

Understanding Your Telephone Charges

Breakdown of Charges

Aug 23 – Sep 22

Voice Services

Residence DialTone & Local Usq 12.78

Monthly Flat Svc

Total Voice Services \$12.78

Change in Service and Partial Month

Residence DialTone & Local Usq 10.65

Monthly Flat Svc

Economy II Senior Upgrade -.83

Service

Total Change in Service and Partial Month \$9.82

Taxes, Fees & Other Charges

Voice

DC Universal Service Trust Fund .39

DC Public Rights-of-Way Use Fee 2.27

DC Gross Receipts Tax Surcharge 2.26

DC E911/311 Fee .76

DC Federal Universal Service Fund Surcharge .53

Federal Excise Tax .90

Federal Subscriber Line Charge 3.87

Total Taxes, Fees & Other Charges \$10.98

Voice Services make sure that these are the features that you have approved and use regularly or often.

Taxes, Fees and Other Charges are approved by Federal government and D.C. City Council.

Bundled Services allow you to receive telephone, cable television and internet services provided by one company. Please note: Only local telephone service is regulated by the DC Public Service Commission and falls under the jurisdiction of OPC.

DC Universal Service Fund is a surcharge used to pay for Economy II and Telecommunications Relay Service (telephone service for deaf consumers).

Federal Excise Tax is mandated by Congress and is imposed on all telecommunications services. This charge appears on local and long distance bills.

Federal Subscriber Line Charge is required by federal law and assists with providing telecommunication services to low-income and rural consumers, as well as eligible schools and libraries.

Gross Receipts Tax Surcharge is required of all District public utilities. They are required to pay this tax to the District government.