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Docket #: A.16-10-004

**CPUC TO HOLD HEARING TO RECEIVE PUBLIC INPUT
ON CAL-ORE RATE INCREASE REQUEST**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4, 2017 - The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) will hold a Public Participation Hearing to receive comments on the request of Cal-Ore Telephone Company to increase rates.

WHEN: April 20, 2017, 6 p.m.

WHERE: Butte Valley Community Center, 52900 US-97, Dorris, CA 96023

WHAT: Cal-Ore has asked the CPUC for approval to increase rates for basic residential and business service. Cal-Ore proposes to set its residential basic rates at \$21.63, not including certain Federal Communications Commission surcharges and fees. The residential basic rates, inclusive of state and federal fees and surcharges, would be set at approximately \$30. Cal-Ore also proposes to increase its basic business rate to \$28, not including surcharges and fees.

Comments from the public can help the CPUC reach an informed decision so consumers are encouraged to attend Public Participation Hearings.

For those unable to attend a Public Participation Hearing in person, written comments on any proceeding may be submitted to: CPUC Public Advisor, 505 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, CA 94102, or via email to public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov. Please refer to proceeding number A.16-10-004 on any written or email correspondence about this proceeding. All public comments received are provided to the CPUC's Commissioners and the Administrative Law Judge assigned to the case.

Documents related to the proceeding are available at:



https://apps.cpuc.ca.gov/apex/f?p=401:56:0::NO:RP,57,RIR:P5_PROCEEDING_SELECT:A1610004.

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While a quorum of Commissioners and/or their staff may attend, no official action will be taken.

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