

## Network Disclosure Announcement No. 788

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Copper Retirements in Arizona, Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, and North Dakota.

First Implementation Date: April 30, 2017 Original Date Posted: April 22, 2016

Summary: Copper Retirements are necessary to respond to various factors in the Outside Plant, including road construction, maintenance problems, and

growth accommodation. Replacement cables may be either copper or fiber. Specific information will be provided with each disclosure.

**Locations, Timing of Deployments & Interface** 

**Requirements:** The following gives additional details on the copper retirement(s):

STAT	E WIRE CENTER	PLANNED COMPLETION OR RETIREMENT DATE	DA (s)	Job#	Replacing
AZ	McClintock TEMPAZMC	4-30-2017	N/A	N.067002	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.

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AZ	Higley HGLYAZMA	4-30-2017	411615	N.044281	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.
AZ	Tucson Cortaro TCSNAZCO	4-30-2017	3106	N.045426	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.
IA	Altoona ALNAIACO	4-30-2017	220402 220403 141001 141002	N.067475 N.067481 N.067230	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.

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MN	St. Cloud STCDMNTO	4-30-2017	410902	N.048193	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.
MN	Cold Spring CLSPMNCB	4-30-2017	110302	N.019034	Raod construction in the area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.
MN	Cottage Grove CTGVMNCG	4-30-2017	210604	N.030586	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.

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MT	Bozeman BZMNMTMA	4-30-2017	230131	N.064735	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.
ND	Dickinson DCSNNDBC	4-30-2017	N/A	N.061595	Growth in distribution area requires CenturyLink to cut facilities to fiber fed digital loop carrier system (DLC). After the cut to DLC, copper reliant services, such as non-loaded copper loops will not be supported. All other types of unbundled loops will still be available.

**Additional Information:** Any person desiring additional technical information in conjunction with this Disclosure can contact:

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