

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
for
FRANCHISE APPLICATION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Western Wahkiakum Telephone Company, d.b.a. Wahkiakum West Telephone Company, has filed with the Board of County Commissioners for Wahkiakum County, Washington, a Franchise Application to construct, maintain and operate fiber-optic data and transmission lines and equipment in, under and along and over any or all the public roads and highways maintained by Wahkiakum County, Washington.

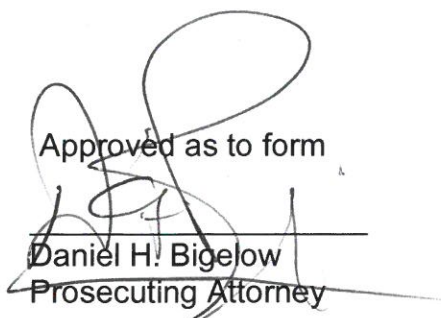
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of County Commissioners for Wahkiakum County shall conduct a public hearing regarding the advisability of granting the franchise, said hearing to commence at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 2, 2021, in the Commissioners Public Meeting Room, Third Floor, Wahkiakum County Courthouse, 64 Main Street, Cathlamet, Washington. The meeting may also be accessed remotely via the Zoom platform. From a computer: Meeting ID: 880 972 233 and Passcode: Aux4SY. From a telephone: Phone Number: 253-215-8782 and Meeting ID: 880 972 233 and Passcode: 721021

Any person may appear at said hearing and speak for or against the granting of the requested franchise.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS duly entered in Regular Session on the 12th day of October 2021.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WAHKIAKUM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Approved as to form



Daniel H. Bigelow

Prosecuting Attorney



Gene Strong, Chair

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Posted on October 14 at: Wahkiakum County Courthouse, U.S. Post Office, Cathlamet, U.S. Post Office, Skamokawa and Cathlamet Community Center.

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