BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Metro FiberNet,)
LLC d/b/a MetroNet for Authorization to Expand its)
Telecommunications Service to Additional Areas)

CERTIFICATION TO PROVIDE BASIC LOCAL AND INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

Issue Date: October 26, 2022 Effective Date: November 5, 2022

On October 18, 2022, Metro FiberNet, LLC d/b/a MetroNet, pursuant to Sections 392.611.4 and 392.550.3, RSMo 2016, filed a Notice of Change Application seeking to change the service area for providing telecommunications services in Missouri. The request adds the following service areas as identified by each exchange, in whole or in part, of a local exchange company:

St. Joseph and Joplin

The Commission has reviewed the application and finds that it and the attached affidavit comply with the filing requirements set forth in Sections 392.611.4 and 392.550.3, RSMo 2016. The affidavit attached to the application represents that the company has not had contact with the office of the Commission about any substantive issue connected to the filing within 60 days before filing the application. On the basis of that representation, for good cause shown, the Commission will waive application of the pre-filing notice requirements of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(1).

This order will be issued with less than a 30-day effective date to comply with Section 392.550, RSMo.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. MetroNet is registered to provide Basic Local Telecommunications Service and Interexchange Telecommunications Service in the additional exchanges set forth in the affidavit attached to the application and restated above.
- 2. The pre-filing notice requirements of Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-4.017(1) are waived.
 - 3. This order shall become effective on November 5, 2022.
 - 4. This file may be closed on November 6, 2022.

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BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 26th day of October, 2022.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 26th day of October, 2022.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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