

**SHORT TERM PUBLIC NOTICE OF NETWORK CHANGE UNDER  
RULE 51.333**

October 27, 2022

**Subject:** Switch Decommission, Switch Power Down – **IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED**

**Notice ID:** Network Change Notice SD Ohio 003

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**Change Effective Date:** On or after December 27, 2022

**Planned Network Change(s) will occur at the following locations in Ohio:**

Windstream Central Office	Address	CLLI
Bloomingtondale, OH DMS10	Main and Wood St, Bloomingtondale, OH 43910	BLDLOHXA94A
Bloomingtondale, OH Meta	Main and Wood St, Bloomingtondale, OH 43910	BLDLOHXAPS0
Hopedale, OH Remote Switch	4904 E. Main St., Hopedale, OH 43976	HPDLOHXARS1
Hopedale, OH Meta	4904 E. Main St., Hopedale, OH 43976	HPDLOHXARPO

Website Link to Notice Posting: <https://www.windstream.com/about-windstream/legal/network-change-notifications> (Select State: Ohio)

**Additional Details:**

**Description of the Planned Network Change(s):**

The DMS10 switch, located at Main and Wood St, Bloomingtondale, OH 43910, will be decommissioned, powered down, and removed from Windstream's network. This is an emergency situation resulting from multiple backplane failures in this switch which have put it into a Critical Operational state and is unable to be repaired. Because the Bloomingtondale OF DMS 10 switch serves as the host switch for the Hopedale, OH Remote switch located at 4904 E.

Main St., Hopedale, OH 43976, the Hopedale Remote switch will also be powered down and removed from Windstream's network. Given the current state, the switch could fail and there is no option to repair as a result of network modernization and consolidation. All traffic will need to be routed to the BLDLOHXAPS0 Meta Switch. Windstream Bloomingdale A-Block of 740-844 is being moved to BLDLOHXAPS0. Windstream Hopedale A-Block of 740-937 is being moved to HPDLOHXARP0.

**Description of Reasonably Foreseeable Impact(s) of the Planned Change(s):**

Competitive local exchange carriers (CLECs), interexchange carriers (IXCs, IECs), wireless carriers, and paging carriers will need to secure new trunk groups built to the BLDLOHXAPS0 Meta Switch or have existing trunk groups to that switch augmented. Carriers that are code holders for access connectivity in the Bloomingdale, OH DMS10 switch will be required to reposition the codes to the BLDLOHXAPS0 Meta Switch.

All ASRs for the BLDLOHXAPS0 Meta Switch must be received as soon as possible due to the pending failure of this switch. These direct end office trunk (DEOT) interconnections will support traffic migration for the Bloomingdale, OH DMS10 switch prior to its eventual decommissioning. Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG) change effective dates will be posted as soon as possible. This will serve to guide interconnect re-routes of Windstream traffic for native code currently served by the Bloomingdale, OH DMS10 switch to reflect the BLDLOHXAPS0 Meta Switch as the new home switch. All ASRs for the BLDLOHXAPS0 Meta Switch must carry the project code of BLDLOHXAPS0.