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September 18, 2025

The Honorable Nancy Dippell Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

Re: Supplemental Notice of Adoption of "Fidium" Fictitious Name by Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC

Dear Judge Dippell:

Pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-28.011(2), Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC ("the Company") respectfully requests that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") acknowledge its adoption of the Fidium fictitious name. The Company is in good standing with the Missouri Secretary of State, in compliance with the Commission's Annual Report requirements, and current with its applicable Missouri USF and Commission assessments. The Company has reviewed its contacts on the Commission's electronic filing and information system (EFIS), and they have been updated as needed.

The Company is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) and will continue to comply with all applicable laws and rules relating to the ETC designation.

A copy of the notice informing customers of the name change is included as <u>Attachment A.</u> Evidence of the fictitious name registration of Fidium is included as <u>Attachment B.</u> A copy of the following adoption notices and revised tariff title sheets that were filed concurrently with this notice reflecting the new name are included as <u>Attachment C</u>:

PSC MO. No. 1, General Local Exchange Tariff

PSC MO No. 2, Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff

PSC MO No. 5, Private Line Services Tariff

PSC MO No. 6, Digital Data Transmission Services Tariff

Also, please note that the Company intends to withdraw PSC MO No. 3 (long distance message telecommunications services tariff; PSC MO No. 4 (wide area telecommunications services tariff); and PSC Mo. No. 7 (wireless termination tariff). PSC Mo. Nos. 3, 4, and 7 have no customers.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.

By:

Brian McCartney

c: Carole Williamson

ATTACHMENT A

Effective December 2025, the Consolidated Communications companies providing your services will be doing business under the name of Fidium. Depending upon the services you receive from the Company and your customer class, you may notice this new name on your invoice. This change will have no impact on the rates, terms and conditions of the services you receive from the Company.

ATTACHMENT B



State of Missouri

Denny Hoskins, Secretary of State Corporations Division PO Box 778 / 600 W. Main St., Rm, 322 Jefferson City, MO 65102 X001849756
Date Filed: 8/13/2025
Expiration Date: 8/13/2030
Denny Hoskins
Missouri Secretary of State

Registration of Fictitious Name

(Submit with filing fee of \$7.00) (Must be typed or printed)

This information is for the use of the public and gives no protection to the name being registered. There is no provision in this Chapter to keep another person or business entity from adopting and using the same name. The fictitious name registration expires 5 years from the filing date. (Chapter 417, RSMo).

Please check one box:

New ⊠ Registration □	Renewal Charte	v number	☐ Amendmen	lCharter number	☐ Correction	Charter number
The undersigned is doing	g business under tl	ne followin	g name and at the	e following address:		
Business name to be regist	tered: <u>FIDIUM</u>					
Business Address: 2116	S 17th St Box may only be us	. J : J J:s/				
City, State and Zip Code:			n to a physical street	(address)		
Owner Information:						
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Individual or Business Entity CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF MISSOURI	Business Entity	Street an	d Number	City and State	Zip Code	If Listed, Percentage of Ownership Must Equal 100%
COMPANY, LLC	FL001709562	2116 S 17	7th St	Mattoon, IL	61938 - 5973	
All owners must affirm be in Affirmation thereof, the (The undersigned understands that CONSOLIDATED COMMISSOURI COMPANY, I Osdell Owner's Signature or Authorized	facts stated above t false statements made MUNICATIONS O LLC - James Garre	in this filing o F It Van	re subject to the penalt CONSOLIDAT	ED COMMUNICATI MPANY, LLC - JAM	ONS OF ES	RSMo) 8/13/2025
Name and address to re Name: James Garro Address: Email: annu City, State, and Zip Co	ett Van Osdell ial_report@consol					

ATTACHMENT C

Updated Tariffs

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Fourth Revised Adoption Notice Cancels Third Revised Adoption Notice

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GENERAL AND LOCAL EXCHANGE TARIFF ADOPTION NOTICE

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium hereby adopts, ratifies and makes its own, in every respect as if the same had been originally filed by it, all tariffs, schedules, rules, regulations, notices and concurrences filed with the Public Service Commission, State of Missouri, by Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company d/b/a Consolidated Communications and its predecessors prior to August 26, 2025. By this notice, Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium also adopts and ratifies all supplements or amendments to any of the above tariffs, schedules, etc., which FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Consolidated Communications and its predecessors have heretofore filed with said Commission.

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PSC MO. NO. 1

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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GENERAL AND LOCAL EXCHANGE TARIFF

Schedule of Rates, Rules and Regulations Governing Telecommunications Services

Offered By:

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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Applying to All of its Exchanges Within the State of Missouri

All references throughout this tariff to Cass County Telephone or FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Consolidated Communications, "the Telephone Company," or "the Company" shall be read as Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium.

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FACILITIES FOR INTRASTATE ACCESS ADOPTION NOTICE

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Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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FACILITIES FOR INTRASTATE ACCESS

Regulations, Rates and Charges Applicable to

Facilities for Intrastate Access, Ancillary and Miscellaneous Services

Provided by

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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To Intrastate Customers

Of this Telephone Company in Missouri

Services herein are provided by means of wire, fiber optics, radio or any other suitable technology or a combination thereof.

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PSC MO. NO. 5

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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PRIVATE LINE SERVICE ADOPTION NOTICE

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PRIVATE LINE SERVICE

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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INTRASTATE INTRALATA

PRIVATE LINE SERVICE

Applying to the Intrastate Services
Of this Company in Missouri

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DIGITAL DATA TRANSMISSION SERVICE ADOPTION NOTICE

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DIGITAL DATA TRANSMISSION SERVICE

Consolidated Communications of Missouri Company, LLC d/b/a Fidium

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INTRASTATE INTRALATA

DIGITAL DATA TRANSMISSION SERVICE

Applying to the Intrastate Services
Of this Company in Missouri

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Issued: August 26, 2025