



Notice

Notification Type:	Discontinued Service Offering
Jurisdiction:	LOUISIANA
Notice Date:	05/09/2025
Package Number:	LA-25-0026
Service Name:	TDM to IP Conversion - Destrehan, New Iberia, and Mandeville, LA
Tariff /Guidebook Sections:	GEGB A2, PLGB B2
Expected Issue Date:	06/23/2025
Expected Effective Date:	06/23/2025
Descriptive Narrative:	<p>On September 11, 2024, Hurricane Francine made landfall in Southern Louisiana Parishes near Northeast Shore of Lake Pontchartrain and caused widespread damage to structures and facilities in its path. In fact, BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Louisiana facilities in the Mandeville (MNVLLAMA) wire center in Mandeville, LA, the Norco (NORCLAMN) wire center in Destrehan, LA, and the New Iberia (NWIBLAMA) wire center in New Iberia, LA incurred significant damage. Due to the devastation Hurricane Francine caused in Louisiana, President Joseph R. Biden, Jr., approved an emergency declaration for the state on September 11, 2024.</p> <p>AT&T Louisiana personnel surveyed the impacted areas and determined numerous aerial and buried copper facilities, as well as aerial fiber facilities, were significantly damaged. While AT&T Louisiana technicians temporarily repaired some facilities to restore service, the technicians also migrated some customers to existing, undamaged Gigabit Passive Optical Network/Fiber-to-the-Premises (GPON/FTTP) systems. AT&T Louisiana plans to repair any damaged GPON/FTTP systems, migrate any remaining customers from the temporarily repaired copper to fiber, and retire all copper cables in the affected area.</p> <p>The affected areas include distribution areas (DA) 310203 in the Mandeville wire center, DAs 110102 and 110903 in the Norco wire center, and DA 2608 in New Iberia wire center.</p>