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ORDINANCE NO. 25

AN ORDINANCE TO GRANT A TELEPHONE FRANCHISE TO THE LAKE WASHINGTON TELEPHONE

COMPANY.

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Be it ordained by the countil of the town of Kirkland: Section 1.

The Town of Kirkland hereby grants unto the Lake Washington Telephone Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Washington, its successors and assigns, the right and privilege to do a telephone business within said Town, and to place, erect, lay, maintain and operate in, over, and under the streets, avenues, alleys and highways within said Town, wires and other appliances and conductors for the transmission of electricity for telephone purposes; such wires or conductors may be strung upon poles or other fixtures above ground, or at the option of the said grantee, its successors and assigns, may be laid underground in pipes or conduits, or otherwise protected and such other apparatus may be used as may be necessary or proper to operate and maintain the same.

Section 11.

It shall be lawful for said Company, its successors or assigns, to make all needful and convenient excavations in any of said streets, avenues, alleys and highways for the purpose of erecting and maintaining poles and other supports, or laying pipes or conduits, for said wires. But it shall be the duty of said Company to properly protect any such excavations, and in case of any accident or injury to any person by reason of any such excavations of said Company, shall save and keep harmless said Town from any and all liability on that account.

### Section 111.

Any and all work done by said Company shall be done with promptness and dispatch, and any street, avenue, alley or highway disturbed shall be restored to its original condition.

Section IV.

Before proceeding to disturb any street, avenue, alley or highway, said Company shall file with the Town Clerk a map and specifications of the work intended to be done, and shall get the same approved by the Superintendent of Streets; but such approval shall not be withheld unless such work will interfere with property of the Town. All work shall be done under the supervision of the Superintendent of Streets. In case of any change in the officers of the Town, this right of supervision and approval is hereby reserved to such officer or officers as may have charge of the streets.

### Section V.

The Town of Kirkland shall have the right to suspend upon the poles of the Company, or lay in its conduits, any and all wires it may hereafter require for fire alarm or police telegraph service.

# Section V1.

Whenever it may be necessary in the opinion of the Town Council to change the location of any pole or poles, the Company shall upon reasonable notice change the same. When such a change is made at the instance of the Town, the Town shall pay the cost of removal, but not be liable for any interference with business of the Company.

#### Section VIII.

The charges for telephone service to all persons residing in the Town shall not exceed the following rates:--

Four Party Residence

\$2.00 per mo.

Business

\$2.50

Individual Residence

\$8. **Q**6

Business

\$3.50

Service to Seattle

.15 for 3 min. conversation

Long Distance Service -

Regular Bates.

### Section Vill.

The Company shall furnish to the Town, free of charge, . telephones at the following places:

> The residence of the Mayor. \*
> The residence of the Town Glerk. \*
> The residence of the Town Marshall.\* The regular place of meeting of the Geunoil. The office of the Town Attorney.

### Section IX.

All the terms, conditions and provisions of this ordinance shall be binding on said Company, and its successors and assigns; and for any violation thereof the Town Council may declars the same forfeited.

## Section X.

Within fifteen (15) days after the passage of this ordinant ance, the Company shall file with the Town Clerk an acceptance thereof agreeing to be bound by all the terms thereof; and in case of its failure so to do the grant herein contained shall lapse.

### Section XI.

This grant herein contained shall extend for the period of 25 years from the passage of this ordinance.

Approved this 14th day of January R.H. Collins

I, A. T. Churchill, Town Clerk of the Town of Kirkland, in the County of King and State of Washington, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance is a true and correct copy of an ordinance of the Town of Kirkland, numbered twenty five (2) and entitled "An Ordinance to grant a Telephone Franchise to the Lake Washington Telephone Company, and I hereby certify that the same was passed by the Council of said Town on the 12th day of December, 1906, and that the same has been passed according to law

Town Clerk of the Town of Kirk-