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OREGON UTILITY NOTIFICATION CENTER

SCHEDULE 1 SERVICE TARIFF

NOTICE:

The Oregon Utility Notification Center Board of Directors will discuss adjustments to the Schedule 1 Service Tariff at its March 13, 2019 meeting at Holiday Inn Express, 204 West Marine Drive, Astoria, OR 97103.

Listed below is the proposed change related to the Schedule 1 Service Tariff:

Change the per ticket rate from \$1.05 to \$1.20.

A portion of the meeting will allow public testimony related to the proposed changes. Subscribers can also provide feedback to the OUNC Board of Directors via its website at <https://digsafelyoregon.com> or email at info@digsafelyoregon.com.

APPLICABLE:

All subscribers of the Oregon Utility Notification Center.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this schedule is to establish a charge per ticket (i.e., notification). The charges are designed to compensate the Oregon Utility Notification Center for the expenses it incurs in notifying subscribers of requests for the location of underground facilities at specified sites and promoting damage prevention in Oregon.

PROPOSED RATES EFFECTIVE AS OF JULY 1, 2019:

Subscribers will be invoiced, on a monthly basis, at the rate of \$1.20 per ticket transmitted, with the following exceptions:

1. Any subscriber receiving fewer than fifty (50) locate requests in the calendar year shall pay no fees;
2. Locate requests transmitted to subscribers by Voice will be billed at the rate of \$6.50 per ticket;
3. The following subscribers shall not pay more than \$500 in annual payments for locate requests:

- a. Cities with a population of less than 15,000;
- b. Telecommunications utilities serving fewer than 15,000 access lines and regulated by the Public Utility Commission under ORS Chapter 759;
- c. Cable system operators serving fewer than 15,000 customers;
- d. Utilities, special districts, people's utility districts or authorities providing electricity, water or sanitary sewer services to fewer than 15,000 residential customers; and
- e. Telecommunications cooperatives.



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