

PUBLIC NOTICES

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION
Request to Withdraw SGAT
Available Terms/Conditions
Application
Case No. PU-07-314
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
FOR HEARING
November 25, 2009**

On June 14, 2007, Qwest Corporation (Qwest) filed an application to withdraw its Statement of Generally Available Terms and Conditions (SGAT). The SGAT is a statement of the terms and conditions under which Qwest provides access and interconnection to its network facilities for the network facilities of unaffiliated, competing providers of telephone exchange services.

Qwest states that the SGAT was last updated on May 30, 2002 and, due to changes in applicable law since then, the SGAT is outdated. Qwest states that it will continue to make its Performance Indicator Definitions and its Performance Assurance Plan available to competitive local exchange companies.

On July 25, 2007, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing. On August 29, 2007, Level 3 Communications, LLC filed comments requesting that the Commission require Qwest to file an updated SGAT for approval, that all carriers have the opportunity to participate in the approval process regarding the SGAT, and that the Commission order Qwest to allow Level 3 to continue to operate under its current interconnection agreement until an updated SGAT has been submitted and approved.

On October 15, 2009, Qwest filed a request that the Commission issue an order approving withdrawal of the SGAT. Qwest believes that three developments support the withdrawal: (1) on June 9, 2008, Level 3, entered into a Term Extension Agreement of its interconnection agreement with Qwest, extending that agreement until July 31, 2010; (2) the Idaho Commission granted Qwest's request to withdraw the Idaho SGAT finding that intervenors did not identify a legal requirement in Idaho that an SGAT remain in effect; and (3) in the two years since Qwest made its filing to withdraw the SGAT, no CLEC has opted into the SGAT in

North Dakota. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. Requests for hearing must be received by January 15, 2010. If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a hearing.

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials please notify the Commission.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Tony Clark, Commissioner
Kevin Cramer, Chairman
Brian P. Kalk, Commissioner
(December 3, 2009)

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION
Public Service Commission
Qwest Performance
Assurance Plan
Investigation
Case No. PU-06-58
Public Service Commission
Qwest Performance
Assurance Plan
Investigation
Case No. PU-07-256
Public Service Commission
Qwest Performance
Assurance Plan
Investigation
Case No. PU-08-920**

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
FOR COMMENT AND
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
FOR HEARING
November 25, 2009**

Preliminary Statement
For telecommunications companies that have, or intend to have, an agreement with Qwest Corporation (Qwest) for interconnection services, Qwest offers a Performance Assurance Plan (PAP) option. A PAP provides for self-executing payments to the competitive local exchange carrier (CLEC) if Qwest does not provide interconnection services to the CLEC at parity to the service it provides to its own retail customers, or if Qwest fails to meet certain service benchmarks. The PAP provides for periodic reviews to determine whether performance measures should be added to, deleted from, or modified;

whether benchmark standards should be modified or replaced by parity standards; and whether to move a classification of a performance measurement to High, Medium, or Low or Tier 1 to Tier 2. Participants of the review may include Qwest, CLECs, and the Commission. PAP revisions approved by the Commission as a result of such reviews apply to existing and future interconnection agreements that incorporate the PAP. The most recent PAP revision was effective beginning January 1, 2008, as approved in Case No. PU-06-58. That proceeding was continued in the event an ongoing multi-state Regional Oversight Committee review might result in further PAP or performance measurement changes. On June 13, 2007, the Commission joined in a multi-state collaborative audit of Qwest's PAP performance reporting and payment process for calendar year 2005, Case No. PU-07-256. The Final Report for the Audit of 2005 Qwest's Performance Assurance Plans by Liberty Consulting Group was issued November 30, 2007. The report is available for viewing and downloading from the Commission's internet site at <http://www.psc.state.nd.us/datasearch/documents/07-0256/014-010.pdf>.

On December 17, 2008, the Commission joined in a multi-state review of the effectiveness of the PAP and whether its continuation is necessary, Case No. PU-08-920. The review was a multi-state effort organized by the Regional Oversight Committee. On February 11, 2009, the Commission issued a Notice of Qwest Performance Assurance Plan Review and Notice of Opportunity for Comment in Case No. PU-08-920, for comments from interested persons on trends in Qwest performance in providing interconnection services, on the structural components of the PAP and performance measures, stakeholder recommendations and experiences with the PAP and performance measures, and comments on the competitive environment. The Notice stated that the Commission would receive written comments until March 27, 2009. On March 27, 2009, Integra Telecom of North Dakota, Inc. filed comments and petitioned to intervene. The

