

RESOLUTION NO. 385

A RESOLUTION FOR APPROVAL OF CONTRACT TO REDUCE LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE COSTS.


WHEREAS, the City staff has prepared a report on the above captioned subject which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly considered the subject and the recommendation(s) contained in the staff report; and

WHEREAS, interested parties, if any, have had an opportunity to be heard on the subject.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Wilsonville does hereby adopt the staff report attached hereto as Exhibit "A", with the recommendation(s) contained therein and further instructs that action appropriate to the recommendation(s) be taken.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Wilsonville at a regular meeting thereof this 19th day of March, 1984, and filed with the Wilsonville City Recorder this same day.

  
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WILLIAM G. LOWRIE, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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VERA A. ROJAS, City Recorder, Pro-Tem

## CITY OF WILSONVILLE

**MEMO**March 14, 1984

DATE

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

FROM: RAY SHORTEN, ACCOUNTING DIRECTOR *RS*

SUBJECT: CONTRACT TO SAVE ON LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE COSTS

At the February 6, 1984 City Council meeting, I presented a resolution to Council regarding a contract with American Network, Inc., for long distance telephone lines. At that meeting, Council had some questions as to the charges by AMNET and asked for further research.

Since that meeting, I have contacted three other vendors who provide basically the same service. (See attached) All offer the same services for approximately the same costs. The major difference is in the Intra-state Per Minute charges by each vendor. The major cities are listed below:

CITY	AMNET	CALL U.S.	SAVE-NET	SPRINT
Albany	\$ .20	\$ .17	\$ .22	NOT
Bend	.25	.22	.23	LICENSED
Corvallis	.25	.22	.27	TO SERVE
Eugene	.25	.22	.27	INTRA-
Medford	.36	.32	.38	STATE
Salem	.17	.15	.17	
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	\$1.48	\$1.30	\$1.54	

The average long distance monthly charge for long distance is approximately \$126 per month. Most of the charges are incurred to the cities listed above.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize staff to contract with Call U. S. Network for long distance calls. The \$50 one-time charge should be off-set with the first two months savings.

rs:vr

FEATURES	AMNET	CALL U. S.	SAVENET
One-Time Connection Charge	None	\$50.00	\$50.00
Monthly Service Charge	\$12.50 for 10 Code Numbers	\$10 for 10 Code Numbers	\$10 for up to 25 Numbers
Special Equipment Needed	No	No	No
Installation Time	2 Weeks	10 Days	10 to 14 Days
Itemized, Detailed Billing	Yes	Yes	Yes
800 Number for Traveling	Yes	Yes	50¢ per number
Additional Account Numbers	Yes	Yes	Yes
Programable Access Code Number	Yes	Yes	Yes
Charge for Busy or Less Than Thirty (30) Seconds	No	No	No Voice Actuated
Contract Termination Notice	30 Day Written	2 Week Written	30 Day Guarantee

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February 14, 1984

Mr. Ray Shorten  
City Of Wilsonville  
P.O. Box 220  
Wilsonville, Oregon 97070

Dear Ray:

This letter is in regards to our last conversation, first let me apologize for not being clear about the actual charges, cities and information regarding the use of American Network as an alternate long distance service. I hope this information will help fill any gaps in our conversation.

In regards to our tariff charges to different cities out of the state of Oregon our service will save you 30% or more for any city in the continental U.S., including Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. (see attached tariff sheet)

In Oregon rates are geared towards a savings from city to city, Since Wilsonville is long distance to Beaverton, North Plains, Hillsboro, Sunnyside, Damascus, Gresham, Orient, Sandy, Corbett, Aloha, Estacada, Scholls, Redland, Beavercreek, Eagle Creek, Stafford, Tigard, Somerset, Oregon City, Gladstone, West Linn, Oak Grove, Milwaukie and Lake Oswego. Your current cost to these areas is 17¢ per minute, your cost using AM NET would be 8¢ per min., a savings of over 50%!

Other AMNET cities include Albany @ .20¢ , Bend @ .25¢ , Corvallis @ .25¢ , Eugene @ .25¢, Medford @ .36¢, and Salem @ .17¢ per minute. These costs along with our six second incremental billing should provide over a 40% savings for calls to these locations.

All calls to other areas are at a rate of .40¢ per minute. So for calls to cities not listed above, it can be more cost effective to Direct Dial.

