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DOCKET NO. 5074

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Ms. Luly Massaro, Commission Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, Rhode Island 02888

Dear Ms. Massaro:

We are filing, herewith, an amendment to Verizon's Tariff Filing Docket 5074. This amendment increases the Verizon funded monthly lifeline discount for measured service by \$1.00. As a result of this amendment customers who subscribe to measured service with the lifeline discount will not be effected by the proposed \$1.00 rate increase to measured service. The Tariff and amendment are for effect November 1, 2020, with tariff material consisting of:

PUC RI No. 15

| Part/Section | Revision of Pages | Original of Pages |
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| M/1 | 1.1, 14, 15, 16, 17, 57, 60, 62 and 64.1 | N/A |

With this filing, Verizon Rhode Island ("Verizon RI") proposes the following Residential rate changes:

Increase the monthly rate by \$1.00 for the following:

- Unlimited 1 Party
- Measured 1 Party

Increase the monthly lifeline state discount for measured services by \$1.00

Increase the monthly rate by \$5.00 for the following Residential Packages:

- Local Package
- Local Package Extra
- Regional Package
- Regional Package Extra
- Regional Package Unlimited
- Regional Essentials
- Regional Value

Sincerely,



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cc: Senior Rate Analyst



1. Exchange and Network Services
1.1 Tariff Information and General Regulations

| 1.1.4 Customer Assistance Programs | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|--|----------|------|
| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Lifeline | Recurring Reduction – Unlimited 1 Party Rate Group F – consisting of \$4.00 of state support and \$7.25 of additional federal support | 11.25 | |
| | | Recurring Reduction – Unlimited, all others – consisting of \$4.50 of state support and \$7.25 of additional federal support | 11.75 | |
| | | Recurring Reduction – Measured – consisting of \$6.31 of state support and \$7.25 of additional federal support | 13.56 | (I) |
| | Enhanced Lifeline | Additional Reduction Applied to the Basic Monthly Service Rate – Per month – Per primary residential connection – Note: The enhanced lifeline reduction is that amount combined with the Lifeline reduction so as to arrive at a basic monthly service rate of \$1.00. | See Note | (I) |

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| 1.5.1 Basic Exchange Services—Monthly Rates by Exchange Zone | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|--|-------|------|
| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Residence – Measured 1 Party | All Exchanges/Zones (except West Gloucester) | 10.17 | (I) |
| | | Local Usage Allowance – Minutes – Monthly – Per line | 90 | |
| | | Local Usage Allowance – Lifeline customers only – Minutes – Monthly – Per line | 180 | |
| | | Local Usage – Per additional minute | .037 | |
| | Residence – Unlimited 1 Party | Block Island | 16.30 | (I) |
| | | Bristol | 19.62 | |
| | | Carolina | 16.30 | |
| | | Centredale | 20.76 | |
| | | Coventry | 20.65 | |
| | | Cumberland Hill | 20.76 | |
| | | Greenwich | 20.65 | |
| | | Hope Valley | 16.94 | |
| | | Jamestown | 16.94 | |
| | | Little Compton | 16.94 | |
| | | Narragansett | 16.30 | |
| | | Newport | 16.30 | |
| | | North Kingstown | 16.94 | |
| | | Pascoag | 16.30 | |
| | | Pawtucket | 20.76 | |
| | | Portsmouth | 16.30 | |
| | | Providence | 20.76 | |
| | | Scituate | 19.62 | |
| | | Tiverton | 17.26 | |
| | | Warren | 19.62 | |

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| 1.5.1 Basic Exchange Services—Monthly Rates by Exchange Zone | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Residence – Unlimited 1 Party | Warwick | 20.65 | |
| | | Westerly | 16.30 | |
| | | West Warwick | 20.65 | |
| | | Woonsocket | 17.26 | |

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| 1.5.2 Basic Exchange Services–Composite Statewide Monthly Rates Schedule | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Residence – Measured 1 Party | All Rate Groups | 10.17 | |
| | | Local Usage Allowance – Minutes – Monthly – Per line | 90 | |

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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Residence – Measured 1 Party | Local Usage Allowance – Lifeline customers only – Minutes – Monthly – Per line | 180 | |
| | | Local Usage – Per additional minute | .037 | |
| | Residence – Unlimited 1 Party | Rate Group A | 16.30 | (1) |
| | | Rate Group B | 16.94 | |
| | | Rate Group C | 17.26 | |
| | | Rate Group D | 19.62 | |
| | | Rate Group E | 20.65 | |
| | | Rate Group F | 20.76 | (1) |

| 1.5.3 Basic Exchange Services–Superseded Services Monthly Rates by Exchange/Zone | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Residence – Unlimited 1 Party | West Gloucester | 16.30 | (1) |