Regional Oversight Committee contracted with Liberty Consulting Group (Liberty) to perform the review. Based on comments received from Integra Telecom of North Dakota, Inc. and other competitive local exchange carriers and data provided by Qwest, Liberty issued its June 30, 2009 Analysis of Qwest's Performance Assurance Plans Final Report. Liberty concluded that the PAP is still serving a useful purpose. The report also offers several recommendations for changes to the PAP and performance measures, and makes several findings that may have affected Qwest's reported performance results or payments under the PAP. The report is available for viewing and downloading from the Commission's internet site at: <http://www.psc.state.nd.us/datasearch/documents/08-0920/018-020.pdf> with appendices at: <http://www.psc.state.nd.us/datasearch/documents/08-0920/018-010.pdf>.

Comments and requests for hearing must be filed by January 15, 2010. Comments should address the following:

1. Whether there exists an omission or failure of existing performance measures to capture intended performance.
 2. Where there is duplication of another performance measure.
 3. Whether such omission, failure, or duplication of a performance measure justifies the addition, modification, or removal of a performance measure.
 4. Whether any benchmark standards should be modified or replaced by parity standards.
 5. Whether the actual volume of data points have been less or greater than anticipated, and, if so, whether there is justification for the reclassification of a performance measure.
- Any disputes regarding adding, deleting or modifying performance measurements will be resolved by the Commission.
- A copy of Qwest's performance measures and the PAP may be obtained from the Commission. For more information contact the North Dakota Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, (701) 328-2400; or Relay

North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials, please notify the Commission at least 24 hours in advance.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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Kevin Cramer, Chairman
Brian P. Kalk, Commissioner
(December 3, 2009)

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION
FirstLink
211 Designation
Application
Case No. PU-09-713
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
FOR HEARING
November 25, 2009**

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has designated the 211 dialing code to provide direct access to organizations providing community information and referral services that are currently not available through the 911 emergency code or the 311 police non-emergency code.

On September 24, 2003, the Commission designated the Mental Health Association in North Dakota (MHAND), as the user of the 211 dialing code in North Dakota.

On March 7, 2007, the Commission authorized MHAND to subcontract 211 operations within North Dakota. MHAND has been subcontracting with FirstLink for the provision of 211 operations in Cass County.

In its October 30, 2009 letter, MHAND notified the Commission that, due to lack of economic support, it must relinquish its designation as the 211 dialing code user.

On November 2, 2009, the Commission received a letter stating that effective October 30, 2009, FirstLink will temporarily provide 211 operations for North Dakota until a decision is made about 211's future.

On November 23, 2009, FirstLink filed a letter requesting designation as the 211 dialing code user for North Dakota.

The issues to be considered are:

1. Is any other entity interested in designation as the user of the 211 dialing code in North Dakota?
2. Is the FirstLink's intended

use of the 211 dial code in North Dakota consistent with the FCC intended use of that code?

Those interested are invited to comment in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. Comments and requests for hearing must be received by January 8, 2010. If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a hearing.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Please take notice that Magic City International Dragway (MCID) will conduct a public meeting for the purpose of informing the community of a request being made to the North Dakota State Fair Board for an increase of dates to hold Drag Racing Events at the Fair Grounds in Minot, ND. This meeting will not concern any construction or funds, the sole purpose is informational, and have those that deem it appropriate to voice their opinion.

This meeting will take place on 10 December, 2009 at 7:00 PM, at the atrium on the 2nd floor of the All Seasons Arena, North Dakota State Fair Grounds, Burdick Expressway, Minot, North Dakota.

Magic City International Dragway located on the North Dakota State Fair Grounds is presently under lease to Flat Track, Inc. DBA: Magic City International Dragway.

For further information please contact Jim Grote, 701-240-2319 or Cory Evenson, 701-721-2896 or email your comments to outlaw68srt.com.

(December 3-4-5, 2009)

**285 HOUSES/
TOWNHOUSES/
CONDOS FOR
SALE**

Huge covered patio and deck overlook the wildlife & spring fed stream, in this 2 BR w/ den - 3rd bdrm, 3 Ba, fully finished 2100 sq ft townhome. \$189,900, completion early 2010. 833-8050.

New Construction houses from \$199,900 condo from \$167,900 Feist Construction 701-852-1261

1400 Sq Ft Condos, 2 br, 2 ba, Dbl garage. Daylight lower level. Excellent SW location. Real Builders, Inc. 839-4328 or 833-8622.

OPEN HOUSE!
SUNDAY 1-3PM
3 Bedroom, 3-1/2 bath, West of Perket School 2401, 7th Ave SW, New construction. PRICE REDUCED! 721-2006.