OREGON INTRASTATE  
SAVENET CITY RATES

	ALBANY	BEND	CORVALLIS	EUGENE	FOREST GROVE	MCHINNIVILLE	MEDFORD	NEWBERG	PORTLAND	SALEM
ALBANY	*	.31	*	.19	.25	.21	.31	.21	.22	.15
BEND	.31	*	.31	.31	.31	.26	.37	.26	.23	.26
CORVALLIS	*	.31	*	.19	.25	.21	.31	.21	.27	.15
EUGENE	.19	.31	.19	*	.31	.31	.26	.31	.27	.25
FOREST GROVE	.25	.31	.25	.31	*	.14	.43	.14	.13	.19
MCHINNIVILLE	.21	.26	.21	.31	.14	*	.43	.14	.17	.14
MEDFORD	.31	.37	.31	.26	.43	.43	*	.43	.38	.37
NEWBERG	.21	.26	.21	.31	.14	.14	.43	*	.13	.19
PORTLAND	.22	.23	.27	.27	.13	.17	.38	.13	*	.17
SALEM	.15	.26	.15	.25	.19	.14	.37	.19	.17	*

ALL SAVENET CITY RATES BILLED IN 6 SECOND INCREMENTS  
THE FOLLOWING DISCOUNTS WILL APPLY:

EVENING - 50%

NIGHT - 75%

WEEKEND - 65%

CALLS TO OTHER CITIES WILL BE BILLED THE SAME AS BELL IN FULL MINUTE  
INCREMENTS

TARIFF AND RATE COMPARISON

INTRASTATE RATES  
FROM PORTLAND  
Effective July, 1983

BELL SYSTEM\*

Cities	Day Rate		Evening Rate		Night Rate		Weekend Rate	
	First Min.	Add. Min.	First Min.	Add. Min.	First Min.	Add. Min.	First Min.	Add. Min.
Salem	.24	.22	.18	.17	.12	.11	.16	.14
Albany	.28	.26	.21	.20	.14	.13	.18	.17
Corvallis	.35	.33	.26	.25	.18	.17	.23	.22
Eugene/ Springfield	.35	.33	.26	.25	.18	.17	.23	.22
Medford	.49	.48	.37	.36	.25	.24	.32	.31
Bend	.35	.33	.26	.25	.18	.17	.23	.22

CALL U.S.\*\*

Cities ***	Day Rate		Evening Rate		Night Rate		Weekend Rate	
	First Min.	Add. Min.	First Min.	Add. Min.	First Min.	Add. Min.	First Min.	Add. Min.
Salem	.15	.15	.11	.11	.08	.08	.10	.10
Albany	.17	.17	.13	.13	.09	.09	.11	.11
Corvallis	.22	.22	.17	.17	.11	.11	.14	.14
Eugene/ Springfield	.22	.22	.17	.17	.11	.11	.14	.14
Medford	.32	.32	.24	.24	.16	.16	.21	.21
Bend	.22	.22	.17	.17	.11	.11	.14	.14

- \* Timed in one minute increments
- \*\* Timed in six-second increments
- \*\*\* All other cities timed at Bell's rates.

Discounts:

Evening:	5pm - 11pm	Sunday - Friday	25%
Night:	11pm - 8am	Daily	50%
Weekend:	8am - 11pm	Saturday	35%
Weekend:	8am - 5pm	Sunday	35%

Rates rounded to the nearest cent.

IF YOU MAKE CALLS TO OR FROM THE AREAS LISTED BELOW,  
CALL U.S. WILL SAVE YOU MONEY ON ALL THOSE PORTLAND AREA CALLS

Burlington	Aloha	Stafford	Gresham
Lake Oswego	Sherwood	Tigard	Orient
Oak Grove	Scholls	Beaverton	Sandy
Milwaukie	Estacada	North Plains	Corbett
Oregon City	Redland	Hillsboro	
Gladstone	Beaver Creek	Sunnyside	
West Linn	Eagle Creek	Damascus	

As a service of Call U.S., we offer the following flat rate to those areas:

Daytime	\$.08 per minute
Evening	\$.05 per minute
Night/Weekend	\$.03 per minute

Bell System and GTE - time in full-minute (60 second) increments  
Call U.S. - time in six-second increments (1/10 of a minute)

The Bell System adds the following surcharges that you will avoid by using  
Call U.S.

\$ .50	Credit card calls
\$1.25	Collect/third party calls
\$3.00	Person-to-person calls