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PUBLIC NOTICE OF COPPER RETIREMENT UNDER RULE 51.333
Copper Retirement ID No. 2019-03-A-RI

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Carrier: Verizon New England Inc., 6 Bowdoin Square, 9th Floor, Boston, MA 02114

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Implementation Date: On or after September 3, 2020

Planned Network Change(s) will occur at all remaining locations in the following wire center areas in Rhode Island:

Wire Center	Address	CLLI
ASHTON	25 Angell Rd., Ashton, RI 02865	ASTNRIAN
ASHWAY	6 Ashaway Rd., Ashaway, RI 02804	ASWYRIYB
CRANSTON	56 Phenix Ave., Cranston, RI 02920	CNTNRIPH
COVENTRY	161 Old Flat River Rd., Coventry, RI 02816	CNTYRIST
CAROLINA	452 Carolina Back Rd., Carolina, RI 02813	CRLNRIMA
EAST GREENWICH	59 Church St., East Greenwich, RI 02818	EGRNRICH
EAST PROVIDENCE	789 N Broadway, East Providence, RI 02914	EPRVRINB
GLOCESTER	139 W Greenville Rd., Glocester, RI 02857	GLCSRIWG
HOPE VALLEY	1086 Main St., Hope Valley, RI 02832	HPVYRIMA
NORTH KINGSTOWN	266 Phillips St., North Kingstown, RI 02852	NKTRWRIPH
CENTREDALE	2194 Mineral Springs Ave., North Providence, RI 02911	NPRVRIMS
BROAD STREET	1096 Broad St., Providence, RI 02905	PRVDRIBR
PASCOAG	33 Park Pl., Pascoag, RI 02859	PSCGRIPA
PAWTUCKET	85 High St., Pawtucket, RI 02860	PWTCRIHI
WEEKAPAUG	56 Wawaloam Dr., Weekapaug, RI 02891	WKPGRIWA
WOONSOCKET	199 Clinton St., Woonsocket, RI 02895	WNSCRICL
WESTERLY	38-44 Main St., Westerly, RI 02891	WRLYRIMA
WARWICK	2556 W. Shore Rd., Warwick, RI 02886	WRWKRIWS
WEST WARWICK	1103 Main St., West Warwick, RI 02893	WWWKRIMA

All of Verizon's copper retirement notices may be viewed on Verizon's website at <http://www.verizon.com/about/terms-conditions/network-disclosures>

Description of the planned network change(s):

Verizon intends to retire the copper facilities at all remaining locations in the nineteen (19) wire centers listed above. Verizon has deployed or plans to deploy its fiber-to-the-premises network in these areas and intends to provide services over a fiber network infrastructure. Updating our network from copper to fiber benefits our customers because of fiber's resiliency and reliability, especially in inclement weather. Fiber also provides our customers with expanded capabilities to grow with current bandwidth demands for their home or business.

Description of reasonably foreseeable impact(s) of the planned change(s):

After the retirement of the copper facilities, Verizon will: (1) no longer offer services over copper facilities; and (2) cease maintaining the copper facilities. To help ensure an orderly transition, Verizon may require customers and interconnecting entities to migrate services off of copper facilities well before the copper retirement implementation date.