**290-320
Rentals**

**290 ROOMS FOR
RENT**
Bed/Bath/ + LR. Near MSU. Remodeled! \$450, 707-673-6655

**295 APARTMENTS
FOR RENT**
3 Bdrm, mobile home, wood flooring, Call CPM 852-5028

**295 APARTMENTS
FOR RENT**

A CLEAN, lg 2 bd, A/C, W/D hkups. Prkg, plug ins, walk MSU, No smkg/pets/parties. \$650 + light. 852-3276.

Applications will be accepted for two 2-bdrm duplex apartments on the Public Housing Program until 4:00 p.m., Friday, December 4, 2009. Income, eligibility and admission priorities apply. For details, contact Minot Housing Authority at 701-852-0485 x110, 108 Burdick Expy E, Minot, ND Relay 800-366-6889, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, M-F. EHO.

FIRST DAY

Apt for rent: Avail now! 1 bdr remodeled, off str parking, washer/dryer, no pets/smoking. \$400.00 plus water 838-1478, 833-4667

1 BD APT NW, avail now! \$500 incl. off str prkg, private entry, water, heat. 838-8486.

FIRST DAY

2 BDRM apt, available Dec 15. No smoking. \$525 + elec. 838-4693.

FIRST DAY

1 Bdrm. Basement. No Smoking \$375 Utilities Paid. 839-6600

Large 2 Bdrm, dishwasher, utilities pd. Call CPM 852-5028

Large 2 bdrm SW, full bsmt. Move in ready. 509-435-6656

**295 APARTMENTS
FOR RENT**

AVAILABLE NOW!

Brand new condo, 2 levels, over 3000 sq. ft. 3 BD, 3 BA, dbl htd grg, perfect location! 6 mo min lease. \$1,695 /mo. Longer term rent neg. No smkg/no pets. 833-2130 for showing.

BRAND NEW CORP. APT. 2 bdrm, 2 bath, fully furnished. Avail Soon. Call IMM 852-3648 for more details!

Equal Housing Opportunity

Brand New Elk Pointe Apts 1, 2 & 3 bdrms, water pd. Call IMM 852-3648 for more details!

Equal Housing Opportunity

Brand New Northdale Apts 1 & 2 bdrms, water pd. Call IMM 852-3648 for more details!

Equal Housing Opportunity

DAKOTA TERRACE SENIOR HOUSING (Age 55 & Older) Nice 1 & 2 BDRM Apartments - 2 Locations - South Side of Minot Call Carl at 833-8595

Large 2 bedroom apt, close to MSU. All utilities paid. Single garage, washer/dryer, neat & clean. \$725/month. Call 838-0878.

LRG 2 Bd, ht/wtr pd, stove/fridge, laundry. No pets. 240-3220

**295 APARTMENTS
FOR RENT**

AVAILABLE NOW!

NEW 2BD/2BA, S Hill, \$1100/mo. W/D/wtr incl. No smkg/pets, att grg. **ONLY 1 LEFT!!** Call Sarah, 509-1634.

NICE 2 BDRM near Heritage Park. Stove, air, fridge, no pets. \$525 + lights. 833-3491

Nice 1, 2 & 3 bedroom apartments, North & South Hill. 833-2568

One bedrooms, air, dishwasher, garage, Call CPM 852-5028

FIRST DAY

Small 1 bedroom, off St. Prkg, all utilities included. \$395 + dep. Call 701-833-1014.

300 MANUFACTURED HOMES FOR RENT

CLEAN 2-3 BD mobile homes. No pets. \$595-\$775. 852-6253.

305 HOUSES FOR RENT

4BD, 2BA, A/C, W/D grg, 706 6th Ave NE. \$950 + dep 833-8237

AVAILABLE NOW!

4BD, 2bth, remodeled, \$895/mo + deposit, no pets. Call 720-8353.

FIRST DAY

2 BDRM House, dbl garage, available Dec 10th, Rent month to month, no pet/smkg 852-5684 or 720-4298.

**305 HOUSES
FOR RENT**

Newer clean 3 bdrm, 2 bath, no smkg/pets, \$925 + utils 624-5387

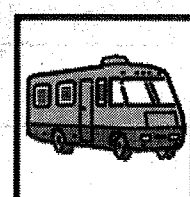
SMALL 2 BD, 2 bath, \$575/mo + utilities. No pets/smoking. Call 721-1484, 721-2267.

310 COMMERCIAL PROPERTY FOR RENT

Brite Shiny Upeast Retail! Priced Rite! 1800 to 20,000 Sq. Ft. 838-8400

Commercial Shop, 100x24, with office, HUGE garage door. Call 720-2227.

