FOR WAIVER

By signing this form, I hereby certify that neither I, nor any other members of this filing party, has had communications with a Commissioner, Commissioner Advisor, Regulatory Law Judge, member of the General Counsel or any member of their support team in the sixty (60) days prior to the filing date of this application regarding any substantive issue included in this filing. If any communication of this sort has occurred in the previous sixty (60) day period, I further certify this application was held until sixty (60) days have passed from the date of the subject communication, or we have requested a waiver for good cause as allowed by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(1)(D).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was delivered by first class mail, electronic mail or hand delivery, on this 11th day of November 2025, to the following parties:

General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
PO Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102
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Lumos Fiber of Missouri, LLC
Megan Bertino, Corporate Counsel
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legal@lumosfiber.com

AFFIDAVIT

I, Alison J. Brown, a natural person, do hereby swear or affirm that I am an officer or general partner of Applicant and that the following information and statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief:

(1) Applicant's basic information:

Legal Name, Including d/b/a, if Applicable	Lumos Fiber of Missouri, LLC ("Lumos Fiber")
Principal Place of Business	4100 Mendenhall Oaks Parkway, Suite 300, High Point, NC 27265
Principal Executive Officers	Brian Stading, Chief Executive Officer Heather Martin, Chief Financial Officer David Smith, Chief Network Officer AJ Brown, Chief Legal Officer Tony DeGregorio, Chief Information Officer Nora Mitchell, Senior Vice President, Corporate Controller

(2) Area where the Applicant proposes to offer telecommunications or IVoIP services:

Identify area by local telephone company exchange, in whole or in part:	Statewide.
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(3) That the Applicant is legally, financially, and technically qualified to provide the requested authorization to provide the indicated telecommunications and/or interconnected voice over internet protocol services;

(4) That the Applicant is ready, willing, able, and will comply with all applicable state and federal laws and regulations imposed upon providers of the indicated telecommunications and/or interconnected voice over Internet protocol services;

(5) That the Applicant will comply with applicable assessment requirements. These assessments include but are not necessarily limited to:

(a) Relay Missouri assessment requirements identified in 20 CSR 4240-28.012(2)(C);

(b) Missouri universal service fund assessment requirements identified in 20 CSR 4240-28.012(2)(B);

(c) Missouri Public Service Commission assessment requirements identified in 20 CSR 4240-28.012(2)(A);

(d) Local enhanced 911;

(e) Any applicable license tax;

(6) That the Applicant will comply with applicable reporting requirements identified in 20 CSR 4240-28.012 including maintaining an updated list of company contacts in the Missouri Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System;

(7) That the Applicant has established a process for handling inquiries from customers concerning billing issues, service issues, and other consumer-related complaints;

and

(8) The Applicant's service meets the criteria as defined within §386.020 for the indicated services sought for certification and/or registration.

State of North Carolina

County of Guilford

Verification

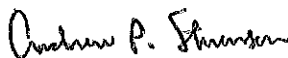
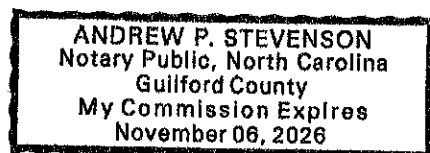
I, Alison J. Brown, state that I am the Chief Legal Officer of Gridiron Fiber LLC, a Delaware limited liability corporation headquartered at One Lumos Plaza, Waynesboro, VA 22980, and indirect parent company of Lumos Fiber of West Virginia, LLC (“Lumos Fiber”). I certify that I am authorized to make this verification on behalf of Lumos; that the foregoing filing was prepared under my direction and supervision; and that the contents are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Respectfully submitted,



Alison J. Brown
Chief Legal Officer

Sworn and subscribed before me on this 6th Day of October, 2025.



Notary Public

STATE OF MISSOURI



Denny Hoskins
Secretary of State

CORPORATION DIVISION
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

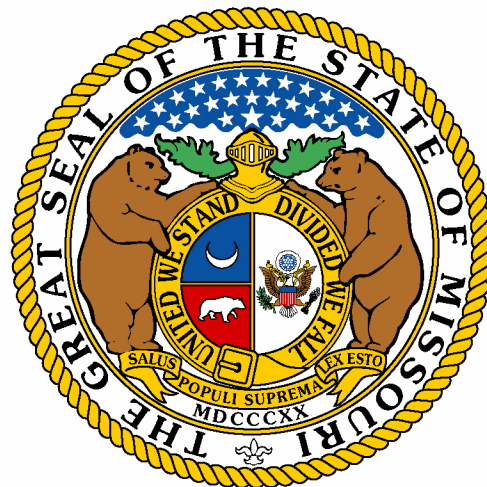
I, DENNY HOSKINS, Secretary of State of the STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby certify that the records in my office and in my care and custody reveal that

LUMOS FIBER OF MISSOURI, LLC
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was created under the laws of this State on the 10th day of April, 2025, and is active, having fully complied with all requirements of this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri. Done at the City of Jefferson, this 14th day of July, 2025.

Denny Hoskins
Secretary of State



Certification Number: CERT-07142025-0009