

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

<p>IN RE:</p> <p>GREAT LAKES COMMUNICATION CORP., d/b/a IGL TELECONNECT</p>	<p>DOCKET NO. TF-2014-0317 (TCU-2005-0006)</p>
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ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

(Issued September 8, 2014)

On August 6, 2014, Great Lakes Communication Corp., d/b/a IGL TeleConnect (Great Lakes), filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a proposed local exchange tariff, identified as TF-2014-0317, containing the terms and conditions for providing local exchange service in the Spencer, Iowa, exchange. Great Lakes seeks to modify its current tariff to add the Spencer exchange to Great Lakes' local exchange service area.

On August 7, 2014, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed a response to Great Lakes' proposed tariff stating that it has no objection to Great Lakes' adding the Spencer exchange to Great Lakes' service area.

The Board has reviewed Great Lakes' proposed local exchange tariff and finds that it substantially complies with Board rules for the filing and processing of tariff pages outlined in 199 IAC 22.2. The Board notes that on April 25, 2014, Senate File 2195 was signed into law, which amended various sections of Iowa Code §§ 476 and

477 and included the elimination of retail tariff requirements for local exchange carriers. The new law became effective on July 1, 2014, and provides for a transition period between July 1, 2014, and January 1, 2015, for local exchange carriers to withdraw their local exchange retail tariffs. This transition period is in process and the Board will soon be initiating a rulemaking proceeding to address the elimination of retail tariffs. The Board will approve Great Lakes' proposed local exchange at this time and Great Lakes may withdraw its tariff pursuant to the procedures that result from the Board's proposed rulemaking process.

Great Lakes' certificate of public convenience and necessity, identified as Certificate No. 0293, authorizes Great Lakes to provide local exchange telephone service in the exchanges as shown by its tariffs as currently and subsequently approved. The approval of this tariff provides Great Lakes with the authority to provide local exchange service in the Spencer exchange without any modification to Great Lakes' certificate.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The proposed local exchange tariff filed by Great Lakes Communication Corp., d/b/a IGL Teleconnect, on August 6, 2014, identified as TF-2014-0317, is approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Elizabeth S. Jacobs

/s/ Nick Wagner

ATTEST:

/s/ Joan Conrad
Executive Secretary

/s/ Sheila K. Tipton

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 8th day of September 2014.