Terrific Broadway Traffic! High visibility! \$Money-\$Maker! \$750/mo 838-8400



325-345 Recreation

325 AIRPLANES

CALL NOW!

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**335 RVs/
MOTORHOMES**

1998 CARDINAL

29' 5th wheel, 2 slide outs, new tires. \$13,900. Call 701-838-2291.

LIKE NEW!

2007 Crossroads Zinger 26' travel trailer. Power slide out, more. Lists \$26,116, sell for \$18,000. 838-3898.

A Great Deal

21 Foot Travel Trailer, Coachman, sleeps 8, shower, equalizer hitch, \$2,500 CALL NOW!!! 626-2789

2004 Forest River XL

37 foot motorhome. 24,000 miles. 3 slide outs, 2 baths. All the extras! Excellent condition. \$49,500. Call 701-839-4582.

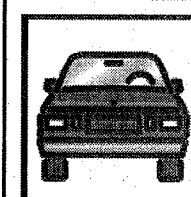
Don't Miss This One

1984 Gulfstream RV, Great buy-only \$7,500 for a 31 foot class A motorhome. Travel in style! Includes fridge/freezer, stove w/oven, generator, central heat, roof A/C. Bath & shower are separate. Private bedroom, fold-down couch. Runs on A/C, D/C, or propane. Call today before this offer drives away!! 340-7725.

345 SNOWMOBILES

FIRST DAY LOOK

1997 POLARIS 600, with 2-place trailer. Freshly overhauled. Serviced for the season. \$2,500. 721-5505.



350-390 Automotive

350 AUTOMOTIVE PARTS

Attention!

Buying Junk, batteries & scrap! Paying \$5 for car, \$8 truck, \$12 BD & 10/lb for steel & glass cased. Copper up to \$2.35/lb and all other metals. 701-282-7668 We pick-up.

EXCELLENT CONDITION!

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360 AUTOS

"FAST CASH NOW!" We Pay Instant Cash For Cars/PU 839-CARS

BEST BUY

1985 PLYMOUTH Reliant SE sedan, automatic, CD, 4 cylinder, runs & drives good! \$500. 340-6190.

360 AUTOS

ATTENTION!

1989 LINCOLN LIMO, 86,000 miles. Lots of new parts. \$3,500. Call 701-228-2962 or 701-871-0755.

A Great Deal

1990 MERCURY Grand Marquis, 158,000 miles. Very nice. \$1,600 or reasonable offer. 218-839-9382.

Amazing Deal

1993 MITSUBISHI Eclipse, 2 door hatchback. \$2,500. Call 263-5335.

1995 Dodge Neon, 2 dr, 5sp, CD, economical, \$1,375 852-3276.

AWESOME

1996 Grand Prix, stop paying too much for car parts. Lots of good parts in this popular car. Camshaft broken, but rest of engine and car in good shape. \$1,000/offer Replace cam or use parts. Call before the snow, 340-7725

Act Now!

1996 Lumina, 155,000 miles, runs great, new tires, \$1,500/offer 858-0305 or 833-9642

\$ www.karz4-u.com \$ 1 Buy/sell cars/trucks 701-240-9172 Karz 4 U

2005 Dodge Stratus SRT, very clean, low miles! Call 720-2227.

360 AUTOS

A Great Deal

1997 Grand Am, 3.1 engine, 139,000 miles, 31 miles/gallon highway, 25 city, next to new tires, Pioneer CD, runs good, \$1,600/offer 722-3533 or 833-1318

LUXURY

1997 Mercedes Benz S320, 120,000 miles, automatic, 30 + /gallon, runs great \$7,000 CALL 721-5280

CLEAN!

1997 Saturn, 4 door, sunroof, runs good, no dents, \$2,000 CALL NOW!!! 720-5497

AWESOME

1998 Buick Park Ave, excellent condition, gray with leather, all power options, 91,000 miles, new Toyo tires! \$5,995/offer 858-7303

1999 Buick Century

112,000 miles, great condition, new CD player. \$4,950 or best offer. 701-871-1861.

1999 Chevy Cavalier

4dr, AC, auto, runs good, \$2,375 CALL NOW!!! 852-3276.

LOOK

1999 Chrysler Cirrus LXI, just under 140,000 miles, 4 cylinder, 30 + /gallon, air, well maintained; \$2,000 or reasonable offer. Call Now! 509-1710 or 833-5608

Q. What do all these things have in common?

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- Adopt a pet



- Sell a car

