



Public Utility District No. 1 of Franklin County

STATEMENT ADDRESSING NONDISCRIMINATORY AND INTERCONNECT OBLIGATION

The Public Utility District No. 1 of Franklin County (Franklin PUD) Nondiscrimination and Interconnection complies with the nondiscrimination and network interconnection obligations set forth in section V.C.2.c of the NOFA and in Section 6001(j) of the Recovery Act. Within the Recovery Act, NTIA requires that Franklin PUD complies with five obligations.

1. Adhere to the principles contained in the FCC Broadband Policy Statement (FCC 05-151 adopted Aug. 5, 2005) – Franklin PUD adheres to the principles contained in the FCC Broadband Policy Statement (FCC – 05-151 adopted Aug. 5, 2005)
2. Not favor any lawful Internet applications or content over others. – Franklin PUD complies.
3. Display network management policies in a prominent location on the service providers web page and provide notice to customers of changes to these policies – Franklin PUD complies and has Master Service Agreement available at www.franklinpud.com and does provide notices to customers of any policy changes
4. Connect to the public Internet directly or indirectly, such that the project is not an entirely private closed network – Franklin PUD complies.
5. Offer interconnection, where technically feasible, on reasonable rates and terms to be negotiated with requesting parties. This includes both the ability to connect to the public Internet and physical interconnection for the exchange of traffic – Franklin PUD complies, among other things, by complying with Washington State law governing its activities that requires that it offer substantially similar rates and terms to all parties requesting substantially similar services.

Sincerely,

Public Utility District No.1 of Franklin County