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From: Colleen Park [colleenp@ndna.com]
Sent: Friday, May 22, 2009 12:24 PM
To: Marquart, Janet R.
Subject: RE: Notification of Telecommunications Relay Service Surcharge

Received.

Notices will start publishing next week with the last publication on June 1 in the Forum.

Colleen Park
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From: Marquart, Janet R. [mailto:jamarquart@nd.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 22, 2009 11:56 AM
To: Colleen Park
Subject: FW: Notification of Telecommunications Relay Service Surcharge

Sorry – here is the attachment!

From: Marquart, Janet R.
Sent: Friday, May 22, 2009 11:55 AM
To: 'Colleen Park'
Subject: Notification of Telecommunications Relay Service Surcharge

Colleen,

Please have the attached **Notice Telecommunications Relay Service Surcharge** published one time as a legal publication in the next issue of the ten daily newspapers:

The Bismarck Tribune
Devils Lake Journal
The Dickinson Press
The Forum
Grand Forks Herald
Jamestown Sun
Minot Daily News
Valley City Times-Record
The Daily News
Williston Daily Herald

Do not publish in the classifieds. Please run it as a “News Item Only” article as well. The notice must be published once in each paper. Send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes. Please confirm via e-mail that you have received this request.

If you have any questions, or cannot open the version of the notice, please contact me at 328-4076, or via email.

Thank you.

Janet Marquart

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE
TELECOMMUNICATONS RELAY SERVICE SURCHARGE

May 20, 2009

On April 21, 1993, Governor Edward T. Schafer approved House Bill No. 1028 that established a program to provide specialized telecommunications services and equipment to the communications impaired. The relay services program is funded by an access line surcharge paid by the customers of local exchange companies and radio communications service providers.

The relay services program is administered by the Information Technology Department of the State of North Dakota. Before June 1 of each year, the Public Service Commission calculates the amount of the surcharge based on cost data and other information provided by the Information Technology Department.

The Commission has calculated the 2009-2010 surcharge to be included in bills to customers is **\$.05 per access line per month.**