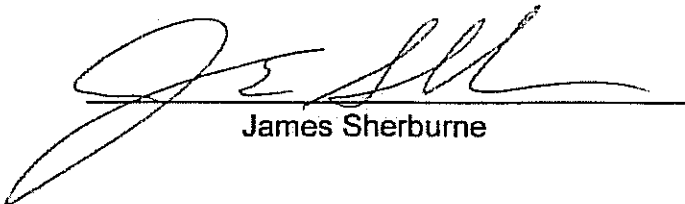



VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI)
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COUNTY OF SULLIVAN) ss

I, James Sherburne, being duly sworn upon my oath, state that I am over twenty-one, am sound of mind, am Chief Executive Officer and General Manager of Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company, and am authorized to act on behalf of the Company regarding the document to which this Verification is appended. I have read the document and verify that the facts contained in it are true and correct according to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.


James Sherburne

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of April, 2012


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 9-26-12

