

**TRI COUNTY TELEPHONE ASSOCIATION, INC.  
405 SOUTH 4<sup>TH</sup> STREET, P.O. BOX 310  
BASIN, WYOMING 82410-0310**

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Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20054

Attention: Common Carrier Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued on behalf of Tri County Telephone Association, Inc., and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Access Service, is sent to you for filing in compliance with the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This filing, to become effective January 1, 2002, consists of the attached tariff pages. In addition, this filing is made in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Orders and revises rates for the interstate access services provided by Tri County Telephone Association, Inc., and is made pursuant in part to the filing requirements adopted in the Regulatory Reform Order, Regulatory Reform for Local Exchange Carriers Subject to Rate of Return Regulation, 8 FCC Rcd 4545 (1993) and to the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R., Part 61, Section 61.39.

Pursuant to Section 61.32(b) of the Commission's rules, the original letter, FCC Form 159 and a check for \$655.00 have been submitted via courier to Mellon Bank, Pittsburgh, PA.

All correspondence and inquiries concerning this filing should be addressed to Donald C. Jackson, 1020 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 8D, Denver, Colorado, 80202; telephone number (303) 534-3279.

Respectfully submitted,

Randall M. Lowe, General Manager

Enclosures: Tariff Pages

Tri County  
Telephone  
Company

	Common Line	Switching	Transport Term	Transport Mileage	Information	Special Access
Combined 1999/2000 Revenue Requirement Less Local Switching Support	NECA Pool	\$687,265 (\$65,479)	\$317,950	\$7,173	\$67,997	\$190,126
Revised 1999/2000 Revenue Requirement	NECA Pool	\$621,786	\$317,950	\$7,173	\$67,997	\$190,126
Transfer of Line Port Costs (Two Years) (28163*2=56326)	\$56,326	(\$56,326)				
Sub - Total	\$56,326	\$565,460	\$317,950	\$7,173	\$67,997	\$190,126
TIC Revenues Transferred			\$0	\$0		
TIC Reallocation	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total Revenue Requirement	\$56,326	\$565,460	\$317,950	\$7,173	\$67,997	\$190,126
Combined 1999/2000 Minutes of Use		58,326,391	58,326,391	4,038,419,813	58,326,391	
Developed Rates		\$0.009695	\$0.005451	\$0.000002	\$0.001166	