

STATE OF Missouri)
COUNTY OF Newton)

AFFIDAVIT OF JAY MITCHELL

Before me, the Undersigned Authority, on this 24th day of May, 2010, personally appeared Jay Mitchell, President of Ozark Telephone Company, who, upon being by me duly sworn on oath deposed and said the following:

1. My name is Jay Mitchell. I am over the age of twenty-one, of sound mind and competent to testify to the matters stated herein. I am the President of Ozark Telephone Company ("Ozark") and have personal knowledge of the agreement between Ozark and MCC. I have reviewed the agreement on behalf of Ozark and have personal knowledge of the provisions. The parties have negotiated diligently under the Telecommunications Act of 1996, culminating in an executed agreement ("the Agreement") between Ozark and MCC.
2. The Agreement is the result of negotiation and compromise.
3. There are no outstanding issues between the parties that need the assistance of mediation or arbitration if this Agreement is approved.
4. Approval of this Agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity, as it will allow the exchange of traffic between Ozark and MCC.
5. This Agreement does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier. The terms of this agreement are available to any similarly situated provider in negotiating a similar agreement.

Attachment I

6. Ozark is a Missouri corporation in good standing with the Missouri Secretary of State.
7. Ozark is not aware of any pending action or final unsatisfied judgments or decisions against it from any state or federal agency or court which involve customer service or rates.
8. Ozark's annual report and assessment fees are not overdue.

Further Affiant sayeth naught.


Jay Mitchell
President of Ozark Telephone Company

Sworn and Subscribed to before me this 24th day of May, 2010 to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.


Notary Public