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1.15 Service Packages

| 1.15.1 ValuePack - Effective June 16, 2012, ValuePack is no longer available to residential customers. Existing residential customers as of June 16, 2012, may retain the service at existing locations. | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | ValuePack | Monthly – Per line equipped | 25.50 | NLRSA |

| 1.15.2 Verizon Local Package Extrasm and Verizon Local Packagesm - Effective June 16, 2012, the Verizon Local Package Extra sm and Verizon Local Package sm are no longer available to residential customers. Existing residential customers as of June 16, 2012, may retain the service at existing locations. | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Verizon Local Package Extra sm and Verizon Local Package sm | Verizon Local Package sm – Monthly – Per line equipped | 55.99 | (I) |
| | | Verizon Local Package Extra sm – Monthly – Per line equipped | 59.99 | (I) |

| 1.15.3 Multi-Line Package Bonus Discount - Effective June 16, 2012, Multi-Line Package Bonus Discount is no longer available to residential customers. Existing residential customers as of June 16, 2012, may retain the service at existing locations. | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Multi-Line Package Bonus Discount | Discount – Monthly – Per eligible service/package on each line | 5% | |

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| 1.15.4 Reserved for Future Use | | | | |
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| 1.15.9 Verizon Regional Package Extrasm - Effective June 16, 2012, Verizon Regional Package Extra sm is no longer available to residential customers. Existing residential customers as of June 16, 2012, may retain the service at existing locations. | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Verizon Regional Package Extra sm | Monthly – Per line equipped | 68.95 | PG03A |

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| 1.15.10 Verizon Regional Packagesm - Effective June 16, 2012, Verizon Regional Package sm is no longer available to residential customers. Existing residential customers as of June 16, 2012, may retain the service at existing locations. | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Verizon Regional Package sm | Monthly – Per line equipped | 63.95 | PG03E |

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| 1.15.11 Verizon Regional Package Unlimitedsm - Effective June 16, 2012, Verizon Regional Package Unlimited sm is no longer available to residential customers. Existing residential customers as of June 16, 2012, may retain the service at existing locations. | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Verizon Regional Package Unlimited sm | Monthly - Per line equipped | 59.00 | PGO4R |

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1.15.13 Reserved for Future Use

1.15.13A Reserved for Future Use

1.15.14 Regional Essentials

| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
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| | Regional Essentials | Monthly – Per line equipped | 53.04 | |
| | Regional Essentials – Bundle Discount I (Limited to customers of record prior to April 17, 2011) | Monthly – Bundle Discount I – Subscriber prior to November 15, 2008 – Verizon On-line Broadband (Up to 3.0 Mbps package) | 12.00 | |
| | | Monthly – Bundle Discount I – Subscriber between November 15, 2008, and January 16, 2010, Verizon On-line Broadband (Up to 1.0 Mbps, or Up to 3.0 Mbps, or Up to 7.1 Mbps, or Up to 15.1 Mbps packages) | 16.00 | |
| | | Monthly – Bundle Discount I – Subscriber between January 17, 2010, and April 16, 2011, Verizon On-line Broadband (Up to 1.0 Mbps, or Up to 3.0 Mbps, or Up to 7.1 Mbps, or Up to 15.1 Mbps packages) | 21.00 | |
| | | Monthly – Bundle Discount I – Subscriber between November 15, 2008, and January 16, 2010 – Verizon On-line Broadband (Up to 3.0 Mbps or Up to 7.1 Mbps packages) – Renewal | 12.00 | |
| | | Monthly – Bundle Discount I – Subscriber between January 17, 2010, and April 17, 2011 – Verizon On-line Broadband (Up to 3.0 Mbps or Up to 7.1 Mbps packages) – Renewal | 17.00 | |

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| 1.15.14 Regional Essentials | | | | |
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| | Regional Essentials Voice Discount | Monthly – Voice Discount – Renewal – Subscribers who are past the initial term of this offer and had a qualifying service package - Regional Essentials combined with a qualifying unlimited long distance calling plan. Note: Qualifying packages are identified in Part A, Section 15, Paragraph 15.13.2.H. | | 0.00 |

| 1.15.15 Regional Value | | | | |
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| ID | Service Category | Rate Element | Rate | USOC |
| | Regional Value | Monthly – Per line equipped | 51.04 | |
| | | Monthly – Voice Discount – Initial Term - Subscribers who are on the initial term of this offer – Regional Value - 12-month term | 31.05 | |
| | | Monthly – Voice Discount – 12-month term – Renewal Subscribers who are past the initial term of this offer | 20.05 | |

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